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### BY COURIER

February 2, 2011

Ms. Kirsten Walli Secretary Ontario Energy Board Suite 2700, 2300 Yonge Street Toronto, ON. M4P 1E4

Dear Ms. Walli:

# EB-2010-0332 - Hydro One Networks' Board-Approved CDM Programs Application - Application and Evidence and Interrogatory Responses Update Filing

I am attaching two (2) paper copies of the Hydro One Networks' and Hydro One Brampton's updated Application and Prefiled Evidence that was filed with the Board on November 1, 2010 and an update to the Interrogatory Responses that were filed with the Board on January 27, 2011.

### A detailed list of the updates for EB-2010-0332, are provided below:

Exhibit A, Tab 2, Schedule 1 New

Exhibit C1, Tab 1, Schedule 1 Update pages 39, 40

Exhibit I, Tab 3, Schedule 11 Update page 1 Exhibit I, Tab 9, Schedule 20 Update page 1

### A detailed list of the updates for EB-2010-0331, are provided below:

Exhibit A, Tab 1 Schedule 2

Exhibit B, Tab 1, Schedule 1

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Exhibit B, Tab 1, Schedule 2

Update pages 7, 9

Exhibit B, Tab 2, Schedule 1

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Exhibit C, Tab 1, Schedule 2 Update page 5, 23, 47, 49-51

Exhibit H, Tab 1, Schedule 7 Update page 1-5 Exhibit H, Tab 1, Schedule 25 Update page 1-5



An electronic copy of the complete application, including the attached updates has been filed using the Board's Regulatory Electronic Submission System.
Sincerely,
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Attach

c. Intervenors

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### BY COURIER

November 1, 2010

Ms. Kirsten Walli Board Secretary Ontario Energy Board Suite 2700, 2300 Yonge Street Toronto, ON M4P 1E4

Dear Ms. Walli:

# Hydro One Networks Inc. Filing of CDM Strategy and Application for Board-Approved CDM Programs

Please find attached two paper copies of the confidential version and redacted version of Hydro One Networks Inc.'s CDM Strategy and Application for Board-Approved CDM Programs. In order to uphold the integrity of the RFP process, Hydro One Networks Inc. ("Hydro One") asks for confidential treatment of the unredacted version of the Strategy and Application, specifically Exhibit C, Tab 1, Schedule 1 and 2.

On September 16, 2010, the Ontario Energy Board ("OEB" or "Board") issued the final Conservation and Demand Management ("CDM") Code for Electricity Distributors under Section 70.2 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act*, 1998 ("the Act"). The Board developed the new CDM Code ("the Code") in accordance with the Minister of Energy and Infrastructure's directive dated March 31, 2010, that was issued to the Board under sections 27.1 and 27.2 of the Act.

Hydro One understands that the Code is an important component of the Board's efforts to promote CDM consistent with the Government of Ontario's policies. The purpose of the Code is to set out the obligations and requirements with which licensed distributors must comply in relation to the CDM targets to be set out in their licences, including the filing of a CDM Strategy. The Code also sets out the conditions and rules that licensed distributors are required to follow if they choose to use Board-Approved CDM Programs to meet the CDM Targets.

The attached Plan ("the Plan") combines Hydro One's CDM Strategy and Application for OEB-Approved CDM Programs. It is the result of extensive involvement in the design of programs with the Ontario Power Authority and the Electricity Distributors Association. The Board has directed all electricity distributors to use the proposed CDM targets set out in a letter dated June 22, 2010, and Hydro One's Plan complies with the Board's proposed targets set out therein. The Plan includes a description of how Hydro



One intends to achieve its CDM Targets of 210 MW and 1,014 GWh over the period 2011-2014. The Plan includes all components required by the Code for submission of a CDM Strategy and Board-Approved CDM programs and will help ensure that Hydro One meets its CDM targets in a cost-effective manner and provides value to ratepayers.

The redacted version of the Plan has been filed through the Board's Regulatory Electronic Submission System ("RESS"). After receiving an acknowledgment letter from the Board confirming that the CDM Strategy is complete, Hydro One will make its CDM Plan available for public review at its main office at 483 Bay Street and on its website.

For more information please contact Anne-Marie Reilly at 416-345-6482.

Sincerely,

ORIGINAL SIGNED BY ALLAN COWAN FOR SUSAN FRANK

Susan Frank

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## **EXHIBIT LIST**

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В			Evidence
	1	1	2011 to 2014 Conservation and Demand Management Plan Summary
		2	2011 to 2014 Conservation and Demand Management Strategy
	2	1	2011 to 2014 Conservation and Demand Management Budget for Board-Approved Programs and Cost Recovery
C			Supporting Material
	1	1	Detailed Description of OPA-Contracted CDM Programs
		2	Detailed Description of Board-Approved CDM Programs

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Targeting, Small Commercial Energy Management and Load Control, Municipal and Hospital Energy Efficiency Performance, and Double Return Plus.

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4. Hydro One seeks approval of its Board-Approved Conservation and Demand
5 Management Application which will provide \$32.0 million to fund the six Board6 Approved CDM programs that are listed above during the 2011 to 2014 period. The
7 Board's approval will enable payments from the Independent Electricity System Operator
8 (the "IESO") in accordance with section 78.5(1) of the *OEB Act*.

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Hydro One also requests approval of a variance account that will be used to record the difference between the funding awarded for Board–Approved Conservation and Demand Management Programs and the actual spending incurred to carry out these programs.

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6. Hydro One requests a written hearing on this application.

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7. The written evidence filed with the Board may be amended from time to time prior to the Board's final decision on the Application. Further, the Applicant may seek meetings with Board Staff in an attempt to identify and reach agreements to settle issues arising out of this Application.

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8. Hydro One requests that a copy of all documents filed with the Board by each party to this Application be served on the Applicant and the Applicant's counsel as follows:

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a) The Applicant:

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Ms. Anne-Marie Reilly
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Society of Management Accounts, Toronto, Ontario

### **INDUSTRY EXPERIENCE**

2005 – present	Director, Strategy and Conservation Officer
2001 - 2005	Director, Strategy
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1995 – 1998	Senior Financial Strategist
1993 – 1995	Manager, Finance
1989 – 1993	Budgets and OEB
1985 – 1989	Supervisor, Corporate Accounting
1982 - 1985	Analyst

### APPEARANCE(S) BEFORE THE ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD:

RP-2004-0203: Application by Hydro One Networks Inc. and Hydro One Brampton

Networks Inc. for a Final Order Pre-approving their Conservation and

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Hydro One Networks

From Apr 2010 – present Manager, Business Integration

From May 2006 – Mar 2010 Manager, Conservation Demand Management

**OPA** 

From Aug 2005 – Apr 2006 Director, Commercial & Institutional Programs,

Conservation Bureau

Kinetrics Inc.

From May 2003 – Aug 2005 Manager

Enbridge Gas Distribution

From 1998 – 2003 Marketing Manager, Commercial & Industrial

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From 1997 – 1998 Energy Management Consultant

Ontario Hydro International Inc. (OHII)

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### APPEARANCE(S) BEFORE THE ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD:

EB-2005-0489 Ontario Power Authority seeking approval of its fiscal year 2006 expenditures and revenue requirements

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# 2011 TO 2014 CONSERVATION AND DEMAND MANAGEMENT PLAN SUMMARY

On September 16, 2010, the Ontario Energy Board ("OEB" or "Board") issued the final Conservation and Demand Management ("CDM") Code for Electricity Distributors under Section 70.2 of the Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998 ("the Act"). The Board developed the new CDM Code ("the Code") in accordance with the Minister of Energy and Infrastructure's directive dated March 31, 2010, that was issued to the Board under sections 27.1 and 27.2 of the Act. The directive set out the total of the CDM Targets that the must be allocated to respective distributors. A reduction of 1,330 MW and 6,000 GWh is required on a Province-wide basis by the end of 2014. 

Hydro One Networks Inc. ("Hydro One") understands that the Code is an important component of the Board's efforts to promote CDM consistent with the Government of Ontario's policies. The purpose of the Code is to set out the obligations and requirements with which licensed distributors must comply in relation to the CDM targets to be set out in their licences, including the filing of a CDM Strategy. The Code also sets out the conditions and rules that licensed distributors are required to follow if they choose to use Board-Approved CDM Programs to meet the CDM Targets.

Hydro One's Plan ("the Plan") combines Hydro One's CDM Strategy and Application for Board-Approved CDM Programs. It leverages Hydro One's extensive experience in developing, implementing and managing CDM programs in Ontario. It also leverages Hydro One's extensive involvement in the design of programs with the Ontario Power Authority and the Electricity Distributors Association, as well as consultations with the Coalition of Large Distributors, Enbridge Gas Distribution and Union Gas Limited. The Plan includes a description of how Hydro One intends to achieve its CDM Targets of 210 MW and 1,014 GWh over the period 2011-2014. The Plan includes all components required by the Code for submission of a CDM Strategy and Application for Board-

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Approved CDM programs. (More information on the filing requirement is attached to this

exhibit as Appendix A.) The Plan provides a detailed roadmap to ensure that Hydro One

meets its CDM targets in a cost-effective manner and provides value to ratepayers.

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5 Hydro One will take full advantage of the OPA-Contracted CDM Programs, which are

expected to achieve approximately 80% of Hydro One's CDM targets. To achieve the

remaining 20%, Hydro One will undertake Board-Approved CDM programs. Figure 1

summarizes Hydro One's anticipated peak savings, and energy savings achievements for

OPA Contracted and Board-Approved CDM Programs for the 2011 to 2014 period.

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Figure 1 - Annual Peak and Energy Savings from OPA-Contracted and Board-Approved CDM Programs

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Savings	2011	2012	2013	2014	Total (2011- 2014)
Peak (kW) cumulative					
savings	42,000	94,000	150,000	210,000	210,000
Annual Energy savings					
(MWh)	96,000	216,000	324,000	437,000	1,073,000

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Figure 2 summarizes annual milestones for the combination of OPA-Contracted and Board

Approved CDM Programs and shows that 100% of Hydro One's targets will be reached by

17 the end of 2014.

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Figure 2 – Annual Milestones

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Milestone	2011	2012	2013	2014
Stage	Stage 1 -	Stage 2 -	Stage 3 –	Stage 4 –
	Program	Program	Program	Program full
	launch	settle/provide	matures	performance
		fine tuning		
% of target MW	20%	45%	71%	100%
% of target MWh	9%	29%	59%	100%

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- The stages that are identified include initiative launch, fine tuning, settling and full
- 2 performance.

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- 4 The forecasted budget requirement for OPA-Contracted and OEB-Approved programs is
- 5 \$181 million and \$32.0 million respectively.

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- 7 Currently, Hydro One has not included any CDM benefits that may result from the
- 8 implementation of Time-of-Use pricing and the High Five Proposal for its customer base.
- 9 Hydro One may revise its forecast to reflect CDM benefits in the future when more
- information is available on the CDM impacts of Time-of Use pricing and the High Five
- 11 Proposal.

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- 13 Hydro One is applying for six Board-Approved programs:
- Community Education
- Neighbourhood Benchmarking
- Monitoring and Targeting
- Small Commercial Energy Management and Load Control
- Municipal and Hospital Energy Efficiency Performance
- Double Return Plus

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- The costs of the above programs are reflected in this Application. Detailed information on
- each proposed Board-Approved Program can be found at Exhibit B, Tab 1, Schedule 2,
- Section 4 and Exhibit C, Tab 1, Schedule 2.

- In addition, Hydro One has a number of potential Board-Approved CDM programs that are
- currently under development. These include the Residential Voltage Reduction, Electric
- 27 Thermal Storage, Home Energy Retrofit and Compressed Air programs. While this set of
- potential Board-Approved Programs is not included as part of the Application at this time,

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- Hydro One may file a Board-Approved CDM Program application for these and other
- 2 potential Board-Approved Programs at a future date, if required.

- 4 Hydro One views the proposed Board-Approved CDM Programs as a key element for
- 5 meeting its distributor licence condition. These proposed programs are cost-effective, as
- 6 they have all passed both the Total Resource Cost ("TRC") Test and the Program
- 7 Administration Cost ("PAC") Test. In addition to quantifiable energy and peak demand
- savings, they will provide additional benefits such as customer satisfaction, CDM
- 9 sustainability, market transformation and engagement of all customer types.

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### 2 APPENDIX A

### FILING REQUIREMENT

The final Conservation and Demand Management ("CDM") Code issued by the Board on September 16, 2010, sets out the filing requirements for both the CDM Strategy and the Board-Approved CDM Programs Application. This 2011 to 2014 Hydro One CDM Plan was prepared in accordance with the filing requirements set out by the CDM Code. The Plan combines the Company's CDM Strategy and Application for the Board-Approved CDM Programs and includes all components required by the CDM Code.

Table 1 and Table 2 illustrate that all components required by the CDM Code are addressed in this Hydro One CDM Plan:

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**Table 1 – Filing Requirements for CDM Strategy** 

Filing Requirement from CDM Code	Hydro C	ne's Cl	DM Plan	
CDM Strategy Template -				
CZ12 Stategy Tempano	Exhibit	Tab	Schedule	Section
1. Distributor's Name:	A	1	2	
2. Total Reduction in Peak Provincial Electricity Demand (MW) Target:	В	1	2	
3. Total Reduction in Electricity Consumption (kWh) Target:	В	1	2	
4. CDM Strategy				
4.1 Provide a high level description of how the distributor plans to meet its CDM Targets over the 4-year period. The description must include the following elements:				
(a) a division of the CDM Strategy into a year by year plan; and	В	1	1 & 2	
<ul><li>(b) a statement of the annual milestones the distributor plans to achieve.</li><li>5. OPA-Contracted Province-Wide CDM Programs</li></ul>	В	1	1 & 2	
5.1 Describe, to the extent known, the OPA-Contracted Province-Wide CDM Programs the distributor plans to undertake from 2011-2014. The following information must be provided for each program				
(a) program name;	C	1	1	
(b) year(s) of operation for the program;	C	1	1	
(c) program description (i.e., purpose of the program, target customer type(s));	C	1	1	
(d) where the information is available, the projected budget;	В	1	2	3
(e) where the information is available, the total projected reduction in peak provincial electricity demand (kW); and	В	1	2	3
<ul><li>(f) where the information is available, the total projected reduction in electricity consumption (MWh).</li><li>6. Potential Board-Approved CDM Programs</li></ul>	В	1	2	3
6.1 Describe, to the extent known, the potential Board-Approved CDM Programs the distributor plans to undertake from 2011-2014. The following information must be provided for each program:				
(a) program name;	C	1	2	
(b) year(s) of operation for the program;	C	1	2	
(c) program description (i.e., purpose of the program, target customer type(s));	С	1	2	
(d) where the information is available, the projected budget;	С	1	2	
(e) where the information is available, the total projected reduction in peak provincial electricity demand (kW); and	C	1	2	
(f) where the information is available, the total projected reduction in electricity consumption (MWh). 7. Program Mix	C	1	2	
7.1 Provide a description of how the distributor will ensure that CDM Programs will be offered for all customer type(s), including low income customers, in the distributor's service area, as far as is appropriate and reasonable having regard to the composition of the distributor's customer base. If the distributor will not offer any CDM Programs to a particular customer type, the distributor must provide the rationale for why it is appropriate and reasonable not to have CDM Programs for that type of customer.	В	1	2	5
8. CDM Programs Co-ordination				
8.1 Describe, where applicable, how the distributor will pursue administrative efficiencies and co-ordinate its CDM activities with other distributors, natural gas distributors, social service agencies, any level of government, government agencies, and the OPA.	В	1	2	6

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## **Table 2 – Filing Requirements for Board-Approved CDM Programs Application**

Filing Requirement from the CDM Code	Hydro O	ne's CI	OM Plan
Section 3.1.4. from the CDM Code	Exhibit	Tab	Schedule
A distributor's application for a proposed Board-Approved CDM Program must include the following:  (a) a program evaluation plan, based on the OPA's EM&V Protocols, for each program;  (b) a boxed to each program which shall be completed by using the OPA's Cost Effectiveness.	С	1	2
(b) a benefit-cost analysis of each program which shall be completed by using the OPA's Cost Effectiveness Tests;	C	1	2
(c) a detailed explanation of the program's objective(s) and method of delivery; (d) the types of customers targeted by the program;	C C	1 1	2 2
(e) a forecasted number of participants that the distributor expects will participate in the program;	C	1	2
(e) the total projected peak demand savings (kW) and electricity savings (kWh) per year, or if the program is for less than one year, the total projected peak demand savings (kW) and electricity savings (kWh) for the duration of the program;	С	1	2
(f) a complete projected annual budget for each of the distributor's CDM Programs, including the following information:			
(i) projected expenditures incurred on an annual basis, for each year of the CDM Programs, separated into customer incentive costs and program costs;	C	1	2
(ii) a division of program costs into Marginal Costs and Allocable Costs incurred as a result of program implementation;	C	1	2
(iii) information on the allocation of total expenditures incurred by targeted customer types for each direct projected expenditure; and	C	1	2
(iv) total projected expenditures for each program evaluation conducted; and (g) a statement that confirms that the distributor has used the OPA's Measures and Assumptions Lists or if the distributor has varied from the OPA's Measures and Assumptions Lists, the distributor must:	С	1	2
(i) appropriately justify the reason for varying from the OPA's Measures and Assumptions Lists in the application;	C	1	2
(ii) provide the technical assumptions and substantiating data that the distributor used; and	C	1	2
(iii) provide a statement that the distributor has followed the OPA's EM&V Protocols for custom measures not included in the OPA's Measures and Assumptions Lists.	С	1	2

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# 2011 TO 2014 CONSERVATION AND DEMAND MANAGEMENT STRATEGY

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### 1.0 INTRODUCTION

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- The specific CDM energy and peak savings targets allocated by the Board to Hydro One are 1,014 GWh and 210 MW respectively. The Hydro One Conservation and Demand Management ("CDM") Strategy provides a description of how Hydro One intends to
- achieve its CDM Targets over the 2011–2014 period. It provides a basis for the activities
- required to achieve the Hydro One CDM targets, while also aligning with the Company's
- strategic drivers of Innovation, Stewardship, Excellence and Safety. This Strategy is also
- consistent with the Ontario Government's vision of a conservation-oriented and more
- environmentally-conscious Province.

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- 15 The Strategy addresses the following:
- Factors considered in developing the Hydro One CDM Strategy
- An overview of the OPA-Contracted Programs that Hydro One will undertake
- An overview of the proposed OEB-Approved Programs that have been developed
- How CDM programs will be offered to all customer types
- How Hydro One coordinated with other LDCs and Stakeholders
- How Hydro One plans to monitor and control the programs

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### 2.0 FACTORS CONSIDERED IN DEVELOPING THE HYDRO ONE CDM

### 24 STRATEGY

- 26 Hydro One has taken into account a number of factors in developing the Hydro One CDM
- 27 Strategy. The following section discusses the key aspects that were considered by Hydro
- One to ensure that the CDM Strategy is comprehensive and prudent:

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### Identify and Understand CDM Potential

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The first step in developing the CDM strategy was to examine Hydro One's service territory 3 and customer base from a CDM perspective. Hydro One extended its end-use analysis to 4 further understand its customer base. Customer surveys were also conducted to gain a better 5 understanding of Hydro One customer perspectives on CDM. The results of these surveys 6 provided insight into what energy efficiency measures have already been undertaken by 7 customers, what measures they are planning to take in the near future, and what type of 8 CDM programs would be of interest to them. Also, a third party consultant was retained to 9 prepare an analysis of CDM potential in Hydro One's service territory. The consultant's 10 analysis indicated that approximately 71% of Hydro One's CDM target can be achieved 11 through OPA-Contracted Programs and that the implementation of Board-Approved 12 Programs is essential for Hydro One to achieve its allocated CDM targets. In addition, the 13 consultant study provided a list of potential CDM measures that are suitable for Hydro 14 One's service territory and demographics. All of the information gathered was used to build 15 the mix of OPA-Contracted and OEB-Approved programs that are best-suited to achieve the 16 mandated CDM Targets. 17

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### Develop Non-Duplicative Board-Approved Programs

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The CDM code stipulates that distributors cannot apply for Board-Approved programs that duplicate existing OPA-Contracted CDM programs.

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Hydro One has acquired extensive understanding of the OPA-Contracted CDM Programs through its participation in the OPA design working groups. This knowledge, coupled with a comprehensive understanding of Hydro One's customers within its service territory, allowed Hydro One to identify the CDM potential that is not addressed by the existing OPA-Contracted CDM programs.

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- All Board-Approved CDM programs proposed in this Application are designed to target
- these "untapped" areas and they are not duplicative of the existing OPA-Contracted CDM
- programs. The distinctions between these Board-Approved Programs and the existing OPA-
- 4 Contracted CDM Programs are further discussed in section 4 of this exhibit. Detailed
- 5 descriptions of both the OPA-Contracted Programs and the requested Board-Approved
- 6 Programs can be found at Exhibit C, Tab 1, Schedules 1 and 2, respectively.

