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**VIA MAIL and E-MAIL** 

Ms. Kirsten Walli Board Secretary Ontario Energy Board P.O. Box 2319 2300 Yonge St. Toronto, ON M4P 1E4

Dear Ms. Walli:

Re: Vulnerable Energy Consumers Coalition (VECC)

Notice of Intervention: EB-2007-0770

Hydro Ottawa Limited's 2007 Rates; Request for Variance Account for

**Capitalized Overhead** 

Please find enclosed the interrogatories of the Vulnerable Energy Consumers Coalition (VECC) in the above-noted proceeding. We have also be directed a copy of the same to the Applicant.

Thank you.

Yours truly,

Michael Buonaguro Counsel for VECC

Encl.

cc: Lynne Anderson

Hydro Ottawa Limited

## HYDRO OTTAWA LIMITED'S 2007 RATES REQUEST FOR VARIANCE ACCOUNT FOR CAPITALIZED OVERHEAD (EB-2007-0770)

## **VECC'S INTERROGATORIES**

## **Question #1**

Reference: Exhibit B1, Tab 3, Schedule 1, page 3

Preamble: On page 3, Hydro Ottawa indicates that the change in capitalization policy will lower amortization and return on rate base expense for 2008.

- a) Is there a similar effect for the period October 1, 2007 to December 31, 2007? If not, why not?
- b) If yes, will this offset be included in the proposed variance account? If not, why not?
- c) If yes, what is the estimated amount for 2007?