Commission de l'énergie de l'Ontario



EB-2009-0272

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 Orangeville Hydro Limited for an order approving just and reasonable rates and other charges for electricity distribution to be effective May 1, 2010.

BEFORE: Paul Vlahos

Presiding Member

DECISION AND ORDER ON COST AWARDS

Orangeville Hydro Limited ("Orangeville Hydro") filed an application with the Ontario Energy Board (the "Board") under section 78 of the Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998, S.O. 1998, c. 15, (Schedule B) seeking approval for changes to the rates that Orangeville Hydro charges for electricity distribution, to be effective May 1, 2010.

In its Procedural Order No. 1, the Board accepted the School Energy Coalition ("SEC") and the Vulnerable Energy Consumers Coalition ("VECC") as intervenors and also found they were eligible for an award of costs.

The Board issued its Decision on the application on February 26, 2010, in which it also set out the process for intervenors to file their cost claims and to respond to any objections raised by Orangeville Hydro.

The Board received cost claims from the SEC and VECC. No comments were received from Orangeville Hydro.

The Board finds the cost claims by SEC and VECC to be reasonable and that Orangeville Hydro shall reimburse the costs, as noted below.

THE BOARD ORDERS THAT:

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

School Energy Coalition \$12,582.65; and

Vulnerable Energy Consumers Coalition \$12,261.57.

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

DATED at Toronto, April 1, 2010

ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

Original signed by

Kirsten Walli Board Secretary