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### Leverage Extensive Experience and Proven Success

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Hydro One has extensive experience in developing, implementing and delivering CDM initiatives. Since 2005, Hydro One has actively and effectively served its diverse customer base through a range of CDM programs and initiatives that addressed their diverse needs. Hydro One brought over 25 CDM programs/initiatives to over one million customers across all sectors. These programs achieved annualized savings of 284 GWh and resulted in over 67 MW in peak demand savings over the period to March 2008. In 2008 and 2009, Hydro One developed and submitted custom CDM programs to the OPA, of which Double Return was implemented and has proven to be a great success. Many of these programs were considered as leading edge and have been emulated by other utilities throughout North America. This success has also been shared across Ontario, as several of Hydro One's programs have been adopted by the Ontario Power Authority as LDC-delivered or OPA-delivered programs.

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In 2010, Hydro One participated in every Province-wide working group for designing the OPA Province-Wide Contracted Programs. Hydro One's expertise has been instrumental in the development of these programs. While developing the 2011 to 2014 CDM program portfolio, Hydro One built on its extensive CDM experience to produce a set of CDM programs that will meet the needs of its diverse set of customers and deliver sustainable peak and energy savings in a cost-effective manner.

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### Achieving Cost Effectiveness

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- 3 Cost effectiveness is an important element of Hydro One's CDM program portfolio, which
- 4 consists of both OPA-Contracted Province-Wide and Board-Approved CDM Programs.

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- The cost effectiveness of all OPA-Contracted CDM Programs has been verified by the OPA.
- 7 Hydro One plans to take full advantage of all these cost effective OPA-Contracted CDM
- programs, which are expected to help achieve approximately 80% of the Hydro One CDM
- 9 targets.

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- Hydro One plans to achieve the rest of the CDM target (approximately 20%) by designing
- and implementing Board-Approved CDM Programs. All requested Board-Approved CDM
- programs included in this Application are cost-effective, as required by the CDM Code.
- 14 They have passed both the Total Resource Cost ("TRC") Test and the Program
- Administration Cost ("PAC") Test. The results of the TRC and PAC tests for each Board-
- Approved Program can be found at Exhibit C, Tab 1, Schedule 2. In addition, Hydro One
- has monitoring and control processes in place to help ensure that the cost-effectiveness
- results remain in line with estimates.

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Maximize Administrative Efficiency

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- Hydro One is a member of both the Electric Distributors Association ("EDA") and the
- 23 Coalition of Large Distributors ("CLD") and has been working closely with both
- organizations on this current CDM Strategy.

- During the program design stage, Hydro One considered opportunities to maximize
- 27 administrative efficiencies and synergies (e.g. working with gas distributors, electricity
- distributors, social service agencies, joint RFP, deployment, delivery). Therefore, all
- 29 current requested Board-Approved CDM programs in this Application have the flexibility

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- built in to allow uptake by distributors and other agencies. This list of potential Board-
- 2 Approved CDM programs has also been shared with all CLD members. Hydro One expects
- material uptake from other distributors, as a number of members have already expressed
- 4 interest in these programs.

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- 6 All currently requested Board-Approved CDM Programs are economic, as they have passed
- the cost-effectiveness tests (TRC and PAC). To the extent that there is future uptake from
- 8 other distributors, that future uptake will increase overall administrative efficiency and
- 9 improve the cost-effectiveness measures for these programs. Any subsequent material
- reduction in future program expenditures will be reported to the OEB as part of the annual
- 11 CDM report submission.

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### Ensure CDM Program Coverage for All Customer Types

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- Hydro One has ensured that CDM programs are offered for all customers types, including
- low income customers, in its service area. In addition to the existing OPA-Contracted
- 17 CDM programs, a suite of distinct Board-Approved CDM programs was developed to
- address Hydro One's specific customer types and segments. This rich mix of programs (both OPA-Contracted and Board-Approved) will ensure that the diverse needs of all Hydro
- One's customers are met. Please refer to Figure 6 in Section 5 of this Exhibit, which shows
- the extensive coverage for residential, commercial and industrial customers.

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### Ensure that Potential Risks can be Mitigated

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- 25 Hydro One is fully committed to achieving its CDM target. Risk mitigation is essential to
- ensuring success. Hydro One has identified the following activities that are intended to
- 27 mitigate potential risks:
  - Hydro One has relied on its extensive experience and proven success to identify and
- design effective programs.

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- An ongoing tracking and review process has been developed to provide early detection of differences between program plans and actual experience.
- Hydro One has developed a diverse CDM program portfolio that covers multiple customer segments and demographics to minimize the risk of differences between program plans and actual experience.
- Hydro One will implement design adjustment plans, leveraging existing tools, to promptly address any differences between program plans and actual experience.
- In addition to the requested Board-Approved CDM Programs that are included in this
  Application, Hydro One is developing other potential Board-Approved CDM Programs
  that can be implemented if required.

### 3.0 OPA-CONTRACTED PROGRAMS

Hydro One intends to take full advantage of the OPA-Contracted Programs, which are expected to deliver approximately 80% of the Hydro One CDM target. This estimate was achieved through a customer-based analysis approach to ensure the integrity of the estimate. As mentioned in Section 2.0 of this document, Hydro One further commissioned a third party consultant to undertake a CDM potential analysis. The results of the consultant's study supported the Company's analysis indicating that, to achieve its target by 2014, Hydro One will need to rely on both OPA-Contracted and OEB-Approved Programs.

Figure 3 provides an overview of the OPA-Contracted programs which Hydro One intends to undertake. Included in the figure are estimates of the projected budget, estimates of total projected reduction in peak demand and total projected reduction in electricity consumption for each of the programs.

The amounts for each OPA-Contracted initiative were derived by applying the estimated percentage of Hydro One participation to the total OPA provincial budget. The OPA is in the process of finalizing the funding mechanism. Any potential changes to the funding

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- mechanism are not expected to be material. As a result, any changes to the requested Board-
- 2 Approved CDM programs will not be significant and will be handled through the proposed
- 3 variance account.

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Figure 3: OPA-Contracted Province-Wide Programs to be Undertaken by Hydro One

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	***Projected Budget	Total Projected Reduction in Peak Provincial Demand (MW)*	Total Projected Reduction in Electricity Consumption (GWh)*					
Residential Program 2011-2014								
Year Round Instant Rebates     (Conservation Card /     Coupon Booklet)		2	95					
2. Bi-Annual Instant Rebate Events (Retailer Events)		_						
3. Appliance Retirement Initiative		3	65					
Bi-annual Appliance     Exchange Events		3	0.5					
5. HVAC On-line Rebates Initiative	18,200,000	9	53					
6. New Construction Initiative		1	11					
7. Midstream Incentives Initiative		1	14					
8. Customer Enabling Initiatives**		n/a	n/a					
9. Low Income Initiative	\$15,000,000	1	27					
10. Residential Demand Response Initiative	\$40,500,000	35	101					
Total Residential Program 2011- 2014	\$73,700,000	51	366					
	Commercial Progra	am, 2011-2014						
11. Commercial and Institutional Initiative		65	399					
12. DR1 Commercial	\$78,800,000	6	0					
13. DR3 Commercial	<u> </u>	7	0					
Total Commercial Program, 2011- 2014	\$78,800,000	78	399					

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	Industrial, 20	11-2014	
14. DR1 Industrial		8	0
15. DR3 Industrial	\$25,000,000	12	0
16. Industrial Accelerator		9	98
17. Industrial ERIP	\$3,400,000	3	31
Total Industrial Program, 2011-2014	\$28,400,000	32	129
Total	\$181,000,000	161	894

<sup>\*</sup> Numbers may not add up due to rounding

\*\*\* Estimated budgets are allocated as a percentage of estimated customer segment participation for each of

the individual initiatives within the province-wide programs. They include costs and incentives paid directly

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The \$181 million is based on the OPA's projected budget for all three CDM programs. The

total budget has been divided between the costs for which the LDCs are responsible (60%

Consumer, 88% Commercial, 88% Industrial) and those for which the OPA is responsible

(40% Consumer, 12% Commercial, 12% Industrial). The LDC portion is then expressed on

a \$/kW basis. These rates were then applied to the projected savings which Hydro One

expects to achieve in all three programs. This produces a budget of \$166 million.

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A total budget of \$181 million was established after adding another \$15 million for the Low

Income Program. The OPA budget for low income is not yet finalized. The \$15 million

budget for low income is based on Hydro One's percentage of the number of customers in

the Province.

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Please refer to Exhibit C, Tab 1, Schedule 1 for detailed program descriptions of the OPA-

20 Contracted Programs.

<sup>2 \*\*</sup> Customer Enabling Initiatives are educational and drive results for the other residential initiatives

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### 4.0 REQUESTED BOARD-APPROVED PROGRAMS

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### 4.1 Need for Board-Approved Programs

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- 5 The March 31, 2010, Directive by the Minister of Energy and Infrastructure allows
- distributors to meet their CDM targets through initiatives under the OPA-Contracted CDM
- Programs and OEB-Approved CDM Programs. The OPA has indicated that its Programs
- are expected to achieve 1,037 MW of the 1,330 MW provincial target, leaving the difference
- 9 to be addressed by other OEB-Approved programs.

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- 11 Hydro One intends to take full advantage of initiatives under OPA-Contracted Programs,
- which are expected to satisfy approximately 80% of the Hydro One CDM target. In
- addition to the OPA-Contracted programs, Hydro One requires a range of OEB-Approved
- Programs in order to satisfy the remainder of its allocated CDM target.

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- 16 Hydro One has reviewed a range of programs as potential OEB-Approved Programs.
- Based on an extensive review of potential programs, Hydro One has prioritized the six
- programs that appear in Figure 4 for OEB approval.

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**Figure 4: Board-Approved CDM Programs** 

Program Name	Projected Budget (\$)	Total Projected	Total Projected	Cost Effectiveness Tests	
		Reduction in Peak Provincial Demand (MW)	Reduction in Electricity Consumption (GWh)	TRC Ratio	PAC Ratio
Community					
Education Events	1,350,000	0.2	10	1.7	1.6
Neighborhood					
Benchmarking	3,150,000	2	61	1.2	1.2
Monitoring &					
Targeting	4,250,000	5	10	1.6	1.5
Small Commercial Energy Management and Load Control	15,200,000	20	20	1.7	1.9
Municipal and Hospital Energy Efficiency					
Performance	3,950,000	1	26	1.4	1.1
Double Return Plus	4,100,000	21	52	11.3	7.4
Total	32,000,000	49	179		

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As part of Hydro One's process to develop the proposed OEB Approved Programs, the
Company carried out cost effectiveness tests, including Total Resource Cost ("TRC") and
Program Administrative Cost ("PAC") tests. Hydro One has also worked with other
distributors and gas companies in order to maximize program efficiencies. Joint delivery of
Board Approved Programs by CLD members can generate cost efficiencies for CLD
members. Further synergies with the gas companies are also being investigated to further

The MW and GWh estimates are based on past programs' EM&V (e.g. Double Return) and data from third party consultants.

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- enhance the "one stop shop" concept with customers and to increase customer engagement
- 2 and cost efficiency.

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- The Program mix of the proposed OEB Approved Programs is essential for Hydro One to
- 5 meet its CDM target. These programs offer a range of benefits including engagement of all
- 6 customer sectors, CDM sustainability, and market transformation.

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- 8 The requested Board-Approved programs also address customer needs that are not currently
- 9 met by the OPA-Contracted Programs. These programs are expected to help pave the way
- for a new level of CDM commitment for LDCs, as envisioned by the *Green Energy and*
- 11 Green Economy Act. OEB-Approved Programs are a key component for Hydro One to
- meet its CDM requirements as set out by its distributor's licence conditions.

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- The requested Board-Approved programs address all customer segments of residential,
- commercial of various sized-businesses, and industrial. In addition to the cost-effectiveness
- and demand and energy savings of the proposed programs, several other factors were also
- considered. For example, the Community Education program addresses customers in "hard-
- to-reach" areas with low customer densities such as rural communities, while the
- Neighborhood Benchmarking program is the only program that addresses behavioural
- 20 changes based on peer comparisons and influence.

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- Other programs, such as the Double Return Plus, empower customers to manage and reduce
- their own peak demand (as compared to other dispatchable demand response programs).
- This program will achieve reductions that stem from the customer's behavioral change, and
- 25 promise persistent results that are expected to go beyond the life of the program. The
- Double Return Plus program will achieve high TRC and PAC ratios. It is intended to meet
- 27 most of the untapped potential for customers to reduce their peak demand.

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The Small Commercial Energy Management and Load Control program will provide

2 programs for small commercial customers. The small commercial customer group requires a

3 robust program to encourage them to participate in CDM initiatives. This program

4 represents a threshold investment to engage this group of customers.

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A key feature of the requested Board-Approved programs is integrating conservation and

demand management in customers' day-to-day operations as individuals and as businesses

irrespective of their size. These program features are expected to help transform the CDM

market in general as well as assist Hydro One to better address its customers' CDM needs

and achieve its mandated CDM targets.

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Figure 5 provides an overview of the annual MW and MWh savings and the projected cost

budgets for the Board Approved Programs.

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Figure 5: Board-Approved CDM Programs (Annual Results and Budget)

· ·	2011	2012	2013	2014	Total
Peak (MW) cumulative savings	12	25	37	49	49
Annual Energy savings (MWh)	19,000	43,000	54,000	64,000	179,000
Total Budget (\$M)	\$6.0	\$8.3	\$8.9	\$8.8	\$32.0

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Please refer to Exhibit C, Tab 1, Schedule 2 for the program descriptions for all of the OEB-

18 Approved Programs.

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### 4.2 Non-duplication with OPA-Contracted Program Initiatives

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- 3 All Board-Approved CDM programs proposed in this Application were designed to target
- 4 customer segments and/or customer needs that have not been addressed by the existing OPA
- 5 programs and therefore they are not duplicative of the OPA CDM programs. Detailed
- descriptions of both the OPA Programs and the requested Board-Approved Programs can be
- found in Exhibit C, Tab 1, Schedule 1 and 2. As compared to OPA-Contracted Programs,
- 8 Hydro One's proposed OEB-Approved Programs have the following distinct value
- 9 proposition to Hydro One's customers.

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### Community Education

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- 13 The OPA-Contracted programs do not provide an initiative similar to the Community
- 14 Education Program. This program focuses on customer education and promotes the
- exchange of information between the utility and its customers at local community events.
- This program relies on a face-to-face interaction with the customer, which has proven
- successful in changing social norms and influencing customer behavior for Hydro One
- customers. This approach is especially needed to address customers in "hard-to-reach", low
- customer density (i.e. rural communities) areas.

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- The OPA-Contracted Consumer Enabling Initiative offers online educational tools and does
- 22 not address face-to-face interaction. Only approximately 50% of Hydro One's customers
- have high-speed online services at home.

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Neighbourhood Benchmarking (also known as Social Benchmarking)

- Neighbourhood Benchmarking is non-duplicative from all OPA-Contracted Program, as it is
- the only program that addresses behavioural changes based on peer comparisons and
- influence. This program provides customers with a customized home energy report that offers

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- insights about their individual energy use as well as a comparison with their neighbourhood
- energy use. Customer load profile data collected from the smart meter will be used to help
- 3 identify areas of opportunity for conservation and recommendations will be specifically
- tailored to meet the needs of the specific customer.

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- 6 Neighbourhood Benchmarking has proven successful in other jurisdictions, where
- 7 pilots/programs have shown that significant savings can be achieved from "benchmarking"
- 8 individuals' consumption relative to that of their neighbours.

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### Monitoring and Targeting (M&T)

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This program is non-duplicative of OPA-Contracted Programs, as it provides a monitoring and targeting system to customers with less than 15 GWh consumption. This customer segment has been excluded from participating in the Industrial Accelerator Program. M&T offers software which measures energy efficiency per unit of production. This provides a baseline against which improvements are measured. By continually monitoring energy efficiency, customers are enabled to track and adjust their consumption.

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The proposed M&T program provides funding for the adoption of a monitoring and targeting system that helps medium-sized commercial and industrial customers to better understand their energy performance, to benchmark their consumption against other similar businesses for best practices, and to achieve sustainable proactive behavioural and process changes. Under the Industrial Accelerator OPA Program, M&T equipment is provided only to industrial customers with energy consumption of at least 15 GWh and with average peak load of 200 kW and above. This program extends the sustainable behavioural change to industrial customers who would not have access to M&T systems under the Industrial Accelerator Program. The M&T educational and coaching approach aims at influencing the leaders and the middle management of the respective organizations to support CDM, an approach that is provided only by this program to achieve sustainable results.

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### Small Commercial Energy Management and Load Control

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- The Small Commercial Demand Response Program is distinct from other OPA-Contracted
- 4 programs as it targets small commercial customers (between 50kW and 200kW) that are not
- 5 currently provided with load control and energy management offerings from other programs.

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- 7 This program will also be extended to smaller commercial customers (below 50 kW). The
- 8 needs of this distinct customer segment will not be met under the enhanced OPA Province-
- 9 Wide program (which is designed to meet residential needs) as supported by the projected
- uptake of just 1% by the small commercial customer segment.

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- Under this program, customers are offered Energy Management System (EMS) devices that
- are activated with a programmable feature that meets their business needs during business
- 14 hours.

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- The business needs of the small business customer are sensitive to time-of-use ("TOU") rates.
- Accordingly, this program allows the customer to shift and/or reduce their load from on-peak
- to off-peak periods to take advantage of the TOU rate structure.

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Municipal and Hospital Energy Efficiency Performance

- The Municipal and Hospital Energy Efficiency Performance Program provides financial
- 23 rewards to Municipal and Hospital customers for overall electrical energy efficiency
- reductions within facilities and across their portfolio of accounts. This program is not
- duplicative of the OPA Commercial CDM Programs because it focuses on overall energy
- 26 efficiency performance whereas the OPA Commercial CDM Programs focus on savings
- 27 achieved solely by technology efficiency or equipment replacement. The program will offer
- the key elements required to assist this financially constrained sector in the pursuit of

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sustained and deeper energy savings beyond traditional or proposed Province-wide CDM

2 programs.

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As a program participant, the customer is committed to, and incented for continuous energy 4 efficiency actions and improvements year over year. Participants will be required to sign a 5 Memorandum of Understanding ("MoU") committing to the development of a 6 comprehensive Energy Conservation Action Plan and are asked to commit to participation 7 in the program until December 31, 2014. The program will assist participants to develop 8 and implement energy management processes that include ongoing electrical consumption 9 benchmarking, as well as employee engagement and training, behavioural changes and 10 commitment from all levels of the organization. The focus on continuous energy 11 management process is expected to produce sustainable behavioral change with persistent 12 energy and demand savings. The comprehensive approach of this program is expected to 13 transform these segments of the broader public sector by going beyond technology based 14 incentives to embed energy efficiency and conservation as a core best practice among 15

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This program could be further extended to the other public sector institutions.

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### Double Return Plus

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The Double Return Plus Program is not duplicative of the OPA Demand Response Programs because it is based on non-dispatchable load control and it also aims at reducing energy consumption. By contrast, the OPA Province-wide Demand Response programs are based on dispatchable load control and, as a result, have minimal energy savings. Non-dispatchable load control means that it is left to the customers' discretion whether they wish to reduce their peak demand and the time at which they reduce demand given the customers business needs and production cycles. Dispatchable load control, on the other hand, means that the customer must respond to the IESO's request that they curtail a contracted amount

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of their load or face penalties (e.g., under Demand Response 3) for not doing so. Another

difference between the two programs is that the Double Return Plus initiative provides an

incentive to customers for reducing their own peak demand which may occur at a different

4 time than the system peak demand. The OPA Demand Response programs specifically

target system peak demand. Further, a key requirement of the Double Return Plus program

is that it excludes those customers who have signed up for either the OPA Demand

7 Response 1 or Demand Response 3 programs.

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The proposed Double Return program is a commercial and industrial (C/I customers with average demand above 200kW) demand response and energy efficiency initiative that attempts to reduce the system peak load and energy consumption through behavioural changes and/or a load balancing system. This program also provides participants with a range of behind-the-meter customer services, including energy efficiency education, site-specific technical assistance, employee engagement tools, and customer specific online load tracking information. The objective of this program is to allow the customer to reduce their own peak demand which may occur at a different time than the system peak demand. This approach provides the customers with more flexibility and options to manage their facilities and therefore it is expected to improve energy efficiency, encourage behaviour changes, produce more sustainable and persistent energy and demand savings, and lower the overall system peak demand.

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It should be noted the OPA had already approved the Double Return Program as a Custom

Program distinct from the OPA's Demand Response 1/Demand Response 3 programs, and

all three programs coexisted in the marketplace in 2008 and 2009.

