## Commission de l'énergie de l'Ontario



EB-2008-0340

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

**AND IN THE MATTER OF** the Independent Electricity System Operator Fiscal 2009 Fees Submission for Review.

**BEFORE:** Gordon Kaiser

Vice-Chair and Presiding Member

Ken Quesnelle

Member

Cathy Spoel Member

## **DECISION AND ORDER ON COST AWARDS**

On October 27, 2008 the Independent Electricity System Operator ("IESO") filed its 2009 Fees Submission with the Ontario Energy Board (the "Board") in accordance with sections 18 and 19 of the *Electricity Act, 1998*. The Board assigned file number EB-2008-0340 to this matter.

The Association of Major Power Consumers in Ontario ("AMPCO"), Energy Probe Research Foundation ("Energy Probe") and the Vulnerable Energy Consumers Coalition ("VECC") received intervenor status and were deemed eligible to apply for an award of costs in this proceeding.

The Board issued its Decision and Order on the application on March 31, 2009, in which it set out the process for intervenors to file their cost claims and to respond to any objections raised by the IESO.

The Board received cost claims from AMPCO, Energy Probe and VECC. No comments were received from the IESO.

The Board has reviewed the cost claims and has found that AMPCO, Energy Probe and VECC are eligible for 100% of their reasonably incurred costs of participating in this proceeding. The Board finds that each party's claims are reasonable and all parties will be reimbursed by the IESO.

## THE BOARD THEREFORE ORDERS THAT:

1. Pursuant to section 30 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998*, the IESO shall immediately pay:

• AMPCO \$3,793.13;

• Energy Probe \$6,307.71; and

• VECC \$7,283.30.

2. Pursuant to section 30 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998*, the IESO shall pay the Board's costs of and incidental to, this proceeding immediately upon receipt of the Board's invoice.

DATED at Toronto, June 15, 2009.

ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

Original Signed By

Kirsten Walli Board Secretary