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**Report on Notification re: Eligibility for
the Regulated Price Plan**

OEB File No.: EB-2009-0317

Midland Power Utility Corporation (MPUC) confirms all remaining customers affected by the upcoming changes in eligibility for the Regulated Price Plan (RPP) have been notified in writing regarding the changes effective November 1, 2009.

In March 2009, MPUC mailed all affected customers a copy of the IESO published brochure for Public Sector Customers moving off the RPP effective May 1, 2009.

MPUC has worked with customers in assessing the best alternatives for affected accounts during the transition period. MPUC has 3 designated and MUSH customers remaining on the RPP plan. Letters were mailed to the remaining customers on September 3rd with the revised IESO published brochure for Public Sector Customers moving off the RPP effective November 1, 2009. A copy of the IESO brochure and letter sent to customers is attached to this Report.

MPUC customers have been provided with pricing options based on different metering configurations, the ability to have an interval meter installed, retailer contract options and information on the one-time Final Variance Settlement credit or charge.

Follow up calls will be made should customers fail to contact MPUC by September 15, 2009 regarding the transition. Customers requesting account specific billing comparisons will be provided, in addition to metering options available.

Should you have any further information, please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned.

Yours very truly,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Phil Marley', with a stylized flourish extending from the end.

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Retail Electricity Contracts:

www.ieso.ca/retailers

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www.ieso.ca/businessprofiles

Your local distribution company:

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Or contact IESO Customer Relations:

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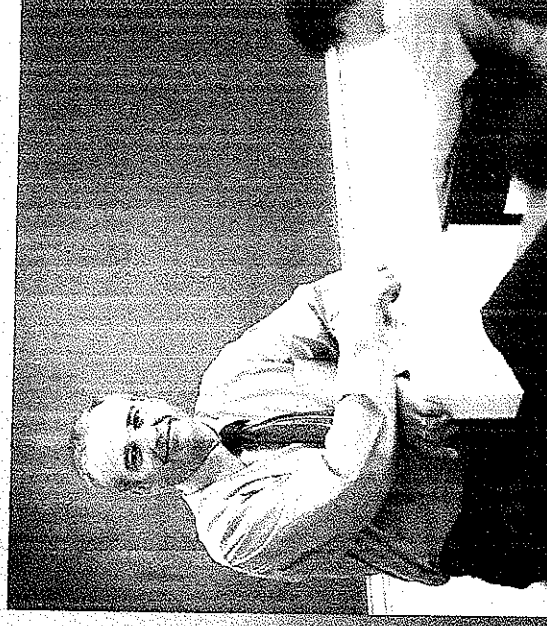
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WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW ABOUT CHANGES TO ELECTRICITY PRICES

A Guide for Ontario's Public Sector

Market Price Options

Changes to Electricity Commodity Prices coming May 1, 2009

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On May 1, 2009, these customers will pay Ontario's market price for the energy portion of their bill – that is, the hourly electricity price or a weighted average electricity price.

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Retail contracts: Contracts are another way to purchase the electricity commodity but they do not cover other charges such as delivery and the Provincial Benefit.* Contracts can add an element of certainty as they allow you to lock in your electricity price for a term. Before you sign, ensure you understand all the terms and conditions.

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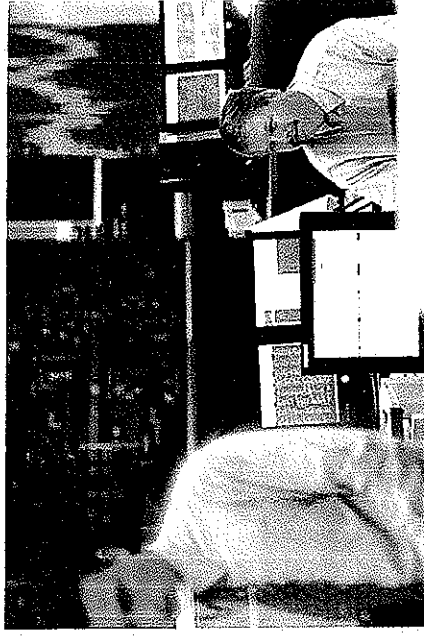
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April 20 – 21, 2009
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This conference, in partnership with the Region of Peel and the IESO, is designed for public sector organizations to learn more about energy management and environmental sustainability.