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#### 5.0 PROGRAM MIX

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Hydro One currently serves approximately 1.2 million customers. Although there is a diverse mix of urban, rural, and remote customers in Hydro One's service territory, most of

them can be classified as rural. Hydro One's distribution facilities are the backbone of

Ontario's electricity system and cover 75% of the Province's geography and serve about

25% of the Province's customers. Based on Hydro One's customer database, there are

approximately 1.1 million residential customers (930,000 year round and 160,000 seasonal)

and 110,000 general service customers in its service area (approximately 100,000 below 50

10 kW and 10,000 above 50 kW).

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Unlike most distributors in Ontario, Hydro One is a winter-peaking utility due to a relatively higher penetration of residential electric space and water heating and lower usage/saturation of air conditioning.

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#### Hydro One's Diverse CDM Program Portfolio

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Hydro One's CDM program portfolio provides offerings to all customer types in its service area. In addition to the existing OPA-Contracted CDM programs, a suite of distinct Board-Approved CDM programs was developed to address Hydro One's specific customer types and segments. This rich mix of programs (both OPA-Contracted and Board-Approved) will help ensure that the diverse needs of all Hydro One's customers are met.

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Hydro One's portfolio of 2011-2014 Residential Programs encourages customers, including low-income customers, to purchase and install energy efficient products and empowers them with the tools they need to reduce energy and save money. These programs will help drive the homes of the future toward being smart, integrated and efficient.

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- Hydro One's portfolio of CDM programs also cater to the unique needs of its business
- 2 customers. For example, the OPA "Commercial Program" is directed at Hydro One's small
- business customers and, also offers specific technologies to Hydro One's agricultural
- 4 customers. In addition, Hydro One's portfolio includes an innovative program for the
- institutional sector, based on energy performance that rewards municipalities and hospitals
- 6 for their energy efficiency efforts.

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- 8 Hydro One's industrial programs provide operational improvements for energy efficiency,
- 9 as well as peak demand reductions.

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- As part of the tracking and review process, all CDM programs will be monitored closely on
- an ongoing basis. Performance issues related to specific customer types or segments will be
- corrected by adjusting current programs and/or implementing additional programs or
- delivery strategies. This will ensure complete coverage of all Hydro One's customer base.

- Figure 6 provides a summary of Hydro One's CDM Program Portfolio coverage by
- customer type:

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Figure 6: CDM Program Coverage by Customer Type

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CDM Programs / Customer Types		Residential		Industrial
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	Regular	Low Income	Agricultural)	
OPA Programs				
1 Year Round Instant Rebates (Conservation Card / Coupon Booklet)	$\sqrt{}$	$\sqrt{}$		
2 Bi-Annual Instant Rebate Event (Retailer Event)	$\sqrt{}$	$\sqrt{}$		
3 Appliance Retirement Initiative	$\sqrt{}$	$\sqrt{}$		
4 Bi-annual Appliance Exchange Events	$\sqrt{}$	$\sqrt{}$		
5 HVAC On-line Rebates Initiative	$\sqrt{}$	$\sqrt{}$		
6 New Construction Initiative	$\sqrt{}$	$\sqrt{}$		
7 Midstream Incentives Initiative	$\sqrt{}$	$\sqrt{}$		
8 Customer Enabling Initiatives*	$\sqrt{}$	$\sqrt{}$		
9 Low Income Initiative		$\sqrt{}$		
10 Residential Demand Response Initiative		$\sqrt{}$		
11 Commercial and Institutional Initiative			$\checkmark$	
12 Demand Response 1 - Commercial			$\checkmark$	
13 Demand Response 3 - Commercial			$\checkmark$	
14 Demand Response 1 - Industrial				$\sqrt{}$
15 Demand Response 3 - Industrial				$\sqrt{}$
16 Industrial Accelerator				$\sqrt{}$
17 Industrial ERIP				$\sqrt{}$
Board-Approved Programs				
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2 Neighbourhood Benchmarking	, V	, V		
3 Monitoring and Targeting	,	,	$\sqrt{}$	$\sqrt{}$
4 Small Commercial Energy Management and Load Control			v.	,
5 Municipal and Hospital Energy Efficiency Performance			v.	
6 Double Return Plus			v.	$\sqrt{}$

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## First Nations and Métis Customers

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According to the OPA target allocation methodology (see "Appendix B - Advice to the Ontario Energy Board: CDM Target Allocation for Ontario LDCs" from the Board's Memo to all distributors, dated June 22, 2010), the aggregate Local Distribution Company ("LDC") Provincial CDM savings target (6,000 GWh and 1,330 MW) does not include the savings from the OPA–funded Aboriginal Conservation Program. The OPA is responsible for delivering the OPA-funded Aboriginal Conservation Program to Ontario's First Nations and

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Métis population. Distributors are not responsible for achieving the savings from this 1

program. 2

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- Hydro One currently has over 20,000 First Nations and Métis customers in its service 4
- territory, and they consume about 1.5% of the total electricity delivered. While all 5
- residential CDM programs will be offered to this group of customers, Hydro One does not 6
- plan to design and deliver any "First Nation-specific" CDM programs in its service area 7
- since the OPA has the accountability to do so. 8

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#### 6.0 COORDINATION

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#### Hydro One's Past CDM Involvement

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Over the past years, Hydro One has played a key role in shaping and guiding the development of conservation activities and initiatives in Ontario. Hydro One has been able to assemble a portfolio of innovative and successful conservation programs, many of which are considered as leading edge and have been emulated by other utilities throughout North America.

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This success has been shared across Ontario as several of Hydro One's programs have been 20 adopted by the Ontario Power Authority as LDC-delivered or OPA-delivered programs. In 21 2004/2005, Hydro One embarked on the design of its CDM initiatives which formed a 22 portfolio of programs funded under Market Adjustment Revenue Requirement ("MARR"). 23 The portfolio consisted of a mix of CDM programs across all sectors and some were 24 considered as leading-edge. For example, Hydro One implemented an innovative demand 25 response technology consisting of a web-enabled residential setback thermostat. 26 technologically innovative concept (SmartStat) was subsequently adopted by the OPA and 27 was offered across the Province, as part of the Province-wide PeakSaver initiative. Other 28 examples of leading edge programs which were originally introduced by Hydro One are 29 real-time monitors or In Home Display ("IHD").

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- Hydro One continued to show leadership by working with other distributors in an effort to
- enhance the MARR programs. In 2006 Hydro One worked cooperatively with the CLD
- Group and embarked on an overhaul and redesign of the PowerSaver Business Incentive
- 4 Program. This program was revamped to include many new measures, including, for the
- 5 first time, conservation measures for the agricultural sector. This program was welcomed
- by many of Hydro One's customers in the farming community.

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- 8 Hydro One's concepts and pilot programs helped shape the Province-wide OPA-Contracted
- 9 programs. Hydro One continues to work closely with the OPA in an effort to improve
- existing programs. In a collaborative effort, improvements were made which related to
- program governance, rules, and incentive levels, as well as the inclusion of new
- technologies.

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#### Hydro One's Current and Future CDM Involvement

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- Hydro One has been and continues to be an active participant in all five OPA/LDC working groups. These working groups are tasked with the joint responsibility of a full redesign of
- the existing OPA-Contracted programs for deployment in 2011 2014. Working closely
- with the EDA, CLD Group and gas companies, Hydro One continues to provide valuable
- 20 input and is playing an instrumental role as "leaders of change", helping to reshape
- 21 conservation programs and influence the final outcome of the individual program designs.

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- In June 2010, Hydro One and the gas companies formally joined the Coalition of Large
- Distributors (CLD) in an effort to seek synergies and cost efficiencies in the delivery of
- 25 CDM/DSM programs to customers of both gas and electricity across Ontario.

- Several CLD electricity distributor members have asked Hydro One to share its proposed
- OEB-Approved Programs. Hydro One has shared its proposed initiatives, and several LDCs
- 29 have expressed interest in implementing these programs in their territories.

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- Joint delivery of Board-Approved programs by CLD members can generate cost efficiencies
- for CLD members. Further synergies with the gas companies are also being investigated to
- further enhance the "one stop shop" concept with customers and to increase customer
- 4 engagement and cost-effectiveness.

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- To date, Hydro One has demonstrated its leadership role in the development and
- 7 implementation of CDM initiatives as well as introducing innovation to the CDM portfolio
- 8 in Ontario. Key to this role was Hydro One's collaborative approach with other
- 9 stakeholders including the CLD and other LDCs, gas companies, and the OPA. Hydro One
- will continue to work with other stakeholders to further the CDM portfolio and to meet the
- needs of its customers.

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## 7.0 MONITOR AND CONTROL

- 15 Hydro One plans to closely monitor ongoing and projected CDM expenditures and
- accomplishments. Deviations from plans will be identified and corrective action will be
- taken. Program variances will be reviewed on a regular basis. Any significant change in
- circumstances will be reported to the OEB as part of the annual CDM report submission. In
- the event that fund transfers in excess of 30% are required, Hydro One will make an
- application to the Board as required by section 3.2 of the CDM Code.

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# 2011 TO 2014 CONSERVATION AND DEMAND MANAGEMENT BUDGET FOR BOARD-APPROVED PROGRAMS AND COST RECOVERY

#### 1.0 BOARD APPROVAL OF FUNDING AND VARIANCE ACCOUNT

Hydro One seeks approval of CDM funding for Board-Approved CDM Programs of \$6.0 million for 2011, \$8.3 million for 2012, \$8.9 million for 2013 and \$8.8 million for 2014.

In accordance with the CDM Code, Hydro One follows all of the Board's accounting polices and procedures specified for CDM activities. A fully-allocated costing methodology will be followed, in accordance with Appendix A of the CDM Code, for all CDM programs. Program funding and program expenditures from all Board-Approved CDM Programs will be kept separate from Hydro One's distribution operations.

After Board approval, payments from the Independent Electricity System Operator (the "IESO") in accordance with section 78.5(1) of the *Ontario Energy Board Act*, 1998 will provide \$32.0 million to fund Board-Approved CDM programs during the 2011 to 2014 period.

Hydro One also seeks approval for a Board-Approved CDM Program Variance Account which will be used to record any differences between the funding awarded for Board-Approved CDM Programs and the actual spending for these programs.

#### 2.0 PROPOSED FUNDING PROCESS

In order to enable the completion of the Board Approved Programs, Hydro One requires funding. To achieve the required funding, Hydro One proposes that the funding for 2011 –

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- 2014 Board-Approved CDM Programs be provided at the beginning of each month, over a
- 2 four-year period starting January 1, 2011.

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- The following table provides the breakdown of Hydro One's CDM funding requirement for
- 5 Board-Approved CDM Programs, by year:

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Figure 7: Hydro One's Funding Requirement for Board-Approved CDM Programs

	2011	2012	2013	2014	<b>Total 2011-2014</b>
Funding to be provided annually	\$6,000,000	\$8,300,000	\$8,900,000	\$8,800,000	\$32,000,000
Corresponding monthly payments	\$500,000	\$690,000	\$740,000	\$740,000	

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The proposed monthly payments are determined by dividing the projected annual budget requirement by 12.

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The Board-Approved CDM Program Variance Account will be used to record the difference between the funding awarded and the actual spending incurred. Hydro One proposes that the disposition of any balance in this variance account be dealt with at the end of 2014.

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This variance account will be managed in the same manner as existing Hydro One variance accounts. It will be updated monthly and interest will be applied at the Board-approved rate. Hydro One will make an application to the Board to address the balance in the variance account if it exceeds \$5 million dollars during the 2011 to 2014 period.

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## **HYDRO ONE INITIATIVES UNDER**

## OPA-CONTRACTED PROVINCE-WIDE CDM PROGRAMS

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## **4 Residential Programs**

- 5 1. Year Round Instant Rebates
- 6 2. Bi-Annual Instant Rebate Events
- 7 3. Appliance Retirement Initiative
- 8 4. Bi-Annual Appliance Exchange Events
- 9 5. HVAC On-line Rebates Initiative
- 10 6. New Construction Initiative
- 7. Midstream Incentives Initiative
- 8. Consumer Enabling Initiatives
- 9. Low Income Initiative
- 10. Residential and Small Commercial Demand Response Initiative

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## **Commercial and Institutional Programs**

- 11. Commercial and Institutional Province Wide Initiative
- 12. Demand Response 1 ("DR1") Commercial
- 19 13. Demand Response 3 ("DR3") Commercial

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## 21 Industrial Programs

- 14. DR1 Industrial
- 15. DR3 Industrial
- 16. Industrial Accelerator
- 25 17. Industrial ERIP

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**Initiative Number:** 1

5 Initiative Name: YEAR ROUND INSTANT REBATES

Conservation Card / Coupon Booklet

7 **Year(s) of Operation for the Initiative:** 2011-2014

8 **Initiative Frequency:** Year round

9 **Target Customer Type(s):** Residential Customers

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## **Initiative Description:**

This is an energy efficiency initiative that provides customers with year round instant rebates at participating retailers for a variety of low cost, easy to install measures.

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#### **Background:**

This is a year round initiative that offers instant rebates to customers towards the purchase of low cost, easy to install measures. The distribution of a series of product rebate coupons directly to each home presents the opportunity for customers to redeem these rebates at any time throughout the year.

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Note: There will also be an opportunity for customers to take advantage of instant rebates during bi-annual retailer promotions (see *Bi-Annual Retailer Events Initiative*).

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#### **Initiative Elements:**

- Consumers are eligible for year round instant rebates at participating retailers for a variety of low cost, easy to install measures
- Measures purchased are traceable to the customer and the LDC service territory via a coding mechanism

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- Initially the initiative will be launched using a coupon booklet, and then there are plans to transition to a Conservation Discount Card
- OPA RFP process to support the transition from coupons to Conservation Discount

  Card (process pending)
  - The following incentives will be offered under this initiative:

Year Round Measures	<b>Incentives 2011 - 2014</b>
ENERGY STAR qualified Standard CFLs	\$1.00 (packages of 3 or less)
(2011 only)	\$3.00 (packages of 4 or more)
	\$3.00 (packages of 2 or less)
ENERGY STAR qualified Specialty CFLs	\$5.00 (packages of 3 or more)
ENERGY STAR qualified Fixtures (including	\$10.00 (3+ sockets, ceiling fan)
ENERGY STAR ceiling fans)	\$3.00 (less than 3 sockets)
Lighting Control Products (Hard wired)	\$3.00
Hot Water Pipe Wrap	\$0.50 for three
Electric Water Heater Blanket	\$4.00
Weatherstripping	\$2.00 ( V Strip or Foam Tape)
	\$3.00 (Door Kit)
Heavy Duty Plug In Timer	\$4.00
Advanced Powerstrips	\$4.00
Clotheslines	\$5.00
	\$10.00 (packages of 2 or less)
Baseboard Programmable Thermostats	\$30.00 (packages of 3 or more)

#### **Purpose of the Initiative:**

- Maximize participation ease of transaction for consumer, accepted at a wide range of retailers, year-round availability of rebates
- Maximize LDC goodwill and profile with consumer multiple touch points/uses that connect the offer with the LDC for the consumer
- Optimize cost effectiveness processing costs, rebates payable (i.e. to those consumers who have been influenced by the marketing and promotion)
- Track savings and allocate appropriately to each LDC product purchases are traceable back to the LDC customer (traceable to the LDC) rather than where they are purchased (location of retail store)

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- Data benefits of Conservation Card each consumer's energy efficient purchasing
   behavior can be tracked enabling cross-promotion of additional initiatives in which
   the consumer might be interested based on past purchases and participation
  - Development of a loyalty initiative to reward consumers who participate in multiple initiatives (based on data collected from Conservation Card)

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- 4 **Initiative Number:** 2
- 5 Initiative Name: BI-ANNUAL INSTANT REBATE EVENTS
- 6 Retailer Events
- **Year(s) of Operation for the Initiative:** 2011-2014
- 8 **Initiative Frequency:** Bi-annual events (Spring & Fall)
- 9 Target Customer Type(s): Residential Customers

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### **Initiative Description:**

Utilities and retailers will work together to promote the *Instant Rebates Program* by holding bi-annual retailer events (Spring and Fall). Twice a year, participating retailers will host month-long rebate events. The events are intended to promote instant rebates for low cost measures and capture the attention of the "impulse shopper".

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#### **Background:**

This offer is a carry-forward of the Every Kilowatt Counts, Power Savings Events. The 18 initiative has been enhanced to include local marketing and engagement by LDCs. The 19 bi-annual retailer events are intended to capture the attention of the "impulse buyer" who 20 is already engaged in the sales cycle. The events will highlight the value of the instant 21 rebates and prompt the customer to take action and use in-store coupons (or the 22 Conservation Card when available) to purchase eligible products. The bi-annual retailer 23 events will now provide an opportunity for LDCs to have an in-store presence at retailer 24 locations throughout their community(s). 25

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#### **Initiative Elements:**

 Bi-annual promotion of instant rebates at local retailer sites (during months of April & October)

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\$30.00 (packages of 3 or more)

• Each promotion will be a month long event

Baseboard Programmable Thermostats

- Customers are encouraged to take advantage of the instant rebates through in-store coupons available for a variety of low cost, easy to install measures
- The product list for the bi-annual events and the year-round rebates will be the same, as will the rebate amounts
- This initiative is targeted to the impulse buyer who is already engaged in the sales cycle (shopping at retailer location)
- In-store customers will be encouraged to take advantage of the instant rebates which are also available year round (using in-store coupons or Conservation Card)
  - The following incentives will be offered (please note that from within this product list there will be different products promoted in the Spring vs. Fall events, in cases where product usage is seasonal in nature):

Year-Round Measures	Incentives 2011 - 2014
ENERGY STAR qualified Standard CFLs	\$1.00 (packages of 3 or less)
(2011 only)	\$3.00 (packages of 4 or more)
	\$3.00 (packages of 2 or less)
ENERGY STAR qualified Specialty CFLs	\$5.00 (packages of 3 or more)
ENERGY STAR qualified Fixtures (including	\$10.00 (3+ sockets, ceiling fan)
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Weatherstripping	\$2.00 ( V Strip or Foam Tape)
	\$3.00 (Door Kit)
Heavy Duty Plug In Timer	\$4.00
Advanced Powerstrips	\$4.00
Clotheslines	\$5.00
	\$10.00 (packages of 2 or less)

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#### **Purpose of the Initiative:**

- Capture the attention of consumers who are shopping at their local retailer and encourage them to purchase energy efficient products that they would not otherwise have intended to purchase
- Encourage retailers to change their product assortment and promotional strategies to place increased emphasis on energy efficient product alternatives
- Encourage retailers to allocate resources to undertake additional promotional activities that encourage consumers to purchase and install the energy efficient products featured in the instant-rebate initiative (as well as any other energy saving products that the retailer may wish to promote)
- Educate retail staff on the features and benefits of energy efficient products so they can increase consumers' understanding of these products and their energy efficiency potential
- Encourage retailers to work with their LDCs to educate consumers on the features and benefits of energy efficient products

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- 4 **Initiative Number:** 3
- 5 Initiative Name: APPLIANCE RETIREMENT INITIATIVE
- 6 Year(s) of Operation for the Initiative: 2011-2014
- 7 **Initiative Frequency:** Year round
- 8 Target Customer Type(s): Residential Customers

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## 10 **Initiative Description:**

- This is an energy efficiency initiative that offers FREE pick up and decommissioning of
- old refrigerators, freezers, room air conditioners and dehumidifiers.

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#### 14 **Background:**

- 15 This initiative was originally launched in 2007 by the OPA as a Province-wide initiative
- 16 (aka Appliance Retirement Program or Great Refrigerator Round-Up Program). The
- initiative has been enhanced to include a municipal pickup element, where applicable,
- and a retail channel for pick-up upon replacement.

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#### **Initiative Elements:**

- Customers are offered FREE pickup and decommissioning of old appliances (old refrigerators, freezers, room air conditioners and dehumidifiers)
- Customers can book appointment online (electronically) or by phone
- Centralized call centre operated by OPA for scheduling of appointments (toll-free
- line)
  - OPA contracted third-party handles pickup and decommissioning process
- Secondary appliances must be 15 yrs old, capacity of 10 27 cubic feet and must be
   in good working condition

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- Coordination with local municipal appliance pickup is encouraged, where feasible, at the LDC's initiative
- Coordination of pickup of old fridge/freezer by retailers will be undertaken at time
  when retailer delivers a new appliance to customer
  - OPA provides report of initiative results specific to LDC territory
  - The following is an outline of the customer incentives:

Appliance Retirement Measures	Incentives 2011 - 2014
Refrigerator	Free Pickup and Decommissioning
Freezer	Free Pickup and Decommissioning
Room Air Conditioner (secondary)	Free Pickup and Decommissioning
Dehumidifier (secondary)	Free Pickup and Decommissioning

## 10 **Purpose of the Initiative:**

- Achieve energy and demand savings through the retirement and/or replacement of old, inefficient refrigerators, freezers, window/room air conditioners and dehumidifiers
- Discourage the use of old, inefficient appliances
- Facilitate environmental benefits through proper decommissioning and recycling of old appliances

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**Initiative Number:** 4

5 Initiative Name: BI-ANNUAL APPLIANCE EXCHANGE EVENTS

**Year(s) of Operation for the Initiative:** 2011-2014

**Initiative Frequency:** Bi-annual events

**Target Customer Type(s):** Residential Customers

## **Initiative Description:**

This initiative involves bi-annual, appliance exchange events. Exchange events are held at local retail locations and customers are encouraged to bring in their old *room air conditioners and dehumidifiers* in exchange for coupons/discounts towards the purchase of new energy efficient equipment.

