



**EB-2008-0401**

**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 Toronto  
Hydro-Electric System Limited for an order or orders  
approving recovery of amounts related to Conservation  
and Demand Management activities.

**BEFORE:** Gordon Kaiser  
Presiding Member

Paul Sommerville  
Member

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

Toronto Hydro-Electric System Limited ("Toronto Hydro") filed an application with the Ontario Energy Board, (the "Board") dated December 15, 2008 under the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998*, S.O. 1998, c.15, Schedule B for an order granting approval and recovery of Lost Revenue Adjustment Mechanism and Shared Savings Mechanism amounts related to new and ongoing Conservation and Demand Management activities in 2007. The Board has assigned the application file number EB-2008-0401.

The Energy Probe Research Foundation ("Energy Probe"), Pollution Probe, the School Energy Coalition ("SEC") and the Vulnerable Energy Consumers Coalition ("VECC") were granted intervenor status and were found to be eligible to apply for an award of costs.

The Board issued its Decision and Order on the application on September 22, 2009, in which it set out the process for intervenors to file their cost claims and to respond to any objections raised by Toronto Hydro.

The Board received cost claims from Energy Probe, Pollution Probe, SEC and VECC. No comments were received from Toronto Hydro.

The Board has reviewed the cost claims and has found that Energy Probe, Pollution Probe, SEC 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 Toronto Hydro.

**THE BOARD THEREFORE ORDERS THAT:**

1. Pursuant to section 30 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998*, Toronto Hydro shall immediately pay:
  - Energy Probe Research Foundation \$3,625.94;
  - Pollution Probe \$ 558.00;
  - School Energy Coalition \$1,067.40; and
  - Vulnerable Energy Consumers Coalition \$5,545.25.
  
2. Pursuant to section 30 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998*, Toronto Hydro shall pay the Board's costs of and incidental to, this proceeding immediately upon receipt of the Board's invoice.

DATED at Toronto, January 14, 2010.

**ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD**

*Original Signed By*

Kirsten Walli  
Board Secretary