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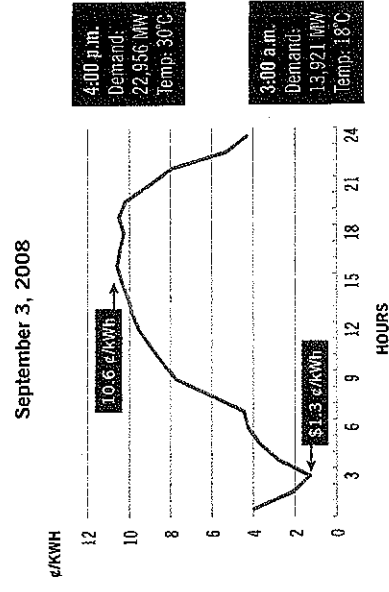
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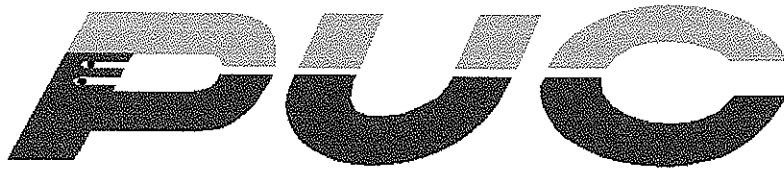
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A sample day of hourly electricity pricing:



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September 3, 2009

Name
Address
City
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Attention:

Re: Account #999999-00: Service Address, Midland, Ontario

Changes to Electricity Commodity Prices effective November 1, 2009

Dear ,

Effective November 1, 2009 most municipalities, universities, schools, hospitals and other designated customers who have remained on the Regulated Price Plan (RPP) will no longer be billed on the RPP.

Midland Power has undertaken a review of customer accounts and according to our records, the above-noted account will be affected by this change to the electricity commodity prices effective November 1, 2009. There are several options available for this account and in addition, you are also eligible to voluntarily leave the RPP before November 1, 2009.

You can choose not to make any changes to your meter and be billed on the Weighted Average Price for your electricity, or you can choose to have an interval meter installed which would facilitate billing on the hourly price for electricity, based on your usage. Upon leaving the RPP you will also receive a one-time RPP Settlement Variance credit or charge.

Enclosed is a brochure explaining the options available including interval metering and purchasing your electricity through a retailer contract. You may recall a similar brochure was sent in April 2009 to advise of these upcoming changes.

Please feel free to contact me at your convenience to review the various metering and pricing options available. Midland Power would be pleased to provide some

comparative figures for the various pricing options upon your request, including an estimate of the RPP Settlement Variance credit or charge.

I look forward to hearing from you.

Yours very truly,

Christine Bell, B.Com

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HOW WILL YOUR ELECTRICITY BILL CHANGE?

The electricity charge on your bill appears as a single line when you're on the RPP. It includes both the commodity charge and the Provincial Benefit¹. When you leave the RPP, the electricity charge and Provincial Benefit¹ will appear as two separate line items.

You will also receive an RPP Settlement Variance which is a one-time credit or charge. A consumer leaving the RPP in May that consumed 250,000 kWh per year would have received a credit of almost \$500. The value of the variance changes every month depending on the difference between the actual price paid to generators and the forecast price paid under the RPP.

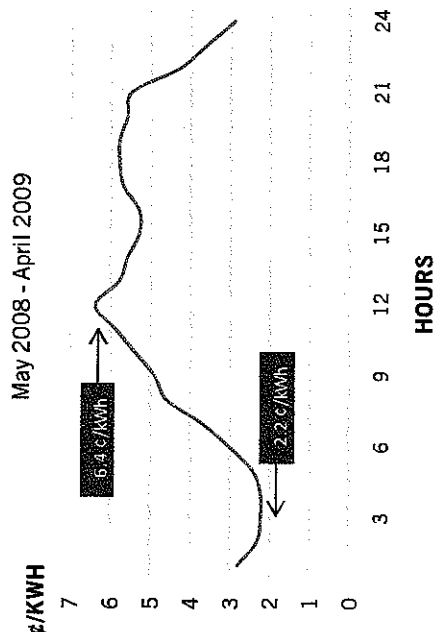
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Regulated Price Plan (RPP)

Public sector consumers still paying the fixed RPP rate (adjusted semi-annually) are charged based on a consumption threshold.

Effective May 1, 2009:

- 5.7 cents per kilowatt hour (kWh) up to 750 kWh
- 6.6 cents per kWh over 750 kWh

It is likely that most of your consumption is charged at the higher rate of 6.6 cents per kWh.

Public sector consumers who have already moved off the RPP pay market prices or the price in their retail contract or a combination of the two. The average market price with adjustments since November 2008 has been 5.4 cents per kWh.