#### **Background:**

This initiative was originally launched in 2007 (aka *Keep Cool Program*) and the exchange events were managed primarily by the OPA. Customers were encouraged to visit participating retailers on pre-scheduled dates and "trade-in" or exchange their old appliances. Customers who participated received an incentive (coupon or discount) towards the purchase of new, energy efficient equipment. The initiative has been enhanced to include local marketing and provides an opportunity for LDCs to become more involved by having an in-store presence at retailer locations within their respective communities.

#### **Initiative Elements:**

- Bi-annual exchange events will be held at local retailers (Spring & Fall)
  - Retailers solicited at the head office level by the OPA

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- Customers encouraged to bring in their old room air conditioners and dehumidifiers to participating retailer locations in exchange for rebates
- For the Spring Event, the rebate will be a coupon towards the purchase of a high efficiency replacement unit (\$50 Replacement Coupon)
- For the Fall Event, the rebate will be in the form of a gift card (\$25 Gift Card)
- A gift card will be offered during the Fall event, as replacement units are typically not stocked during this time of the year
- Appliances are decommissioned in an environmentally friendly manner;
   decommissioning process is centrally managed by the OPA
  - The following incentives will be offered:

<b>Exchange Event Measures</b>	Incentives 2011 - 2014
	\$50 Replacement Coupon (Spring)
Room Air Conditioner	\$25 Gift Card (Fall)
	\$50 Replacement Coupon (Spring)
Dehumidifier	\$25 Gift Card (Fall)

#### **Purpose of the Initiative:**

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- Achieve energy and demand savings through the retirement and/or replacement of old, inefficient window /room air conditioners and dehumidifiers
- Discourage the reuse of old, inefficient appliances
- Facilitate environmental benefits through proper decommissioning and recycling of old appliances

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4 **Initiative Number:** 5

5 Initiative Name: HVAC ON-LINE REBATES INITIATIVE

6 **Year(s) of Operation for the Initiative:** 2011-2014

7 **Initiative Frequency:** Year round

8 Target Customer Type(s): Residential Customers

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## **Initiative Description:**

This is an energy efficiency initiative that provides rebates for the replacement of old heating or cooling systems with high efficiency furnaces (equipped with electronically commutated motors) and Energy Star qualified central air conditioners.

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#### **Background:**

The HVAC rebates initiative has been in market since 2006 (aka *Cool Savings Program*).

17 The initiative has been enhanced to include LDCs in the delivery of the initiative and

there is also a new contractor training element. As part of this initiative, consumers will

be eligible for rebates on replacement of qualifying furnaces with electronically

commutated motors and central air conditioners. Training will be available for

contractors to educate them on quality installation principles. LDCs will be involved in

the recruitment of contractors; this will be supported by OPA recruitment efforts. The

23 HVAC rebates will be delivered to consumers through participating contractors and will

be centrally fulfilled by the OPA, as in the past.

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#### **Initiative Elements:**

- Customers will be eligible for rebates on qualifying HVAC equipment
  - Rebates available for replacement of central air conditioners and furnaces with electronically commutated motors

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- Customers can book appointment online or by phone
- Rebates will be available through online process which will be centrally managed and
   fulfilled by the OPA
- Contractor training will be available to support quality installation (including initial assessment to ensure right-sizing of equipment)
  - OPA will provide a report of the initiative results specific to the LDC territory
  - The following is an outline of the customer incentives:

HVAC Measures	Incentives 2011 - 2014
High Efficiency Furnaces equipped with	\$250
ECM	
ENERGY STAR qualified Central Air	\$250 (SEER 14.5)
Conditioner	\$400 (SEER 15)

## **Purpose of the Initiative:**

- Resource acquisition will be achieved by encouraging consumers to purchase and install energy efficient HVAC equipment when replacing existing equipment
- The new energy efficient HVAC equipment will generate both energy and peak demand savings
- Capability building will be achieved by training contractors on quality installation principles

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4 **Initiative Number:** 6

5 Initiative Name: NEW CONSTRUCTION INITIATIVE

6 Year(s) of Operation for the Initiative: 2011-2014

7 **Initiative Frequency:** Year round

8 Target Customer Type(s): Residential Customers

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## **Initiative Description:**

This is an energy efficiency initiative that provides incentives to homebuilders for constructing new homes that are efficient, smart and integrated (applicable to new single

family dwellings).

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#### **Background:**

This is a new initiative under the Consumer Program and will be offered for the first time

in the market, beginning January 2011. The objective of this initiative is to ensure that

single family homes of the future are constructed to be efficient, smart and integrated.

19 The initiative encourages and rewards homebuilders for constructing efficient, smart and

20 integrated single family homes. Consumers are also informed through education about

21 the value of purchasing an energy efficient, smart and integrated home (including

increased comfort, lower energy costs and environmental benefits).

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#### **Initiative Elements:**

- Homebuilders are offered incentives to promote the construction of new homes that are "efficient, smart and integrated"
  - Incentives are provided in four key categories, as follows:
- 1. Incentives to install electricity efficiency measures as determined by a prescriptive list and via a custom option

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- 2. Incentives for installing devices for demand response (phased implementation anticipated) 2
  - 3. Incentives for homebuilders who meet or exceed aggressive efficiency standards using the EnerGuide performance rating system
  - 4. Incentives for training on energy efficiency building techniques and practices
- Measures target end-users with the highest potential for electricity savings and 6 demand reduction including lighting, cooling coupled with electronically commutated 7 furnace motor, as well as plug loads 8
- The initiative will capture and fund fossil fuel savings (i.e. natural gas, oil, propane) 9 to encourage market transformation through improving the building envelope to 10 achieve higher EnerGuide performance ratings 11
- 12 The initiative will be delivered by LDCs throughout the Province
- Local engagement of builders will be the responsibility of the LDC and will be 13 supported by OPA air cover driving builders to their LDC for additional information 14
- LDCs will be responsible for reviewing and approving applications and conducting 15 site verifications 16
- Data collection and reporting will also be the responsibility of the LDC 17
- 18 OPA will be responsible for rebate fulfillment
  - The following is a list of the measures which will be incentivized for builders:

New Construction Measures	Incentives 2011 - 2014
All-off Switch	\$50.00
ECM Motors	\$50.00
SEER 15 CAC	\$30.00
Lighting Control Products	\$3.00
Fixtures (single socket, multi-socket, niche)	\$15.00 (niche) \$10.00 (3+ sockets) \$3.00 (less than 3 sockets)
Custom Project	TBD
EnerGuide 83 Whole Home	\$500/Home
EnerGuide 85 Whole Home	\$1,000/Home
Residential Demand Response Devices	TBD
Training	TBD

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## **Purpose of the Initiative:**

- To motivate builders to incorporate electric energy efficient technologies in the design and construction of new homes
- To drive market awareness through advertising and other mediums
- To educate the builder and consumer on the benefits of energy efficiency in the home
- To increase consumer awareness and trigger increased consumer demand
  - To overcome builders' concerns about trained and available trades to install the technologies and to overcome the trades concerns about liability with the installation of the technologies (training programs to be developed and offered to both)

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- 4 **Initiative Number:** 7
- 5 Initiative Name: MIDSTREAM INCENTIVES INITIATIVE
- Retailers, Cable & Satellite TV Providers & Pool Contractors
- 7 **Year(s) of Operation for the Initiative:** 2011-2014
- 8 **Initiative Frequency:** Year round
- 9 Target Customer Type(s): Retailers, Cable & Satellite TV Providers & Pool
- 10 Contractors

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## **Initiative Description:**

- This is an incentive program for midstream channel partners who can directly influence the consumers' product selection. Midstream incentives will be provided to retailers, cable and satellite providers and pool contractors to encourage them to stock and promote
- energy efficient equipment.

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#### **Background:**

- 19 This is an incentive initiative for midstream electronics retailers, cable and satellite
- 20 providers and pool contractors. The initiative is meant to encourage midstream providers
- 21 to change their product selection, assortment and promotional strategies to place
- increased emphasis on energy efficient product alternatives. Incentives for retailers will
- encourage them to stock and promote high-efficiency televisions. Incentives for cable and
- satellite television service providers will encourage the adoption of set-top boxes and
- 25 network configurations that deliver energy-efficiency gains. Incentives for pool
- 26 contractors will encourage proper selection and right-sizing of pool equipment.

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- Retailers will be encouraged to gear their offerings and promotions to feature the most energy efficient alternatives to consumers who have already decided to purchase new equipment
- OPA will be responsible for developing relationships with retailers, cable and satellite
   TV providers
- OPA will also be responsible for hiring a Program Manager for this initiative
- OPA will be responsible for contractor training, i.e. pool contractors
- OPA will be responsible for providing incentives to retailers, cable and satellite TV
   providers
  - LDCs will be responsible for educating consumers about the benefits of purchasing energy efficient equipment
  - The midstream incentives will include:

Midstream Measures	Incentives 2011 - 2014
	\$50 (2011 – 2012)
Pool measures	\$30 (2013 – 2014)
Televisions	\$20
Set-top boxes	\$12

#### **Purpose of the Initiative:**

- A midstream rather than downstream consumer incentive will be employed to avoid creating additional demand for and proliferation of televisions in households
- Encourage retailers and cable/satellite distributors to change their product assortment and promotional strategies to place increased emphasis on efficient product alternatives
- Educate pool contractors on the benefits to their customers of right-sizing a pool pump to maximize energy efficiency
  - Increase awareness of energy consumption of devices among consumers at point of sale through staff knowledge and signage

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• Increase retailer/service provider promotion of energy efficient product alternatives

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**Initiative Number:** 8

5 Initiative Name: CONSUMER ENABLING INITIATIVES

Online Energy Audit Tool / Online Customer Education Program

**Year(s) of Operation for the Initiative:** 2011-2014

8 **Initiative Frequency:** Year round

9 Target Customer Type(s): Residential Customers

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#### **Initiative Description:**

- 12 Consumer enabling initiatives will provide the consumer with the web-based information
- they need to make informed decisions. The online tools will help educate consumers
- about the benefits of conservation and help promote the Consumer Conservation
- Programs. The consumer enabling initiatives include:
- a) Online home energy audit
- b) Online consumer education

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#### **Background:**

The enabling initiatives are intended to provide the residential consumer with the

information and the tools that they need to "get started" and help them make informed

decisions. These online tools will be accessible to customers via the local utility website.

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- An online energy audit tool (examining both gas and electricity usage) will be made
- available to consumers. An online calculator will enable the consumer to rapidly
- assess their home's energy usage/performance and direct them to energy efficiency
- initiatives that will be of most benefit to them
  - LDCs will be able to host the audit tool on their website through an interface.

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- The data entered by the consumer will be saved and the information will be available for market research purposes for each LDC to enhance their understanding of their customer base and their behaviours
- A robust **online education component** will be produced and will be integrated into all applicable elements of the marketing materials and on-line audit tool

**Purpose of the Initiative:** 

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- To provide consumers with the information they need to make informed choices.
- To move to a *customer centric model* (i.e. move the focus from the end-use to the end-user)
- To introduce a holistic approach to energy management
- To ensure that consumers are empowered to take steps towards energy efficiency and influence behavioural change
- To build a consistent thread that brings together the conservation efforts at home, at work, and in the community, to further the culture of conservation in Ontario

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**Initiative Number:** 9

5 Initiative Name: LOW INCOME INITIATIVE

**Year(s) of Operation for the Initiative:** 2011-2014

**Initiative Frequency:** Year round

**Target Customer Type(s):** Residential Customers

## **Initiative Description:**

This is a turnkey initiative for low income customers. It offers residents the opportunity to take advantage of FREE, TURNKEY installation of energy efficient measures that improve the comfort of their home, increase efficiency and help them save money.

#### **Background:**

This is a new initiative that has been specifically developed to meet the needs of the low income consumer. This is a comprehensive initiative that involves a variety of activities intended to improve the energy efficiency of low income homes. The initiative is intended to reduce electricity demand, provide consumers with the information they need to manage their energy use and influence behaviour change that will support these outcomes. The initiative will pay 100% of costs for the purchase and installation of the electricity saving products.

The process begins with an in-home audit which will identify the opportunities within the home. The installation measures range from basic measures (CFLs, weatherstripping, water heater blanket and more) to a full list of extended measures (light fixtures, air conditioning units, freezers, refrigerators, dehumidifiers, draft-proofing and insulation).

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#### **Initiative Elements:**

- 2 OUTREACH
- The initiative leverages five customer outreach channels, as follows:
- 1. **Blitz Participants**. Households come into the initiative via a *neighbourhood blitz*,
- whereby neighbourhoods are targeted by income and/or propensity for electric heat.
- 6 Households who agree to participate via the *neighbourhood blitz* move to the basic
- 7 audit process
- 8 2. **Self-Initiated Respondent.** Households responding to air coverage, print media, or
- yia word-of-mouth referrals may opt in to the initiative. Households opting into the
- initiative will contact an intake center, flow through the outbound pre-screening
- protocol, and be scheduled for a referral audit
- 3. Community Partner Referral. Households receiving social assistance via a
- government agency, community-based organization, or non-profit who pass through
- the initiative referral screen are queued for outbound pre-screening. Examples of
- community referral partners include: social service providers, local housing agencies,
- food banks, etc.
- 4. **LDC Priority Referral.** Households struggling with utility bill affordability, at-risk
- for utility service disconnect, and/or have pending high-bill complaints may be
- considered an LDC Priority account. When LDC Priority accounts pass through the
- initiative referral screen, these households are queued for outbound pre-screening
- 5. Extended Measures Referral. In 2012, a gas initiative linkage is envisioned
- (independent of desired integration). This linkage promotes a Gas Audit Extension;
- whereby, qualifying low-income households are screened for electric savings.
- 24 Oualifying households that pass an extended measures selection protocol are
- scheduled for an extended measures visit. Examples include referrals from
- Enbridge's TAPS program and Union Gas Helping Homes Conserve Program

#### 28 GAS COMPANY ENGAGEMENT

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The initiative design includes coordinating efforts with gas utilities, as follows:

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- 1. **Gas Audit Extension.** An extension to the gas utility DSM audit allowing for the installation of basic measures II in homes that participate in the gas utility initiatives.
- 2. **Electric Audit Extension.** An extension to the basic audit delivered by the LISFH program to allow for the installation of basic measures III (gas utility measures).

#### 6 IN HOME AUDITS

- 7 Three types of energy audits will be offered to low income consumers, as follows:
- 1. **Basic Audit.** An in-home consultation offered to households passing the health and 8 safety protocol. The in-home consultation uses basic measure screening protocols to 9 determine which basic measures will be installed and facilitates eligibility 10 verification. For homes with natural gas service, basic measures III will be installed 11 in program years 2012 forward (pending coordination of Low Income Single Family 12 Home (LISFH) program with gas utility initiatives). For qualifying households the 13 in-home consultation continues with extended measures selection and a 14 weatherization opportunity screening. Customers are advised of the pending work 15 orders for an extended measures visit and a weatherization audit. As part of the basic 16 audit, each home will be screened for eligibility in the gas-utility weatherization 17 program and utility-led DR and Home Energy Management Systems programs. If the 18 home is eligible for these programs, a DSM program referral and/or LDC program 19 referral will be made with customer consent as provided for within the energy 20 education. 21
- 22 **2. Weatherization Audit.** An in-home consultation proceeds with air infiltration measure installation and envelope measures selection. In homes requiring envelope treatment, a home weatherization visit work order is created and the customer is advised of a pending weatherization visit.
- 3. **Referral Audit.** An in-home consultation offered to households passing the health and safety protocol. The in-home consultation provides basic measures and facilitates eligibility verification. For *qualifying households* the in-home consultation continues

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with extended measures selection and a weatherization audit. Where opportunities have been identified, customers are advised of the pending work orders associated with a pending extended measures visit and/or home weatherization visit.

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#### INSTALLATION MEASURES

- The initiative will offer consumers several energy efficiency and demand reduction measures. Different packages of measures will be offered based on eligibility determined during the audit. These packages include:
- 1. **Basic Measures I.** A prescriptive set of measures that include energy education and information (how-to-use measures, conservation behaviours, energy management vis a vis time-of-use rates), low-cost weatherization measures, and the installation of the following energy efficiency measures: CFLs, DWH pipe wrap, DWH blanket, low flow faucet aerators, low-flow showerheads, engine block timers, and powerbars with integrated timers.
- 2. **Basic Measures II.** An incremental set of electric measures that compliment the electric measures provided within the gas DSM audit. The anticipated measures include powerbars with integrated timers, CFLs, and engine block timers.
- 3. **Basic Measures III.** The installation of programmable thermostats for gas furnaces (would be funded by gas utilities).
- 4. **Extended Measures Visit.** Delivery agents responding to an extended measures 20 work order will schedule appointments with the customers, deliver the specified 21 measures, remove existing equipment/appliances, and install the specified measures. 22 The current list of extended measures includes the following set of Energy Star 23 qualified measures: light fixtures, air conditioning units, freezers, refrigerators, and 24 dehumidifiers. Programmable thermostats will be reviewed as a potential measure for 25 inclusion in 2012 for baseboard systems. At the end of the visit, customers will be 26 notified of a possible quality assurance visit that would be scheduled within the next 27 30 days. 28

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- 5. **Home Weatherization Visit.** Delivery agents responding to a home weatherization work order will follow the air infiltration measure installation protocol to provide draft proofing along with the requested attic, wall, and basement insulation. Following the completion of home weatherization, customers will be notified of the
- Following the completion of home weatherization, customers will be notified of the need for a quality assurance visit to be scheduled within the next 30 days.

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#### **HEALTH & SAFETY MEASURES**

- 8 There are two aspects to health and safety which will be addressed in this initiative:
- 9 1. the safety of initiative delivery staff working in the home; and
- 2. the state of repair of the home itself and the impact of this state of repair on opportunities for conservation retrofits.

#### QUALITY ASSURANCE / MONITIORING & VERIFICATION

• Once the installation of measures has been completed in a participating home, the participant will receive a follow-up call or visit to a) confirm his or her satisfaction with the initiative, and b) gather information for initiative EMV.

#### DEMAND RESPONSE

• The initiative will also consider the feasibility and potential savings that could be achieved by funding the cost of In Home Display measures for low-income customers who want to participate in the Residential Demand Response initiative but a) do not qualify for a device at no-cost and b) cannot afford to pay the incremental cost of the device themselves.

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#### **Purpose of the Initiative:**

- Assist low income customers in managing electricity costs
- The initiative employs a "house as a system" approach, providing opportunities for electric energy efficiency in each area of the home

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- Install energy efficiency measures in low income homes that will produce long-term,
- sustainable energy savings i.e. reduce provincial electricity demand and
- 3 consumption

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- Physical installation of energy efficiency measures provide long-term sustained
- financial savings to consumers and this will help reduce the reliance on financial
- 6 assistance programs
- Enhance the social safety net for low income consumers

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#### **RESIDENTIAL PROGRAM** 2

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**Initiative Number:** 10 4

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RESIDENTIAL AND SMALL COMMERCIAL DEMAND **Initiative Name:** 

**RESPONSE INITIATIVE** 

- Year(s) of Operation for the Initiative: July 2011- December 2014 7
- **Initiative Frequency:** Year round 8
- **Target Customer Type(s):** Residential customers 9

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## **Initiative Description:**

This is an initiative that provides residential customers the tools they need to actively manage their energy use in a time-of-use (TOU) environment. The initiative provides customers with access to price and real-time consumption data and offers an option to participate in demand response load control.

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## **Background:**

- This initiative offers a free programmable thermostat (or load control switch) and offers a 18 financial incentive for allowing load control of central air conditioners and electric water 19 heaters during peak times. This program has been enhanced to include window air 20
- conditioners and pool pumps. 21

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The initiative has been further enhanced for 2011 – 2014 to take advantage of recent 23 policy changes, market developments and technology advancements. The new demand 24 response devices will be able to accommodate the use of smart plugs, smart strips, smart 25 appliances and more emerging technologies. 26

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The initiative will now offer residential customers two participation options, as follows: 28

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## 1. Participation with demand response

## 2. Participation without demand response

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- 4 While general service customers under 50kW are eligible to participate in the PeakSaver
- 5 Program; so far less than one per cent of this customer group has participated in the
- 6 program. This is primarily due to the fact that PeakSaver Program is designed to respond
- 7 to the needs of residential customers.

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- 9 The above mentioned enhancements were designed for the residential sector;
- accordingly, penetration of small commercial sector continues to be at an assumed 1%
- 11 only.

