

**IN THE MATTER OF the Ontario Energy Board Act
1998, S.O. 1998, c. 15, (Schedule B);**

**AND IN THE MATTER OF an Application by
Welland Hydro Electric System Corp. for an Order
or Orders approving or fixing just and reasonable
rates and other charges for the distribution of
electricity commencing May 1, 2009.**

**Supplemental
INTERROGATORIES
OF THE
SCHOOL ENERGY COALITION**

1. Ref.: SEC IRs #'s 11-13, Exhibit B
 - (a) Exhibit B shows that the major driver for the increase in spending in the various accounts are labour costs. For each account, please specify what portion of the increase is due to:
 - (i) wage escalation- please provide the annual % increases. If possible, please also identify the portion of the increase due to wage progression (as opposed to annual inflationary increases);
 - (ii) increase in staff- please explain the reason for the increase in staff.