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#### **Initiative Elements:**

- Participation with demand response will offer higher incentives, higher levels of
- subsidization and more participation options (due to fact that demand response yield
- higher avoided costs)
- All participants will receive access to price and real-time consumption information

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## 19 CUSTOMER OPTIONS:

- The following is an outline of options available for customers who choose to participate
- in the initiative but with NO demand response:

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## Non-Demand Response Offers

Device(s)	Charge / Incentive to Participant
HEI	
HEI + IHD	

Note: Definitions: HEI = Home Energy Interface, IHD = In Home Display

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- The following is an outline of the options available for residential customers who choose
- to participate in the initiative WITH demand response:

## 4 Demand Response Offers

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Device(s)	Charge / Incentive to Participant
HEI + Switch	Without IHD –
	With IHD –
HEI + Thermostat	Without IHD
	With IHD –
Dashboard	

Note: Definitions: HEI = Home Energy Interface, IHD = In Home Display

## Purpose of the Initiative:

- To build demand response capacity in the residential sector to achieve maximum cost-effective peak demand reduction
- To empower residential participants by providing them with price and real-time electricity consumption information and equip them with tools to actively manage their energy use in a TOU environment
- To increase conservation and demand response awareness in the residential sector through improved education on the benefits of peak demand reduction, reduced energy consumption, TOU pricing and energy management tools
- This program has not been redesigned to address the business needs of business customers

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## 1 OPA-CONTRACTED PROVINCE-WIDE CDM PROGRAM

## 2 COMMERCIAL AND INSTITUTIONAL PROGRAM

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4 **Initiative Number:** 11

5 Initiative Name: COMMERCIAL AND INSTITUTIONAL INITIATIVE

6 **Year(s) of Operation for the Initiative:** 2011-2014

7 **Initiative Frequency:** Year round

8 Target Customer Type(s): Commercial, Institutional, and Agricultural Customers

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## **Initiative Description:**

The C&I Initiative offers financial incentives to customers for the upgrade of existing equipment to energy efficient equipment. The program also promotes the inclusion of energy efficient measures in new buildings through the New Construction element included with this initiative.

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This initiative builds on the success of the current Electricity Retrofit Incentive Program (ERIP) being offered to Commercial, Industrial, Institutional and Agricultural customers. Financial incentive payments of up to \$400/kW or \$0.05/kWh for lighting measures, \$800/kW or \$0.10/kWh for all other measures; to maximum of 50% of project costs are available to customers.

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The direct install initiative, marketed as Power Savings Blitz ("PSB") under this program is offered to small commercial customers with less than 50kW of average monthly demand. This initiative will offer turnkey lighting and electric hot water heater measures with a value up to \$1,000 at no cost to qualifying small businesses. Small businesses are also able to take advantage of a turnkey cooling maintenance offering as well as ERIP incentives for measures not covered by the standard direct install initiative.

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#### **Background:**

- The Electricity Retrofit Incentive Program ("ERIP"), initially developed for the business
- markets, promoted energy efficiency measures such as lighting, HVAC, high efficiency
- 4 motors and agri-business measures. The 2011-2014 initiative has been enhanced to
- 5 include initiative elements such as energy audits and roving Energy Managers in order to
- 6 increase customer participation.

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- 8 The PSB program addresses many of the barriers small business owners have, such as
- lack of conservation knowledge and access to capital. An opportunity exists to assist in a
- market transformation by advancing the change from T12 to T8 fluorescent lighting.

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- 12 Initiatives directed medium to large facilities will include design and delivery elements
- such as account management, and application administration support.

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- 15 Initiatives directed at smaller facilities, on the other hand, will be based on prescriptive
- approaches to measures and incentives, typically featuring standardized application
- forms.

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Specific initiative elements include:

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## 21 Equipment Replacement (ERIP)

- 22 The ERIP initiative primarily focuses on equipment replacements. Equipment
- 23 replacement projects have traditionally been categorized in ERIP as either Prescriptive or
- 24 Custom. The Prescriptive approach utilizes a list of specific measures for which the
- incentive is prescribed. The Custom approach requires a more sophisticated, and in some
- cases complex, process to determine the potential for demand reductions or energy
- 27 savings.

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- The Program will continue these two approaches, but will also include an Engineered approach.
- The Engineered approach will provide the customer with potential for additional incentives for the equipment to be installed and will provide a more straightforward process than the Custom approach, with simplified calculations of energy and demand savings. The incentives available under the Engineered approach are the same as for the Custom approach, but the actual amount would be based on data provided by the customer

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- Incentives for Engineered and Custom projects are:
  - \$400/kW or \$0.05/kWh for lighting measures (whichever is higher) to a maximum of 50% of the project costs
  - \$800/kW or \$0.10/kWh for non-lighting measures (whichever is higher) including lighting controls to a maximum of 50% of the project costs

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Participant incentives for Prescriptive projects are as per the Prescriptive forms/worksheets which specify the dollar amount per unit installed, with no maximum amount payable for the project.

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## Direct Installed Lighting – Power Savings Blitz ("PSB")

The Direct Installed Lighting initiative targets customers in the General Service <50kW account category. Participation for the existing version of this initiative, the Power Savings Blitz, has been very high. In addition to offering eligible customers up to \$1,000 in equipment upgrades at no charge, standard prescriptive incentives will now be available for eligible equipment beyond the initial \$1,000 limit. There will also be a similar initiative for servicing of space cooling equipment, as described below.

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- 1 Customers can participate in this initiative one of three ways:
- 1. Door-to-door approach: An LDC representative, Assessor or Lighting Contractor would visit potential participants and, where the customer is determined to be eligible for the component, the assessment would proceed directly or be scheduled. This is the approach commonly used for the Power Savings Blitz.
- 2. Self-selection approach: Through the new on-line registration system (iCon), by creating a user profile for this Program and choosing to apply for this initiative. Upon submission the application would be forwarded to the LDC that services the customer's business location as determined by postal code. The LDC would instruct a service provider (i.e., an Assessor or Lighting Contractor) to contact the customer to schedule an on-site assessment.
- 3. Referral approach: In connection with the Direct Serviced Space Cooling initiative, an LDC representative, Assessor, or HVAC Contractor may identify an opportunity for a customer to participate in the Direct Installed Lighting initiative. Should the customer desire to participate, the customer would proceed as per either the selfselection approach or the door-to-door approach.

## **Direct Serviced Space Cooling**

- The Direct Serviced Space Cooling initiative is available to customers with roof-top or ground-mounted air conditioning systems with a capacity of 25 tons or less. The initiative is intended to target the same customer base as the Direct Installed Lighting initiative, although in some cases customers in the General Service >50 kW account category will also be eligible. Basing the eligibility criteria on air conditioner size is intended to simplify the determination of possible participants by HVAC Contractors. This initiative provides for up to the formula of services and labour to service the customer's air-conditioning unit(s).
- 28 Customers participate in this initiative as per the Direct Installed Lighting initiative.

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To be eligible, customers must confirm that they do not have an existing service

agreement for the air-conditioning unit and that the unit was not serviced during the

3 previous calendar year.

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## **Existing Building Commissioning**

6 Any customer in the General Service >50 kW or Large User account categories with

single buildings/premises greater than 50,000 square feet in size and with chilled water

plants will be eligible to participate in the Existing Building Commissioning initiative of

9 the Program. The services that would qualify include (i) the development of a plan for

commissioning activities, (ii) the procurement of devices and/or software associated with

commissioning activities and (iii) third party services for building commissioning.

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A building owner participates in this initiative by hiring a Commissioning Agent, who

must provide two references from past projects OR be certified (by the Association of

15 Energy Engineers, American Society of Heating, Refrigerating and Air Conditioning

Engineers, or Building Commissioning Association).

## **New Construction – All Buildings and Customer Types**

The New Construction initiative of the C&I Program will provide incentives for new

buildings to exceed existing codes and standards for energy efficiency. Similar to the

20 Equipment Replacement initiative, the New Construction initiative utilizes both

21 Prescriptive and Custom approaches.

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23 Participant incentives for Prescriptive projects are as per the Prescriptive

forms/worksheets, which specify the kW and kWh assumption per unit installed, and

determine the resulting incentive at a rate of \$250/kW. For new multi-family buildings,

incentives for appliances are determined on a dollar amount per unit installed. Incentives

for Custom will depend on the level of savings achieved, to a maximum of 50% of the

project cost. In addition, there are incentives for building modeling to maximum of

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as well as incentives for Design Decision-Makers (e.g. designers, architects and

2 engineers) that were involved in the building design.

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## Pre-Project Assessments

- 5 For this initiative, eligible participants will receive incentives to complete energy audits
- or studies of potential energy and demand savings from equipment replacement projects,
- 7 operational practices and procedures, and participation in demand response initiatives.
- The incentives are intended to cover up to 50% of the cost of the energy audit, based on
- 9 requirements commensurate with the size and complexity of the buildings. The energy
- audits must be completed by a professional engineer, a certified engineering technologist,
- an architect, or a Certified Energy Manager; customers can select their own Energy
- 12 Auditor meeting these criteria.

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#### Capability Building

- 15 The C&I Program will offer CDM market capability building activities for CDM service
- providers such as training and certification.

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## 18 Purpose of the Initiative:

- 19 The objectives of the Program are to:
- 20 Assist owners and operators of C&I buildings, farms, and multi-family residences
- achieve reduced demand and energy savings through the purchase and operation of
- 22 energy efficient equipment
- 23 Provide education to tenants and occupants, particularly with respect to multi-family
- buildings, regarding in-suite energy efficiency and demand response opportunities;
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- Facilitate a culture of conservation among these communities and the equipment
- supply chains that serve them.

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**Initiative Number:** 12

5 Initiative Name: DEMAND RESPONSE 1 - COMMERCIAL

\*Please note Initiative 12 and Initiative 14 describe the same program
but have been outlined separately, as the program is offered to multiple
sectors\*

9 Years(s) of Operation for the Initiative: Jan. 1, 2011 - Dec. 31, 2014

10 **Initiative Frequency:** Year Round

**Target Customer Type(s):** Industrial and Commercial customers of 50 kW or greater with interval meter

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## **Initiative Description:**

Demand Response 1 ("DR1") is a demand response initiative for industrial and commercial customers, of 50 kW or greater to reduce the amount of power being used during certain periods of the year. This initiative has a schedule of 1600 hours per year where activations of up to 100 hours may occur with no obligation on customers to participate. This initiative makes payments for actual load reduction only. There are no payments or setoffs associated with a participant deciding not to participate, or where a participant has indicated willingness to perform and then not followed through.

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The initiative is managed by third party program administrators procured by the OPA or the LDCs. Marketing of the initiative and customer registration may be done by both Demand Response Providers and the LDC. The LDC will be responsible for promotion of the DR1 initiative and for registering customers. LDC's may see registering of DR1 customers as a means for growing potential customers for the Demand Response 3 ("DR3") Initiative. Once a potential customer has expressed interest in participation, the LDC will register the customer with the Third Party Initiative Operator by completing a Updated: February 3, 2011

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customer form containing the basic information about the customer, the contracted MW

- amount to which the customer believes has the ability to offer during any one activation,
- along with a confirmation by the LDC that the customer can provide such demand
- 4 response capability.

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## **Background:**

The DR1 Initiative, a voluntary initiative, was launched in 2007 and grew to a peak 7 capability of 417 MW. Its intent was to encourage participation by providing customer 8 9 payments for reduction in the use of electricity relative to a baseline, whenever the 3-hour pre-dispatch market price, as published hourly by the IESO, exceeds a Floor Price agreed 10 to by the OPA and initiative participant. The initiative participant was entitled to be paid 11 the strike price for the MWh reduction for a minimum 3 hour period. With the advent of 12 the DR3 Initiative, the DR1 Initiative underwent a change that sought to set initiative 13 rates that better reflect its voluntary nature relative to the firm commitment required of 14 DR3 Initiative participants. As such, a significant portion of DR1 participants have 15 transitioned to either the Demand Response 2 ("DR2") (now discontinued) or DR3 16

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Development of the DR1 and DR3 Initiatives was done in consultation with industry and through advice obtained from neighbouring markets. The demand response initiatives that will be the focus of the LDC customer base will be DR1 and DR3. While these initiatives were reviewed for potential changes, these initiative designs and potential changes were stakeholdered in April 2010. In addition, an Industrial/Commercial Program Change Management Committee will be established to manage change to the DR initiatives in an organised and ongoing manner.

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## **Initiative Elements:**

- The DR1 Initiative is delivered by Demand Response Providers, under contract to the
- 3 OPA. The OPA administers contracts with all Demand Response Providers and Direct
- 4 Participants that provide in excess of 5MW of demand response capacity.
- OPA to provide administration including settlement, measurement and verification and dispatch
- Awareness Education
- Marketing and promotion carried out by LDCs (Demand Response Providers may
   choose to co-promote with LDCs)
- Direct Selling and Promotional Materials to improve awareness

# **Purpose of the Initiative:**

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- The objective of the DR1 Industrial Initiative is to achieve maximum cost effective peak
- demand reduction and energy savings, increase conservation awareness and contribute to
- the creation of a culture of conservation in Ontario.

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## OPA-CONTRACTED PROVINCE-WIDE CDM PROGRAM

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- 4 **Initiative Number:** 13
- 5 Initiative Name: DEMAND RESPONSE 3 COMMERCIAL
- \*Please note Initiative 13 and Initiative 15 describe the same program
  but have been outlined separately as the program is offered to multiple
  sectors\*
- Years(s) of Operation for the Initiative: Jan. 1, 2011 to Dec. 31, 2014
- 10 **Initiative Frequency**: Year Round
- Target Customer Type(s): Industrial and Commercial customers with a peak demand greater than 50 kW

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- Initiative Description
- The Demand Response 3 ("DR3") initiative is open to commercial and industrial customers with a peak demand greater than 50 kW. In comparison to the Demand Response 1 ("DR1"), which is a voluntary initiative, the DR3 initiative is a contractual resource that provides significant financial benefits for participants, reliability and operational benefits for the electricity system, and financial benefits for all electricity customers as it is an economic alternative to procurement of new generation capacity.

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The DR3 Initiative comes with specific contractual obligations requiring commercial and industrial participants to reduce their use of electricity relative to a baseline when called upon. This initiative makes payments for participants to be on standby and energy payments for the actual energy reduction provided during a demand response event. Participants are scheduled to be on standby approximately 1,600 hours per calendar year for possible dispatch of up to 100 hours or 200 hours within that year.

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- The initiative is delivered by Demand Response Providers, under contract to the OPA or
- the LDCs. The LDCs will provide important marketing and customer outreach support in
- a collaborative approach with Demand Response Providers.

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## Background

The DR3 Initiative, introduced to Ontario in 2008, has produced a significant level of 6 interest among both industrial and commercial loads. The initiative is delivered to 7 market primarily through OPA contracts with Demand Response Providers. These 8 providers, also known as "Aggregators", aggregate multiple customers willing to provide 9 demand response. The initiative requires participants to make a firm commitment to 10 provide demand response capability upon demand. Large participants who can provide 11 greater than 5 MW of demand response capability have the option to contract directly 12 with the OPA. Participants are asked to place themselves on standby 1,600 hours per 13 year, of which they may be required to provide demand response for up to 100 or 200 14 hours each year. Each demand response call is for a four-hour period. While this 15 initiative continues to grow, it remains flexible to change, in order to accommodate 16 learning from the market. 17

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#### **Initiative Elements**

- Initiative is delivered by Demand Response Providers, under contract to the OPA. The
  OPA administers contracts with all Demand Response Providers and Direct Participants
  that provide in excess of 5 MW of demand response capacity.
- Marketing and promotional activities carried out by LDCs
- OPA to provide administration including procurement operational services such as settlement, measurement and verification and dispatch
- Direct Participants and Demand Response Providers receive a standby notice.

  Participants are scheduled to be on standby approximately 1,600 hours per calendar
  year for possible dispatch of up to 100 hours or 200 hours within that year

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- Large participants who can provide greater than 5 MW of demand response capability
   have the option to contract directly with the OPA
- Participant to confirm within one hour when it is anticipated that they will
   underperform compared to their contractual commitment
  - Participants must register a measurement and verification plan as part of their initial application for a contract and with every subsequent update to the overall project

**Purpose of the Initiative** 

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The purpose of the DR3 initiative is to provide significant financial benefits for participants, reliability and operational benefits for the electricity system and financial benefits for all electricity customers. Emphasis is to achieve maximum cost effective peak demand reduction and energy savings, increase conservation awareness and contribute to the creation of a culture of conservation in Ontario.

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## 1 OPA-CONTRACTED PROVINCE-WIDE CDM PROGRAM

#### 2 INDUSTRIAL PROGRAM

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- **Initiative Number:** 14
- 5 Initiative Name: DEMAND RESPONSE 1 INDUSTRIAL
- \*Please note Initiative 12 and Initiative 14 describe the same program
  but have been outlined separately as the program is offered to multiple
  sectors\*
- Years(s) of Operation for the Initiative: Jan. 1, 2011 to Dec. 31, 2014
- 10 **Initiative Frequency:** Year Round
- Target Customer Type(s): Industrial and Commercial customers of 50 kW or greater with interval meter

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## **Initiative Description:**

Demand Response 1 ("DR1") is a demand response initiative for industrial and commercial customers, of 50 kW or greater to reduce the amount of power being used during certain periods of the year. This initiative has a schedule of 1600 hours per year where activations of up to 100 hours may occur with no obligation on customers to participate. This initiative makes payments for actual load reduction only. There are no payments or setoffs associated with a participant deciding not to participate, or where a participant has indicated willingness to perform and then not followed through.

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The initiative is managed by third party program administrators procured by the OPA or the LDCs. Marketing of the initiative and customer registration may be done by both Demand Response Providers and the LDC. The LDC will be responsible for promotion of the DR1 initiative and for registering customers. LDC's may see registering of DR1 customers as a means for growing potential customers for the Demand Response 3 ("DR3") Initiative. Once a potential customer has expressed interest in participation, the LDC will register the customer with the Third Party Initiative Operator by completing a

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- customer form containing the basic information about the customer, the contracted MW
- amount to which the customer believes has the ability to offer during any one activation,
- along with a confirmation by the LDC that the customer can provide such demand
- 4 response capability.

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## **Background:**

- 7 The DR1 Initiative, a voluntary initiative, was launched in 2007 and grew to a peak
- 8 capability of 417 MW. Its intent was to encourage participation by providing customer
- 9 payments for reduction in the use of electricity relative to a baseline, whenever the 3-hour
- pre-dispatch market price, as published hourly by the IESO, exceeds a Floor Price agreed
- to by the OPA and initiative participant. The initiative participant was entitled to be paid
- the strike price for the MWh reduction for a minimum 3 hour period. With the advent of
- the DR3 Initiative, the DR1 Initiative underwent a change that sought to set initiative
- rates that better reflect its voluntary nature relative to the firm commitment required of
- DR3 Initiative participants. As such, a significant portion of DR1 participants have
- transitioned to either the DR2 (now discontinued) or DR3 Initiative.

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- Development of the DR1 and DR3 Initiatives was done in consultation with industry and
- through advice obtained from neighbouring markets. The demand response initiatives
- that will be the focus of the LDC customer base will be DR1 and DR3. While these
- 21 initiatives were reviewed for potential changes, these initiative designs and potential
- changes were stakeholdered in April 2010. This Business Case addresses all of the issues
- raised. In addition, an Industrial Program Change Management Committee has been
- established to manage change to the DR initiatives in an organised and ongoing manner.

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#### **Initiative Elements:**

- 27 The DR1 Initiative is delivered by Demand Response Providers, under contract to the
- OPA. The OPA administers contracts with all Demand Response Providers and Direct
- 29 Participants that provide in excess of 5MW of demand response capacity.

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- OPA to provide administration including settlement, measurement and verification and dispatch.
- Awareness Education
- Marketing and promotion carried out by LDCs (Demand Response Providers may
   choose to co-promote with LDCs)
- Direct Selling and Promotional Materials to improve awareness

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## **Purpose of the Initiative:**

- 9 The objective of the DR1 Industrial Initiative is to achieve maximum cost effective peak
- demand reduction and energy savings, increase conservation awareness and contribute
- to the creation of a culture of conservation in Ontario.

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## 1 OPA-CONTRACTED PROVINCE-WIDE CDM PROGRAM

### 2 INDUSTRIAL PROGRAM

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**Initiative Number:** 15

5 Initiative Name: DEMAND RESPONSE 3 - INDUSTRIAL

\*Please note Initiative 13 and Initiative 15 describe the same program
but have been outlined separately as the program is offered to multiple
sectors\*

9 **Years(s) of Operation for the Initiative**: Jan. 1, 2011 to Dec. 31, 2014

10 **Initiative Frequency**: Year Round

**Target Customer Type(s)**: Industrial and Commercial customers with a peak demand greater than 50 kW.

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## **Initiative Description**

The DR3 initiative is open to commercial and industrial customers with a peak demand greater than 50 kW. In comparison to the DR1, which is a voluntary initiative, the DR3 initiative is a contractual resource that provides significant financial benefits for participants, reliability and operational benefits for the electricity system, and financial benefits for all electricity customers as it is an economic alternative to procurement of new generation capacity.

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The DR3 Initiative comes with specific contractual obligations requiring commercial and industrial participants to reduce their use of electricity relative to a baseline when called upon. This initiative makes payments for participants to be on standby and energy payments for the actual energy reduction provided during a demand response event. Participants are scheduled to be on standby approximately 1,600 hours per calendar year for possible dispatch of up to 100 hours or 200 hours within that year.

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- The initiative is delivered by Demand Response Providers, under contract to the OPA or
- the LDCs. The LDCs will provide important marketing and customer outreach support in
- a collaborative approach with Demand Response Providers.

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## Background

The DR3 Initiative, introduced to Ontario in 2008, has produced a significant level of 6 interest among both industrial and commercial loads. The initiative is delivered to 7 market primarily through OPA contracts with Demand Response Providers. These 8 providers, also known as "Aggregators", aggregate multiple customers willing to provide 9 demand response. The initiative requires participants to make a firm commitment to 10 provide demand response capability upon demand. Large participants who can provide 11 greater than 5 MW of demand response capability have the option to contract directly 12 with the OPA. Participants are asked to place themselves on standby 1,600 hours per 13 year, of which they may be required to provide demand response for up to 100 or 200 14 hours each year. Each demand response call is for a four-hour period. While this 15 initiative continues to grow, it remains flexible to change, in order to accommodate 16 learning's from the market. 17

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#### **Initiative Elements**

- Initiative is delivered by Demand Response Providers, under contract to the OPA. The OPA administers contracts with all Demand Response Providers and Direct Participants that provide in excess of 5 MW of demand response capacity.
- Marketing and promotional activities carried out by LDCs
- OPA to provide administration including procurement operational services such as settlement, measurement and verification and dispatch
- Direct Participants and Demand Response Providers receive a standby notice.

  Participants are scheduled to be on standby approximately 1,600 hours per calendar

  year for possible dispatch of up to 100 hours or 200 hours within that year

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- Large participants who can provide greater than 5 MW of demand response capability
   have the option to contract directly with the OPA
- Participant to confirm within one hour when it is anticipated that they will under
   perform compared to their contractual commitment
  - Participants must register a measurement and verification plan as part of their initial application for a contract and with every subsequent update to the overall project

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## **Purpose of the Initiative**

The purpose of the DR3 initiative is to provide significant financial benefits for participants, reliability and operational benefits for the electricity system and financial benefits for all electricity customers. Emphasis is to achieve maximum cost-effective peak demand reduction and energy savings, increase conservation awareness and contribute to the creation of a culture of conservation in Ontario.

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## 1 OPA-CONTRACTED PROVINCE-WIDE CDM PROGRAM

### 2 INDUSTRIAL PROGRAM

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- 4 **Initiative Number**: 16
- 5 Initiative Name: THE INDUSTRIAL ACCELERATOR
- Years(s) of Operation for the Initiative: Jan. 1, 2011 to Dec. 31, 2014
- 7 **Initiative Frequency:** Year Round
- 8 **Target Customer Type(s):** Industrial Customers

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## **Initiative Description**

- The Industrial Accelerator Initiative is an energy management initiative that includes both financial incentives for capital projects and enabling initiatives. It is open to
- industrial companies that are customers of an Ontario electricity LDC and are not
- insolvent.

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- 16 This initiative offers industrial customers the opportunity to access capital incentives to
- assist with the implementation of system optimization projects. The incentives are
- available through the LDC. The initiative is open to distribution connected industrial and
- commercial customers with projects or portfolio projects that are expected to generate at
- least 350 MWh of annualized electricity savings or, in the case of Micro-Projects, 100
- 21 MWh of annualized electricity savings.

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- The capital incentive for this initiative is up to \$200/MWh for eligible costs with a cap of
- 70% of projects costs or a one year pay back. This level is based on an analysis of typical
- 25 capital costs for large system optimizations and the propensity for industry to pursue
- projects with a one year simple payback.

- This initiative will be delivered by the LDCs with technical support provided by a
- 29 centrally procured technical resource.

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## Background

- Ontario has not had a fully functioning energy management initiative for industrial
- 4 customers, other than the ability to receive incentives for high efficiency motors and
- efficiency lighting under the ERIP Initiative. To build on this gap and address the needs
- of the larger industrial businesses, the Industrial Accelerator Initiative, will be delivered
- by the OPA to large transmission connected industrial loads. To support this initiative,
- 8 the OPA has hired a number of account managers to proactively pursue energy
- 9 management opportunities within the industrial segment. Development of long term
- relationships with industrial customers is considered necessary to ensure a sustainable
- momentum in moving projects forward considering the long timelines normally
- associated with project approvals, not to mention that energy efficiency initiatives must
- compete against production related initiatives for capital dollars.

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#### **Initiative Elements:**

- This initiative is up to \$200/MWh for eligible costs with a cap of 70% of projects costs or a one year pay back.
- Funding for Pre-Feasibility and Feasibility Studies
- Funding for Energy Managers (Industrial Employed Energy Managers and Roving
  Energy Managers)
- Funding for Monitoring & Targeting systems
- Meter lending library
- End Use Training
- Energy Manager Training
- Employee Awareness & Senior Management Leadership
- LDC Key Account Managers

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# **Purpose of the Initiative**

- 1. Implementing system optimization projects in systems which are intrinsically complex and capital intensive
- 2. Increasing the capability of companies to implement energy management and system optimization projects
- 3. Increasing the capability of technical, financial and other consultants and the supply chain to deliver energy efficiency and energy management services in Ontario

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#### OPA-CONTRACTED PROVINCE-WIDE CDM PROGRAM 1

**INDUSTRIAL PROGRAM** 2

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**Initiative Number: 17** 4

**Initiative Name:** 5

ELECTRICITY RETROFIT INCENTIVE PROGRAM -

**INDUSTRIAL ERIP** 

Years(s) of Operation for the Initiative: Jan. 1, 2011 to Dec. 31, 2014 7

**Initiative Frequency:** Year Round 8

**Target Customer Type(s):** Industrial, 9

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## **Initiative Description:**

The industrial initiative is designed to offer financial incentives to customers for upgrades 12 of existing equipment to energy efficient equipment. The program also promotes the 13 inclusion of energy efficient measures in new buildings through the New Construction 14

element included with this initiative. 15

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The equipment replacement initiative (ERIP) is offered to industrial facilities, however, 17

given the Industrial Accelerator (IA) program is best suited to evaluate complex 18

industrial energy efficiency applications, industrial projects with an annual savings 19

exceeding 100MWh per year must apply to the Industrial Accelerator Program. ERIP 20

custom applications that exceed the 100MWh limit will be referred to the IA program,

unless approval is received from the LDC to proceed under ERIP.

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#### **Background:**

The Electricity Retrofit Incentive Program (ERIP), initially developed for the business 25

markets, contained energy efficiency measures for lighting and high efficiency motors. 26

The initiative has been enhanced to include initiative elements such as feasibility studies 27

and roving Energy Managers to maximize energy savings potential. 28

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#### **Initiative Elements:**

- 2 Initiatives directed medium to large facilities will include design and delivery elements
- such as account management, and application administration support.
- 5 Initiatives directed at smaller facilities, on the other hand, will be based on prescriptive
- approaches to measures and incentives, typically featuring standardized application
- 7 forms.

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## **Equipment Replacement (ERIP)**

- The ERIP initiative primarily focuses on equipment replacement. Equipment replacement projects have traditionally been categorized in ERIP and other similar programs as either Prescriptive or Custom. The Prescriptive approach utilizes a list of specific measures for which the incentive is prescribed. The Custom approach requires a more sophisticated, and in some cases complex, process to determine the potential for demand reductions or energy savings. The Program will continue these two approaches, but will also include an Engineered approach.
  - The Engineered approach will provide the customer with potential for additional incentives for the equipment to be installed and will provide a more straight-forward process than the Custom approach, with simplified calculations of energy and demand savings. The incentives available under the Engineered approach are the same as for the Custom approach, but the actual amount would be based on data provided by the customer.

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- Incentives for Engineered and Custom projects are:
- \$400/kW or \$0.05/kWh for lighting measures (whichever is higher) to a maximum of 50% of the project costs
  - \$800/kW or \$0.10/kWh for non-lighting measures (whichever is higher) including lighting controls to a maximum of 50% of the project costs

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- Participant incentives for Prescriptive projects are as per the Prescriptive
- forms/worksheets which specify the dollar amount per unit installed, with no maximum
- 3 amount payable for the project.

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## 5 New Construction - All Buildings and Customer Types

- 6 The New Construction initiative of the Industrial Program will provide incentives for new
- buildings to exceed existing codes and standards for energy efficiency. Similar to the
- 8 Equipment Replacement initiative, the New Construction initiative utilizes both
- 9 Prescriptive and Custom approaches.

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- 11 Participant incentives for Prescriptive projects are as per the Prescriptive
- forms/worksheets, which specify the kW and KWh assumption per unit installed, and
- determine the resulting incentive at a rate of \$250/ kW. Incentives for Custom will
- depend on the level of savings achieved, to a maximum of 50% of the project cost. In
- addition, there are incentives for building modeling to maximum of as as well as
- incentives for Design Decision-Makers (e.g. designers, architects and engineers) that
- were involved in the building design.

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- 19 A building owner participates in this initiative by hiring a Commissioning Agent, who
- 20 must provide two references from past projects OR be certified (by the Association of
- 21 Energy Engineers, American Society of Heating, Refrigerating and Air-Conditioning
- 22 Engineers, or Building Commissioning Association).

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#### Capability Building

- 25 The C&I Program will offer CDM market capability building activities for CDM service
- 26 providers such as training and certification.

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# **Purpose of the Initiative**:

- The objectives of the Program are to:
- Assist owners and operators of Industrial buildings, achieve reduced demand and energy savings through the purchase and operation of energy efficient equipment.
  - Facilitate a culture of conservation among these communities and the equipment supply chains that serve them.

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# **4 Residential Programs**

- 5 1. Community Education
- 6 2. Neighbourhood Benchmarking

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# **9 Commercial and Industrial Programs**

- 3. Monitoring and Targeting
- 4. Small Commercial Energy Management and Load Control
- 5. Municipal and Hospital Energy Efficiency Performance
- 6. Double Return Plus

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#### **BOARD-APPROVED CDM PROGRAMS**

## **RESIDENTIAL PROGRAM**

**Initiative Number:** 1

**Initiative Name:** Community Education

**Year(s) of Operation for the Initiative:** 2011-2014

**Initiative Frequency:** Year-Round Initiative

**Target Customer Type(s):** Residential Customers

## 1. Initiative Description

This Initiative focuses on customer education and promotes the exchange of information between the utility and its consumers at local community events. Hydro One projects attendance at these local community events to reach approximately 150,000 people per year. The delivery of the Initiative will rely on a community events partner to help represent Hydro One at local community events throughout the Province.

## 2. Non-Duplicative Features of the Initiative

The OPA-Contracted programs do not provide an initiative similar to the Community Education Program. The Community Education program focuses on customer education and promotes the exchange of information between the utility and its customers at local community events. This program relies on face-to-face interactions with customers, which has proven to be successful in changing social norms and influencing customer behaviour of Hydro One customers. This program is especially needed to address customers who are living in "hard-to-reach", low density, rural communities. While the OPA Consumer Enabling Initiative features an online education component, we believe it is not an effective method for educating all of Hydro One's customers since there is a very sizable segment of Hydro One's customers (almost 50%) who do not have high-speed internet access.

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## 3. Background

Hydro One is committed to promoting a culture of conservation in Ontario. Hydro One plays an active role as "Leaders in the Community" and participates in a variety of annual community events, which provide the Company the opportunity to educate residential customers about the importance of conservation and provide them with the tools they need to help them save energy.

Hydro One serves over 1.2 million customers, 1.1 million of which are residential customers. Our residential customers represent a mix of urban, rural and seasonal customers who live in over 350 communities scattered across the Province. Hydro One customer density is low: there are approximately 10 customers per km of distribution line or 2 customers per sq km of total service area. The geography is vast, as Hydro One's service territory stretches from Pelee Island in the southwest to Vankleek Hill in the east and Kenora in the northwest.

Promoting a culture of conservation to our customers using typical mass marketing techniques has proven to be both expensive and challenging. By attending local community events, we get an opportunity to engage in "face-to-face" discussions. These discussions allow us to educate consumers on the topic of conservation and promote our CDM programs. Previous experience has proven this approach to be an effective way to promote conservation and reach a deeper level of discussion with our customers (beyond the bill insert). Face-to-face engagement allows us to educate consumers, answer questions, remove barriers and drive participation for our other CDM programs.

## 4. Initiative Elements

Given the vast territory serviced by Hydro One and the number of relatively small communities that do not have easy access to the "Province-Wide" marketing and

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- communications campaigns, this Initiative will help us to educate our consumers and
- build awareness of conservation issues and drive participation in conservation initiatives.

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- 4 Initiative elements are:
- Plan to participate in up to 40 50 community events each year across our extensive
- service territory (events will be selected based on various criteria, including
- anticipated attendance at each event, consideration of community coverage across
- 8 Hydro One service territory, etc.)
- Educate consumers on the topic of conservation using various techniques (including
- brochures, videos, etc.)
- Actively promote and market our conservation programs
- Distribute energy efficient products which will encourage customers to "get started"
- with low-cost measures (e.g. plug-in timers, compact fluorescent lamps ("CFL"),
- power bars, etc.)
- Distribute conservation literature and tips on ways to save energy and save money
- Incorporate Time-of-Use messages and promote conservation actions that will help
- customers better manage their energy bill
- "Lead by Example" and act as champions of change in local communities

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## 5. Purpose of the Initiative

- Customer education (on both Conservation and Time-of-Use)
- Build strong customer relationships that promote conservation culture
- Deliver face-to-face conservation messages to "low density" areas, where the
- overarching Province-wide marketing tactics are less effective and require additional
- 25 reinforcement
- Drive participation for all conservation programs
- Remove barriers which have prevented customers from participating in conservation
- programs in the past

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- Influence social norms in local communities social change strategy to promote a culture of conservation
- Distribute low-cost energy efficient measures which provide energy savings results

6. Projected reduction in Peak Electricity Demand (MW)

- 6 Hydro One has used the OPA's Measures and Assumptions Lists to calculate the peak
- demand reduction for the 2011 to 2014 period. Coincident peak demand reduction by the
- end of 2014 is projected to be 0.15MW.

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Total Peak Reduction (MW) 2011-2014					
	2011	2012	2013	2014	Total Coincident Peak Demand Reduction by the end of 2014 (MW)
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Education Initiative (MW)	0.03	0.07	0.11	0.15	0.15

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## 7. Projected Reduction in Electricity Consumption (MWh):

Hydro One has used the OPA's Measures and Assumptions Lists to calculate the energy consumption reduction for the 2011 to 2014 period. Projected energy consumption reduction by 2014 is projected to be 10,450MWh.

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Total Energy Reduction (MWh) 2011-2014					
	2011	2012	2013	2014	Total Energy Reduction Cumulative (2011-2014)
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Education Initiative		ĺ	1		
(MWh)	870	2,030	3,200	4,350	10,450

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## 8. Projected Budget

- The total projected budget for the four year Initiative is approximately \$1.3 million,
- inclusive of n energy efficient giveaways.

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	2011	2012	2013	2014	2014
Marginal costs					
Fixed costs					
Event Planning and Administration Post-Event Reporting (Events Evaluation)			Transfer Control		
Total Fixed costs					
Allocable costs					
Fixed Costs					
Overhead					
Total Fixed Costs					
Total Program Costs					
Incentives (promotional giveaways)					in a second
Total Budget*	\$ 337,500	\$ 337,500	\$ 337,500	\$ 337,500	\$1,350,000

<sup>\*</sup> Given the nature of the community Events initiatives i.e. educational program, the terms of the EM&V study will need to be determined.

# 9. Cost-Effectiveness Tests Results

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# 10. Draft Evaluation plan

Hydro One will ensure that the Community Events Initiative will be evaluated in accordance with the OPA's EM&V Protocol for any custom measures not included in the OPA's Measures and Assumption List. A Draft Evaluation Plan is attached based on the most current version available on the OPA's website as of Oct. 15, 2010. The Initiative Final Evaluation plan will be prepared by an independent third party. The selection of the evaluation criteria and detailed elements of the Evaluation Plan will be determined by the independent third party. Measurement and verification of Initiative peak demand

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- savings (kW) and electricity savings (kWh) results will be conducted by a third party
- 2 review contractor selected through an RFP process from the OPA's "Third Party Vendor
- of Record" list once the Initiative is approved.

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5 The following is a DRAFT EVALUATION PLAN TEMPLATE:

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# 1 COMMUNITY EVENTS INITIATIVE

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# **OPA DRAFT EVALUATION PLAN TEMPLATE**

	Description (see section 1 & 4)
	<b>Key Program Elements (see section 4)</b>
	Goals and Objectives (see section 2 & 5)
	Program Theory (see section 3)
	Program Timing (Subject to funding approval from the Board) Program Launch Date: January 1, 2011
D	All program elements are expected to be deliverable commencing immediately after the program launch date.
Program Description	Program end date: December 31, 2014
	Estimated Participation and Results (see sections 6, 7 & 9)
	Draft Budget (see Section 8)
	Equipment-based Measures:
Conservation Measures	Assumptions for measures considered eligible under the Initiative that are included in the OPA's Measures and Assumptions List.
Evaluation	<b>Evaluation Goals and Objectives</b>
Goals and Objectives	<ul><li>i) Process Design Effectiveness</li><li>ii) Program Administration Effectiveness</li></ul>
	iii) Measures and Assumptions Review
	iv) Establish gross and net energy savings and demand reductions achieved
	<ul> <li>v) Estimate Program Cost-Effectiveness</li> <li>vi) Special Provisions</li> </ul>

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Evaluation Deliverables	<ul> <li>Evaluation Deliverables</li> <li>Final Program Evaluation Plan</li> <li>Annual Report – elements</li> <li>Final Report</li> </ul>
Evaluation Description	The elements of the Evaluation Goals and Objectives are anticipated to include, without limitation, those listed in the corresponding sections below. It is expected that these elements will be reviewed, discussed, evaluated or analyzed as appropriate and according to the OPA's EM&V Protocols to ensure that they meet the Program Evaluation Goals and Objectives during the <b>Draft Evaluation Plan development phase</b> . Review of these elements will assist Hydro One in determining and/or validating the appropriateness of the program design, administration and measures assumption elements and whether adjustments are necessary to successfully deliver the Initiative and to achieve the anticipated Goals and Objectives and estimated participation and results.

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Evaluation							
Elements	i) Program Process Design Effectiveness - Evaluation criteria:						
	Goals of program						
	Staffing and training						
	Program timing and timelines						
	Use of new procedures and best practices						
	Eligibility and participants – original assumptions vs. actual						
	• Events implementation – results of program participation from event						
	Incentives and motivation for participation						
	Customer satisfaction feedback – participant satisfaction						
	Non participant feedback						
	Monitoring and tracking procedures						
	Roles and responsibilities of team members and stakeholders						
	Reporting procedures						
	ii) Program Administration Effectiveness - Evaluation Criteria:						
	Program statistics – including participants, calculations of energy and						
	demand reductions etc.						
	Program Impact Evaluation						
	Market Effects Assessment						
	Pre- and post-Project Analysis Assessment						
	Marketing Effectiveness Assessment						

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	Expense Reporting					
	Market Participant review					
	iii) Measures and Performance Assumptions Review:					
	Prescriptive Measures Assumptions Review					
	Custom Measures Assumptions Review					
	Behavioural and Performance Assumptions Review					
	<ul> <li>iv) Gross and Net Energy Savings and Demand Reductions Achieved:</li> <li>**to be performed by a third party based on the OPA's EM&amp;V protocols</li> <li>Measurement and verification of program energy and demand savings achieved</li> </ul>					
	<ul> <li>Net to Gross ratio (including free rider rate)</li> </ul>					
	Audit and Verification of project completion					
	v) Program Cost Effectiveness:					
	Verification of program expenditures					
	<ul> <li>Verification of program funding and payments</li> </ul>					
	<ul> <li>Cost benefit Analysis – funding vs. program performance</li> </ul>					
Special Provisions	Special Provisions: N/A					
Data Collection Responsibilities to Support Program Evaluation	This area is still under development and will be completed with the assistance of a third party EM&V expert to ensure complete and appropriate collection of data to support Program evaluation.  • List of Planned Events (Dates, Locations, Contacts, Nature of Event, Anticipated Attendance)  • List of Completed Events (Dates, Locations, Contacts, Nature of Event & Actual Attendance Numbers)					
	<ul> <li>List of Planned Giveaways (Descriptions &amp; Anticipated Numbers)</li> <li>List of Actual Giveaways Distributed (Descriptions &amp; Final Numbers)</li> </ul>					

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	Verification of Energy			
	Reductions	TBD	TBD	
	Verification of Program Co	sts TBD	TBD	
	Draft Final Evaluation Rep	ort TBD	TBD /	, 122
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# 2 **RESIDENTIAL PROGRAM**

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4 **Initiative Number: 2** 

5 **Initiative Name:** Neighbourhood Benchmarking

6 **Year(s) of Operation for the Initiative:** 2011 to 2014

7 **Initiative Frequency:** Year round

8 Target Customer Type(s): Residential

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# 1. Initiative Description:

Customers will receive a paper-based "Home Energy Report" that offers insights about

their individual energy use as well as a comparison with their neighbourhood energy use.

13 Hydro One plans to distribute reports to 50,000 of the highest use Residential customers

14 (i.e. over 1,500 kWh per month), who will receive a paper-based report as well as

password-protected, web access to the data. Hydro One will work with members of the

16 Coalition of Large Distributors ("CLD") to issue a joint RFP to search for a third party

supplier who can provide a turnkey solution to support this program.

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#### 2. Non Duplicative Features of the Initiative

Neighbourhood Benchmarking is non-duplicative from all OPA-Contracted Initiatives as

it is the only program that addresses behavioural changes based on peer comparison and

influence. This program provides customers with a customized Home Energy Report that

offers insights about their individual energy use as well as a comparison with their

neighbourhood energy use.

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Neighbourhood Benchmarking has been proven successful in other jurisdictions, where

27 pilots/programs have shown that significant savings can be achieved by benchmarking

household energy usage and comparing it to the neighbours (i.e. peer group with similar

29 attributes).

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#### 3. Background

- This program is centred on a paper-based "Home Energy Report" which is mailed to
- consumers that offers insights about their individual energy use and offers a comparison
- 4 with their neighbourhood energy use. The neighbourhood comparison data helps
- 5 consumers understand "how they are doing" in comparison to their neighbours. The
- 6 information motivates them to take action and reduce their household energy use.

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- 8 The information shown on the report is customized to meet the needs of each individual
- 9 household. In each case, customer load profile data collected from the smart meter will
- be used to help identify the areas of opportunity (i.e. to improve energy efficiency and
- promote conservation). The "Home Energy Report" will translate the individual energy
- usage patterns into meaningful insights coupled with targeted action steps. The report
- will offer energy recommendations that are specifically tailored to meet the needs of the
- 14 customer.

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- This Initiative is organized around two concepts motivating behaviour change and
- providing relevant, targeted information to the consumer. The Initiative is based on
- proven behavioural science which indicates that an effective way to motivate people is to
- provide peer context for their energy use. This is accomplished by dynamically creating
- a 100-home comparison group for each home that only compares homes with similar
- characteristics (square footage, heating type, billing cycle, geographic proximity, etc.).
- 22 This behavioural science-driven model has proven results with over 20 U.S. utilities
- which indicate that people will take action to conserve energy when they are made aware
- of how their energy usage pattern compares with their neighbours (or peers). It is
- important to note that this Initiative is based on a similar social marketing concept which
- contributed to the success of our provincial recycling Initiative, i.e. Blue Box Program.

- 28 The software platform required to support this Initiative will incorporate these
- behavioural science techniques along with detailed statistical analysis and intelligent

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customer segmentation modeling. The results of the Home Energy Reporting system will

- be measured using a proven scientific test and control group methodology. By using test
- and control groups, we will be able to isolate and cleanly evaluate the impact of the
- 4 program. This test and control methodology has already been endorsed in the California
- 5 Evaluators Protocols and the guidelines for the National Action Plan for Energy
- 6 Efficiency, which was jointly produced by the US Department of Energy and the
- 7 Environmental Protection Agency.

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9 Hydro One plans to distribute the "Home Energy Reports" to approximately 50,000 high-

use customers who will also be provided web access to their data. This same number of

customers will be represented in both the "test" and "control" groups. This represents a

conservative implementation approach which will allow us to monitor and manage

customer feedback and mitigate any potential risks associated with a new program.

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# 4. Initiative Elements

- The key initiative elements are:
- Hydro One will work with members of the Coalition of Large Distributors ("CLD")
- to issue a joint RFP to search for a third party supplier who can provide a turnkey
- solution to support this program.
- A Home Energy Report (paper-based report card) is mailed to customers on a regular
- basis throughout the year (typically several days after bill mailing)
- The mailing schedule is predetermined and intended to serve as reminders to help
- influence behaviour change
- The information provided to the customer in the report card includes:
- o Comparison of current, individual usage to closest "neighbours" or "peers"
- o Comparison of current individual usage to the most "efficient neighbours"
- o Comparison of current individual usage to historical usage, i.e. "same time last
- year"

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- O Helpful information regarding "typical household energy use" broken down into categories heating (or cooling), water heating, other appliances and electronics
  - o Recommendations and promotion of LDC conservation programs
- The specific, personalized insights provided allow customers to make informed decisions regarding their energy use and prompts them to take action and conserve energy
  - The software platform should deliver messages to the customer supported by the following communication channels:
- O Comparative Home Energy Reports mailed to customers several times a year, simple to understand, designed to reach and engage customers
  - o Consumer Energy Web Portal available to those customers who are receiving the Home Energy Report Card. Customers will receive password protected access to web-based info which will allow them to learn more about their energy use, share best practises and gain insight into efficiency tips
    - o Call Centre Support provided by LDC trained staff

# 5. Purpose of the Initiative

- The objective is to provide customers with peer group information. This information is intended to motivate them to take action, conserve energy and encourage new behaviours.
- The Initiative has both a measurable energy efficiency component as well as a customer education component.
- 23 At a higher level, the purpose of this Initiative is to:
- achieve measurable energy conservation results (kW & kWh savings)
- support market transformation by encouraging behaviour change
- educate residential customers about the benefits conservation and provide helpful household energy saving tips
- promote participation in provincial conservation programs

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# 6. Projected Reduction in Peak Electricity Demand (MW):

2 Hydro One projects the coincident peak demand reduction by the end of 2014 to be

3 2MW.

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Total Peak Reduction (MW) 2011-2014						
					Total Coincident Peak Demand Reduction by the end of 2014 (MW)	
Neighbourhood benchmarking (MW)	0.6	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	

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# 7. Projected Reduction in Electricity Consumption (MWh)

7 Projected cumulative energy consumption reduction for the years 2011-2014 is projected

8 to be 60,825 MWh.

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Total Energy Reduction (MWh) 2011-2014						
	2011 2012 2013 2014 Total Energy Reduction Cumulative (2011-2014)					
Neighbourhood benchmarking (MWh)	5,700	18,375	18,375	18,375	60,825	

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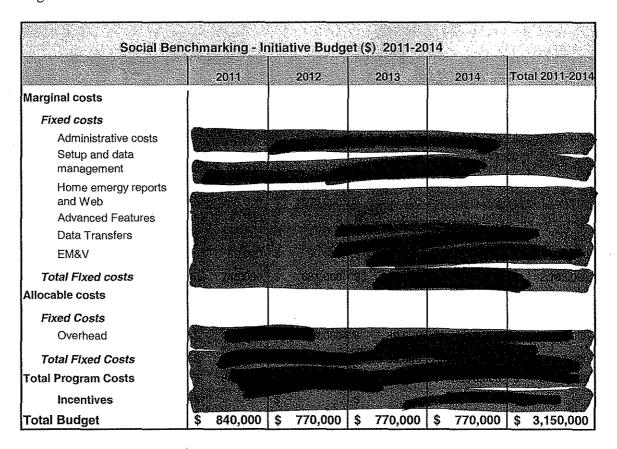
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# 8. Projected Budget

The estimated total Initiative cost is approximately \$3.2 million, which includes

administrative costs, marketing costs, and behind the meter services.

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# 9. Cost-Effectiveness Tests Results:

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#### 10. Draft Evaluation Plan:

Hydro One will ensure that the Neighbourhood Benchmarking Initiative will be evaluated in accordance with the OPA's EM&V Protocol for any custom measures not included in the OPA's Measures and Assumption List. A Draft Evaluation Plan is attached based on the most current version available on the OPA's website as of Oct. 15, 2010. The Initiative Final Evaluation Plan will be prepared by an independent third party. The selection of the evaluation criteria and detailed elements of the Evaluation Plan will be determined by the independent third party. Measurement and verification of Initiative peak demand savings (kW) and electricity savings (kWh) results will be conducted by a

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- third party review contractor selected through an RFP process from the OPA's "Third
- 2 Party Vendor of Record" list once the Initiative is approved.

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# NEIGHBOURHOOD BENCHMARKING INITIATIVE

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#### OPA DRAFT EVALUATION PLAN TEMPLATE

5 **Description** (see section 1) **Key Program Elements (see section 4)** Goals and Objectives (see sections 5, 6 and 7) **Program Theory (see section 3) Program Timing** (subject to funding approval from the Board) Program Launch Date: July 1, 2011 All program elements are expected to be deliverable commencing immediately after the program launch date. Program Description Program end date: December 31, 2014 Estimated Participation and Results (see sections 4, 6, 7 & 9) **Draft Budget (see Section 8)** Equipment-based Measures: N/A Conservation Measures Non-Equipment-based Measures may include: • Behavioural Change **Evaluation Evaluation Goals and Objectives** Goals and **Objectives** i) Process Design Effectiveness ii) Program Administration Effectiveness iii) Establish gross and net energy savings and demand reductions achieved • iv) Estimate Program Cost-Effectiveness

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	v) Special Provisions
Evaluation Deliverables	<ul> <li>Evaluation Deliverables</li> <li>Final Program Evaluation Plan</li> <li>Annual Report – elements</li> <li>Final Report</li> </ul>
Evaluation Description	The evaluation elements of the Evaluation Goals and Objectives are anticipated to include (but are not limited to) those listed in the corresponding sections below. It is expected that these elements will be reviewed, discussed, evaluated or analyzed as appropriate and according to the OPA's EM&V Protocols to ensure that they meet the Program Evaluation Goals and Objectives during the <b>Draft Evaluation Plan development phase</b> . Review of these elements will assist Hydro One in determining and/or validating the appropriateness of the program design, administration and measures assumption elements and whether adjustments are necessary in order to successfully deliver the Initiative and to achieve the anticipated Goals and Objectives and estimated participation and results.

Evaluation							
Elements	i) Program Process Design Effectiveness - Evaluation criteria:						
	Goals of program						
	Program timing and timelines						
	Use of new procedures and best practices						
	original assumptions vs. actual						
	Customer satisfaction feedback – participant satisfaction						
	Non participant feedback						
	Monitoring and tracking procedures						
	<ul> <li>Roles and responsibilities of team members and stakeholders</li> </ul>						
	<ul> <li>Reporting procedures</li> </ul>						
	ii) Program Administration Effectiveness - Evaluation Criteria:						
	<ul> <li>Program statistics – including participants, calculations of energy and demand reductions etc.</li> </ul>						
	Marketing Effectiveness Assessment						
	Budget versus Actual Reporting						
	Market Participant review						

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	iii) Measures and Performance Assumptions Review:						
	Behavioural and Performance Assumptions Review						
	iv) Gross and Net Energy Savings and Demand Reductions Achieved:  **to be performed by a third party based on the OPA's EM&V protocols  **Description of program energy and demand savings						
	Measurement and verification of program energy and demand savings achieved						
	<ul><li>Net to Gross ratio (including free rider rate)</li><li>Audit and Verification as required by Code</li></ul>						
	v) Program Cost Effectiveness:						
	Verification of program expenditures versus budget						
Special Provisions	Special Provisions: N/A						
Data Collection Responsibilities to Support Program Evaluation	This area is still under development and will be completed with the assistance of a third party EM&V expert to ensure complete and appropriate collection of data to support Program evaluation.  Data collection on the following elements may be included:  • Historical energy data related to TEST GROUP & CONTROL GROUP (to support Baseline)  • Total Number of Reports Sent to Customer  • Total Number of Recommended Measures  • Measured Impacts on Demand & Energy Consumption						

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Draft Evaluation Plan	TBD	TBD
Final Evaluation Plan	TBD	TBD
Verification of Projects	TBD	TBD
Verification of Energy		
Reductions	TBD	TBD
Verification of Program Costs	TBD	TBD
Draft Final Evaluation Report	TBD	TBD
Final Evaluation report	TBD	TBD
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# Evaluation Team

Name	Title / Accountability
TBD	Program Manager
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# BOARD-APPROVED CDM PROGRAM

# 2 COMMERCIAL PROGRAM

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4 Initiative Number: 3

5 Initiative Name: Monitoring and Targeting Initiative

6 Year(s) of Operation for the Initiative: 2011-2014

7 Initiative Frequency: Year round

8 Target Customer Type(s): Medium and large commercial businesses with average

demand above 200 kW; industrial customers with average

demand over 200 kW and annual energy consumption of

up to 15 GWh.

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# 1. Initiative Description

The proposed Monitoring & Targeting ("M&T") Initiative is offered to industrial customers with annual energy consumption of up to 15GWh and to commercial businesses with average demand above 200kW. Potential participants will be offered financial incentive to install a monitoring and targeting system that assesses the energy use against key performance indicators such as productivity. M&T will assist these customers to better understand their energy performance. It will also give the participants an opportunity to benchmark their consumption against best practices by other similar businesses. The Initiative is intended to enable customers to achieve sustainable behavioural and continuous improvements. The Initiative will be offered between 2011 and 2014. By the end of the fourth year Hydro One expects to enrol about 2% of the target market in the M&T Initiative (between 35 and 40 commercial and industrial customers) and achieve approximately 5MW in peak demand reduction and over 10GWh in energy savings.

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This Initiative offers financial incentives toward an M&T system up to a maximum of per M&T installation as well as performance incentives up to for

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achieved energy savings. In addition, the participants will receive a full range of behind-

the-meter services to assist customers to implement energy efficiency improvements.

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- 4 The Initiative delivery will be carried out by various third party vendors, although Hydro
- one will be the primary point of contact for participants and interested customers. M&T
- 6 system providers as well as energy managers will also play a key role in the delivery of
- the Initiative by providing ongoing assistance to customers throughout the project cycles.

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#### 2. Non Duplicative Features of the Initiative

10 The distinct elements of the Initiative are:

- Based on the OPA's Industrial Accelerator ("IA") participation rules, only 300 industrial customers out of 1,900 Hydro One C&I customers with annual energy consumption over 15 GWh would qualify to receive an M&T system. The proposed Initiative is intended to address the needs of the remaining 1,600 customers with less than 15 GWh of annual consumption.
- In the OPA's IA Initiative, M&T is offered merely as an enabler to assist with capital projects. The proposed M&T Initiative, by contrast, is a comprehensive, all-encompassing Initiative that will assist participants to undertake M&T as the main project and not merely as an enabler.
  - This Initiative will also provide a full range of behind-the meter services (e.g. customized website with specific customer consumption information, on-site visits and M&T workshops), not offered in the OPA-contracted Initiatives.

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#### 3. Initiative Elements

The key Initiative offerings include:

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M&T system funding: the proposed Initiative offers financial assistance of per expected kW savings, up to a maximum of towards the purchase of an M&T

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system. Customers that agree to install an M&T system will be required to commit

2 contractually to a minimum term of four years.

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- 4 Performance Incentives: this Initiative offers the participants a performance incentive of
- based on four year annualized verified energy savings, which will be paid out
- 6 in annual instalments.

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- 8 Behind-the-meter services: this Initiative will offer ongoing technical services,
- 9 including:
- o customized online information
- expert site visits
- project management assistance
- employee engagement kits
- M&T workshops

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Additional Initiative offerings include:

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Operational and process driven improvements: the proposed Initiative will help customers understand the impact of operational and process improvements to achieve energy savings and help identify low-cost or no-cost opportunities.

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**Educational component:** the proposed Initiative will provide training sessions and workshops to educate customers on energy efficiency drivers and their energy usage.

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Buy-in from senior management: The Initiative will ensure that customer's senior management fully support the M&T project to establish it as a continuous improvement process.

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# 4. Purpose of the Initiative

- The M&T Initiative will offer the key elements required to assist the medium-to-large
- 3 C&I sectors in the successful pursuit of continuous and deeper energy savings beyond the
- traditional C/I CDM programs that focus only on technology or equipment replacement.

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# 5. Projected Reduction in Peak Provincial Electricity Demand (MW):

7 Projected coincident peak demand reduction by end of 2014 is 4.8MW.

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Total Peak Reduction (MW) 2011-2014									
	2011	2014	Total Coincident Peak Demand Reduction by end of 2014 (MW)						
M&T Peak									
Demand									
reduction									
(MW)	-	1.6	3.2	4.8	4.8				

- \*Peak demand savings are expected to be achieved from 2012 onward because of the
- nature of the Initiative and business cycle

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# 6. Projected Reduction in Electricity Consumption (MWh):

Projected energy consumption reduction by 2014 is estimated at 10,450MWh.

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Total Energy Conservation Reduction (MWh) 2011-2014										
	Total Ener Reduction Cumulative (2 2011* 2012 2013 2014 2014)									
M&T Energy Consumption reduction										
(MWh)	-	1,750	3,500	5,200	10,450					

- \*\*Peak demand savings are expected to be achieved from 2012 onward because of the nature of the
- 16 Initiative and business cycle

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# 7. Projected budget

The total cost of the Initiative will be approximately \$4.3 million, inclusive of over

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\*Note: Incentive towards the M&T system (up to ensure that there is enough time to identify and achieve energy savings opportunities. Average incentive per participant is assumed to be approx.

- 7 Note: The total budget shown above is projected to be allocated between commercial and industrial
- 8 participants on a 40/60 basis, respectively.

# 8. Cost Effectiveness Tests Results:

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# 9. Draft Evaluation Plan:

Hydro One will ensure that the Monitoring and Targeting Initiative will be evaluated in 4 accordance with the OPA's EM&V for any custom measures not included in the OPA's 5 Measures and Assumption List. A Draft Evaluation Plan is attached based on the most 6 current version available on the OPA's website as of Oct. 15, 2010. The Initiative Final 7 Evaluation Plan will be prepared by an independent third party. The selection of the 8 evaluation criteria and detailed elements of the Evaluation Plan will be determined by the 9 independent third party. Measurement and verification of Initiative peak demand savings 10 (kW) and electricity savings (kWh) results will be conducted by a third party review 11 contractor selected through an RFP process from the OPA's "Third Party Vendor of 12

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Record" list once the Initiative is approved.

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4	Description: See Section 1					
	<b>Key Program Elements: See Sections 2 and 3</b>					
	Goals and Objectives: See Section 4					
	Program Theory: See Sections 1 and 2					
	Program Timing (Subject to funding approval from the Board) Program Launch Date: January 1, 2011					
	Program End Date: December 31, 2014					
Program	Estimated Participation and Results: See Sections 1,5 and 6					
Description	Draft Budget: See Section 7					
	Non-Equipment-based measures may include:					
Conservation Measures	Process driven changes					
	Equipment-based measures include: N/A					
Evaluation	Evaluation Goals and Objectives					
Goals and Objectives	• i) Process Design Effectiveness • ii) Program Administration Effectiveness					
Objectives	<ul><li>ii) Program Administration Effectiveness</li><li>iii) Measures and Assumptions Review</li></ul>					
	<ul> <li>iv) Establish gross and net energy savings and demand reductions achieved</li> </ul>					
	• v) Estimate Program Cost-Effectiveness					
	vi) Ensure Level of Customer Satisfaction					

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Evaluation	Evaluation Deliverables					
Deliverables						
	Draft Evaluation Plan					
	Final Program Evaluation Plan					
	Annual Report – Elements					
	Final Report					
Evaluation	The evaluation elements of the Evaluation Goals and Objectives are anticipated to					
Description	include, without limitation, those listed in the corresponding sections below. It is					
	expected that these elements will be reviewed, discussed, evaluated or analyzed as					
	appropriate and according to the OPA's EM&V Protocols to ensure that they meet					
	the Program Evaluation Goals and Objectives during the <b>Draft Evaluation Plan</b>					
	development phase. Review of these elements will assist Hydro One in					
	determining and/or validating the appropriateness of the program design,					
	administration and measures assumption elements and whether adjustments are					
	necessary in order to successfully deliver the Initiative and to achieve the					
	anticipated goals and objectives and estimated participation and results.					
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Evaluation	
Elements	i) Program Process Design Effectiveness - Evaluation criteria:
	Goals of program
	Staffing and training
	Program timing and timelines
	<ul> <li>Incentives and motivation for participation</li> </ul>
	Participant satisfaction feedback
	Non participant feedback back – participant satisfaction
	Monitoring and tracking procedures
	Reporting procedures
	ii) Program Administration Effectiveness - Evaluation Criteria:
	Program statistics – including participants, calculations of energy and
	demand reductions etc.
	Program Impact Evaluation
	Pre- and post-Project Analysis Assessment
	Marketing Effectiveness Assessment
	Actual versus Budget Reporting
	Market Participant review
	iii) Measures and Performance Assumptions Review:
	Custom Measures Assumptions Review
	Behavioural and Performance Assumptions Review

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	<ul> <li>iv) Gross and Net Energy Savings and Demand Reductions Achieved:         <ul> <li>**to be performed by a third party based on the OPA's EM&amp;V protocols</li> <li>Measurement and verification of program energy and demand savings achieved</li> <li>Net to Gross ratio (including free rider rate)</li> <li>Audit and Verification of project completion</li> </ul> </li> <li>v) Program Cost Effectiveness:         <ul> <li>Verification of program expenditures versus budget</li> <li>Verification of incurred payments</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
Special Provisions	N/A
Data Collection Responsibilities to Support Program	This area is still under development and will be completed with the assistance of a third party EM&V expert to ensure complete and appropriate collection of data to support Program evaluation.
Evaluation	Data collection and evaluation activities anticipated to support the evaluation of the Initiative may include the following:
	Historical account consumption data
	Number of participants
	Program Costs
	Program incentives
	<ul><li>Customer site attributes</li><li>Program delivery metrics</li></ul>
	<ul> <li>Interviews with Initiative designers, delivery agents, administrators</li> </ul>
	Interviews with market allies and market channel reps
	<ul> <li>Interviews with participants and non-participants</li> </ul>
	M&T system costs (supported by invoices)

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Evaluation	Evaluation Deliverable	Budge		Date	
Schedule &	Draft Evaluation Plan	TBD		TBD	
Budget	Final Evaluation Plan	TBD		TBD	
	Verification of Projects	TBD		TBD	
	Verification of Energy				
	Reductions	TBD		TBD	
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	Draft Final Evaluation Rep			TBD	
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	3 <sup>rd</sup> party (Final Evaluation				
	Plan Development)	TBD		TBD	
	3 <sup>rd</sup> Party Measurement and Verification Contractor				
	(selected from OPA "Third				
	Party Vendor of Record" list	TBD		TBD	

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### **BOARD-APPROVED CDM PROGRAM**

# 2 COMMERCIAL PROGRAM

- **Initiative Number:** 4
- **Initiative Name:** Small Commercial Energy Management and Load Control
- **Year(s) of Operation for the Initiative:** 2011-2014
- **Initiative Frequency:** Year round
- 8 Target Customer Type(s): Small- and medium-size General Service customers with
- average monthly peak demand of up to 200kW

# 1. Initiative Description:

This is an Energy Management and Demand Response Initiative that aims at helping approximately 85,000 small- and medium-size General Service customers with average monthly peak demand of up to 200kW to reduce their energy consumption by 20GWh and peak system demand by 20MW over the term of the Initiative. Hydro One expects to enrol approximately 5,500 customers by the end of 2014.

The program will offer an Energy Management System as well as load control devices (e.g., switches) for end-use control. The Energy Management System ("EMS") included in this Initiative will assist in initiating load control events as well as help customers to achieve energy savings.

This Initiative will be delivered through a third-party vendor selected through a competitive bidding process. The implementation vendor will be responsible for marketing, installing and maintaining all equipment, and tracking and reporting results. Hydro One staff will coordinate the Initiative deployment and provide assistance to the vendors, as needed, while ensuring that the program delivery milestones, targets and timelines are met.

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- Hydro One will issue an RFP to select a viable demand response system with the required 1
- energy management functions for the participating customers to use. The selected EMS 2
- system will meet the functional and technical requirements of both Hydro One and the 3
- program participants. Rigorous system acceptance testing will be performed on the 4
- selected system based on well-defined test conditions to ensure the suitability of the 5
- system for program deployment. 6

#### 2. Non-Duplicative Features of the Initiative 8

- The distinct elements of the Initiative are: 9
  - The proposed Initiative is solely designed to meet the needs of small commercial customers with up to 200kW load. This Initiative stands in contrast to the OPAcontracted Residential Demand Response Initiative which is primarily intended to meet the needs of residential customers. Although the OPA Initiative has been offered to small commercial customers (under 50kW load), over the last three years the participation rate has remained very limited (less than 1%) and OPA projected uptake to 2014 remains at less than 1%.
  - Another distinct feature of the proposed Initiative is the targeting of a broader commercial customer group compared to the OPA Residential Demand Response Initiative. The proposed Initiative is offered to customers below 50kW and is extended to customers with peak load greater than 50kW and up to 200kW.
- The proposed Initiative is distinct from the OPA Residential Demand Response Program as it provides customers with an EMS system that can assist them to take full advantage of TOU rates. Unlike the OPA Residential Demand Response, the proposed Initiative covers the monthly fee required to allow the customers to have access to the full use of the EMS system that is installed in their premises. As a result, the system is used for both demand response and the customers' energy 26 efficiency/TOU purposes.

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• One of the distinct features of this program is the offering of technical assistance to
the participants on an ongoing basis. At the point of installation, customers will
receive training from the EMS installers for programming the EMS system to save
energy and take advantage of TOU rates. The program will also provide online
technical support to customers throughout the year.

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#### 3. Initiative Elements

- 8 The key Initiative offerings include:
  - The program offers an installed Energy Management system and end-use load control devices, such as a switch. The value of this offering including installation cost is estimated at approximately which will be fully funded by Hydro One. This system will provide small commercial establishments with a programmable energy management tool to monitor and control their energy use to save energy and reduce their peak demand. This system will also be used by Hydro One to initiate and execute load control events.
- To allow the customer to exploit the full potential of the EMS system Hydro One will cover the monthly EMS access fee on behalf of the customer valued at over four years.
- Participants in the load control events will receive a \$10 incentive per event up to 15 events in a year to an annual total of \$150.
- At the point of installation customers will receive training from the EMS installers for programming the EMS system to save energy and take advantage of TOU rates. The program will also provide online technical support to assist the customers to program the EMS system.

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#### 4. Background

While general service customers under 50kW are eligible to participate in the *PeakSaver*Program, so far less than one percent of this customer group has participated in the
program. This is primarily due to the fact that the *PeakSaver* Program is designed to

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respond to the needs of residential customers. This is the foundation of the need for the

- proposed Initiative i.e. to specifically address the needs of the small commercial
- customers by helping them to better manage their energy usage and to take advantage of
- 4 the upcoming TOU rates.

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# **5. Purpose of the Initiative**

- 7 The purpose of this Initiative is two fold:
- 1. Provide Customer Benefits: provide business customers with an Energy Management
  System ("EMS") that would help them monitor and control their energy consumption
  and/or bills in a time-of-use ("TOU") environment. This will help customers manage
  their energy consumption and change their behaviour in a sustainable manner.
- 2. Provide System Benefits: enable the utility to install a load control device in customers' businesses which, when activated, will reduce system peak load and increase the reliability of the electricity grid.

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# 6. Projected Reduction in Peak Provincial Electricity Demand (MW):

Projected coincident peak demand reduction by the end of 2014 is 20MW.

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Total Peak Reduction (MW) 2011-2014									
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Small Commercial									
Energy Management									
System & Load									
Control (MW)	2.8	8.4	14.2	20.0	20.0				

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22 20,000MWh.

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Small Commercial								
Energy Management								
System & Load		Ì						
Control (MWh)	1,200	3,750	6,250	8,950	20,150			

# 8. Projected Budget

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The total projected budget for this Initiative is \$15.2 million, inclusive of



customer incentives

Program Budget Small Commercial Demand Response (\$) 2011-2014 Total 2011-2014 2011\* 2012 2013 Marginal costs Fixed costs Administrative costs Marketing Turn-key vendor EM&V **Total Fixed Costs** Variable Costs Turn-Key Vendor (Load Control + EMS installation) **Total Variable Costs** Allocable costs Fixed Overhead Variable Overhead Total Program Costs Incentives \$ 4,412,500 \$ 3,953,500 \$ 1,959,500 4,874,500 | \$ 15,200,000 Total Budget

\* Initiative deployment is expected to commence July 2011

# 9. Cost Effectiveness Tests Results

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# **10. Draft Evaluation Plan:**

Hydro One will ensure that the Commercial Energy Management and Load Control Initiative will be evaluated in accordance with the OPA's EM&V Protocol for any

4 custom measures not included in the OPA's Measures and Assumption List. A Draft

5 Evaluation Plan is attached based on the most current version available on the OPA's

6 website as of Oct. 15, 2010. The Initiative Final Evaluation Plan will be prepared by an

independent third party. The selection of the evaluation criteria and detailed elements of

the Evaluation Plan will be determined by the independent third party. Measurement and

verification of Initiative peak demand savings (kW) and electricity savings (kWh) results

will be conducted by a third party review contractor selected through an RFP process

from the OPA's "Third Party Vendor of Record" list once the Initiative is approved.

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# SMALL AND MID SIZE COMMERCIAL ENERGY MANAGEMENT AND LOAD CONTROL

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# OPA DRAFT EVALUATION PLAN TEMPLATE

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Program Description	Description: See Sections 1 and 2
	<b>Key Program Elements: See Section 1 and 3</b>
	Goals and Objectives: See Sections 1 and 5
	Program Theory: See Sections 2,3 and 4
	Program Timing (subject to funding approval from the Board) Program Launch Date: July 1st, 2011
	All program elements are expected to be deliverable commencing immediately after the program launch date.
	Program end date: December 31, 2014
	Estimated Participation and Results: See Sections 1, 6 and 7
	Draft Budget: See Section 8
Conservation Measures	Behavioural Changes Energy Management System
	Load control service (included in the EMS system)
Evaluation Goals and	Evaluation Goals and Objectives
<b>Objectives</b>	i) Process Design Effectiveness
	ii) Program Administration Effectiveness
	iii) Establish gross and net energy savings and demand reductions

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	achieved
	iv) Estimate Program Cost Effectiveness
Evaluation	Evaluation Deliverables
Deliverables	Draft Evaluation Plan
	Final Program Evaluation Plan
	Annual Report – elements
	Final Report
Evaluation	The evaluation elements of the Evaluation Goals and Objectives are anticipated to
Description	include (but are not limited to) those listed in the corresponding sections below. It
	is expected that these elements will be reviewed, discussed, evaluated or analyzed
	as appropriate and according to the OPA's EM&V Protocols to ensure that they
	meet the Program Evaluation Goals and Objectives during the <b>Draft Evaluation</b>
	Plan development phase. Review of these elements will assist Hydro One in
	determining and/or validating the appropriateness of the program design,
	administration and measures assumption elements and whether adjustments are
	necessary in order to successfully deliver the Initiative and to achieve the
	anticipated Goals and Objectives and estimated participation and results.

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Evaluation	
Elements	i) Program Process Design Effectiveness - Evaluation criteria:
	Staffing and training
	Program timing and timelines
	Use of new procedures and best practices
	Eligibility and participants – original assumptions vs. actual
	Procedure for load control event implementation – results of program participation from event
	Motivation for participation and incentive level
	Customer satisfaction feedback – participant satisfaction
	Non participant feedback
	Program management monitoring procedures
	Roles and responsibilities of team members and stakeholders
	Reporting procedures
	ii) Program Administration Effectiveness - Evaluation Criteria:
	Program statistics – including participants, calculations of energy and
	demand reductions etc.
	Marketing Effectiveness
	Actual versus Budget Reporting

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	Market Participant review
	iii) Measures and Performance Assumptions Review:
	<ul> <li>Custom Measures Assumptions Review</li> </ul>
	Behavioural and Performance Assumptions Review
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	iv) Gross and Net Energy Savings and Demand Reductions Achieved: **to be performed by a third party based on the OPA's EM&V protocols
	<ul> <li>Measurement and verification of program energy and demand savings achieved</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Net to Gross ratio (including free rider rate)</li> </ul>
	Audit and Verification of project completion
	v) Program Cost Effectiveness:
	<ul> <li>Verification of program expenditures versus budget</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Verification of program funding and payments</li> </ul>
	• Cost benefit Analysis – funding vs. program performance
Special	
Provisions	N/A
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<b>Data Collection</b>	This area is still under development and will be completed with the assistance
Responsibilities	of a third party EM&V expert to ensure complete and appropriate collection of
to Support	data to support Program evaluation.
Program	Data collection and evaluation activities anticipated to support the evaluation of the
Evaluation	Initiative may include the following:
	• Historical account consumption data
	Historical account consumption data     Number of participants
	Number of participants     Program Costs
	Program Costs     Program in continues
	Program incentives     Program delivery metrics
	Program delivery metrics     Interviews with Initiative designers delivery agents administrators.
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	Interviews with market allies and market channel reps
	Interviews with participants and non-participants

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	Verification of Energy	<b></b>		
	Reductions	TBD	1	TBD
	Verification of Program Cos	4		TBD
Section 1	Draft Final Evaluation Repo	i i	1	TBD
	Final Evaluation report	TBD		TBD
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### 1 BOARD-APPROVED CDM PROGRAM

### 2 COMMERCIAL PROGRAM

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- 4 Initiative Number: 5
- 5 Initiative Name: Municipal and Hospital Energy Efficiency Performance
- 6 Year(s) of Operation for the Initiative: 2011-2014
- 7 Initiative Frequency: Year round
- 8 Target Customer Type(s): All municipal and hospital customers in Hydro One service
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### 1. Initiative Description:

The Municipal and Hospital Energy Efficiency Performance Program provides monetary incentives to municipal and hospital customers for overall electrical energy efficiency reductions within facilities and across their portfolio of accounts. By requiring participants to commit to continuous electrical energy management and efficiency actions and improvements year over year, Hydro One expects that the unique offerings of the Initiative will assist in transforming this segment of the broader public sector to entrench energy efficiency and energy conservation as a core best practice within their organizations.

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The key elements and comprehensive approach of the Initiative seek to assist this historically hard to reach sector in the pursuit of sustained and deeper energy savings by going beyond technology-based incentives offered in traditional or proposed Province-wide commercial CDM programs. Participating customers will be eligible to receive a financial incentive at for overall energy performance improvements for each year of participation.

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The Initiative is expected to be made available to all municipal and hospital account customers across Hydro One's service areas. Hydro One services, or shares service, in

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- 82% of the municipalities and approximately 35% of hospitals across Ontario. Total
- 2 Initiative participation is anticipated to be a minimum of 27 municipalities and 6
- hospitals. The expected total energy savings of this Initiative is approximately 26 GWh
- and peak demand savings of 1 MW.

- 6 Delivery of the Initiative will be carried out by Hydro One and contracted resources and
- 7 experts in the field of energy Conservation and Demand Management ("CDM").

This Initiative could be further extended to the other public sector institutions.

#### 2. Non Duplicative Features of the Initiative

This Initiative is non duplicative as it goes beyond technology specific savings and encourages the sector to focus on whole buildings, systems and processes within their account portfolio, and to adopt energy efficiency technical, management, and organizational best practices. The Initiative includes unique elements that are not offered in any other commercial CDM program in Ontario. The proposed province wide commercial and institutional programs (i.e. The Electricity Retrofit Incentive Program and the Power Savings Blitz) offer incentives based on capital investment and equipment replacement by the participant rather than organizational best practices in energy management and efficiency and overall energy performance improvements.

The proposed Initiative focuses on on-going, long term customer commitment to energy savings. Participants will be required to sign a memorandum of understanding ("MoU") committing to: the assembly of a cross-functional team; the development of a comprehensive Energy Conservation Action Plan; ongoing electrical energy consumption and demand benchmarking, tracking and target setting; employee engagement and training; and commitment from top levels of the organization. A commitment to reinvest incentives (realized from energy and peak demand reductions) into further energy efficiency actions will also be encouraged.

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#### 3. Initiative Elements

- 3 The value proposition to customers participating in the Municipal and Hospital Energy
- 4 Efficiency Performance Initiative includes the following unique elements:
- Compile and provide useful historical energy consumption data for eligible accounts within the hospital or municipal portfolio
- A signed memorandum of understanding ("MoU") committing to:
- 8 o assembly of a cross-functional team including top level management
- o development of an Energy Conservation Action Plan
- o annual benchmarking and monitoring of electrical energy usage
- o set annual reduction targets
- o continuous action and implementation of energy efficient initiatives
- o participation in the Initiative to December 31, 2014
- o to direct any incentive monies related to energy efficiency actions back to Energy Efficiency initiatives within the organization (encouraged)
- toward tools, training and/or memberships that help achieve energy and demand consumption benchmarking, tracking and targeting; Conservation Action Plan development assistance, technical training and energy management best practices.
- CDM Specialist including consultation and review of current vs. best practices for management, operations and technology
- Up to of the cost (to a maximum of for pre-assessment and/or audit of energy intensive facilities within a portfolio. Participants are eligible for one pre-assessment and audit incentive within the Initiative delivery period (2011 to 2014).

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## 4. Background:

2 Municipalities are the second largest energy consuming sector in Ontario, representing an

estimated expenditure of over \$955 million per year (\$680 million in electricity and \$275

4 million in natural gas<sup>1</sup>.)

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6 Many of the municipalities and hospitals in Hydro One's service area are small- to mid-

size and remotely located which may impact internal resources, knowledge base, budgets

and access to CDM support as compared to their larger counter parts. For many, facility

9 management and electricity bill payment and accountabilities are decentralized, and

equipment upgrade projects are often reactive. Energy efficient projects also compete

with non-discretionary projects and budget constraints. These barriers are thought to

have impacted the limited participation from this sector in technology-based Provincial

CDM programs to date. This Initiative seeks to remove these barriers.

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#### 5. Purpose of the Initiative:

The Municipal and Hospital Energy Efficiency Performance Initiative will offer the key elements required to assist this broader public sector in the successful pursuit of continuous and deeper energy savings beyond the traditional commercial CDM programs that focus only on technology or equipment replacement. Using a comprehensive delivery model and performance-based incentive approach, this Initiative will help this sector make appropriate technology, process, management and organizational decisions that best fit their business, community and facility needs.

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### 6. Projected Reduction in Peak Electricity Demand (MW)

The Initiative is expected to achieve approximately 1.1 MW of peak reduction by the end of 2014.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Association of Municipalities of Ontario and Local Authority Services Ltd. website

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Total Peak Reduction (MW) 2011-2014							
	2011	2012	2013	2014	Total Coincident Peak Demand Reduction by end of 2014 (MW)		
Municipal - Hospital Energy Performance (MW)	0.3	0.5	0.8	1.1	1.1		

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# 7. Projected Reduction in Electricity Consumption (MWh):

4 The Initiative is expected to achieve 25,500 MWh cumulative energy reduction by the

5 end of 2014.

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Total Energy Reduction (MWh) 2011-2014							
	2011	2012	2013	2014	Total Energy Reduction Cumulative (2011-2014)		
Municipal -							
Hospital							
Energy							
Performance							
(MWh)	2,000	4,800	7,800	10,900	25,500		

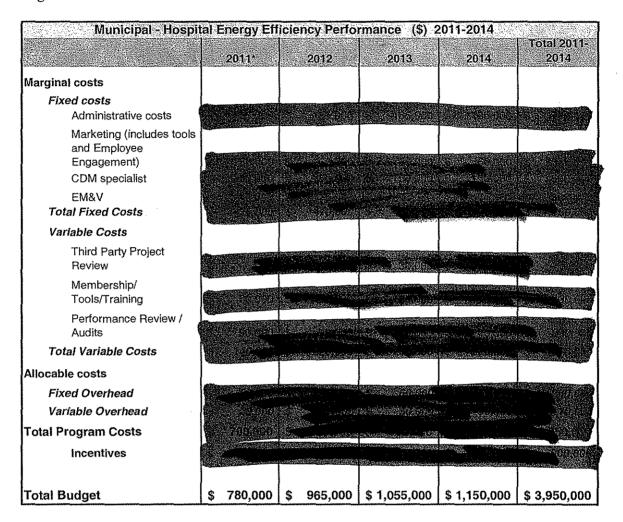
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### 8. Projected Budget

- 9 The estimated budget to deliver the Municipal and Hospital Efficiency Performance
- Initiative is approximately \$4 million including in performance incentives.
- Administrative, marketing and third party delivery and EM&V costs are included in the
- 12 estimated budget.

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#### 9. Cost-Effectiveness Test Results

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#### 10. Draft Evaluation Plan

This Initiative focuses on reducing Municipal and Hospital peak demand and energy 8 9

consumption through behavioural changes and equipment upgrades. The equipment

upgrade component falls under the measures included in the OPA's M&A List, while the

behavioural component assumptions are based on consultations with industry experts. 11

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Hydro One will ensure that the Municipal – Hospital Energy Efficiency Performance 1 Initiative will be evaluated in accordance with the OPA's EM&V Protocols for any 2 custom measures not included in the OPA's Measures and Assumption List. A Draft 3 Evaluation Plan is attached based on the most current version available on the OPA's 4 website as of Oct. 15, 2010. A Final Evaluation Plan will be prepared by an independent 5 third party after OEB approval of the Initiative. The selection of the evaluation criteria 6 and detailed elements of the Evaluation Plan will be determined by the independent third 7 Measurement and verification of Initiative peak demand savings (kW) and 8 electricity savings (kWh) results will be conducted by a third party review contractor 9 selected through an RFP process from the OPA's "Third Party Vendor of Record" list. 10

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**OPA DRAFT EVALUATION PLAN** MUNICIPAL AND HOSPITAL ENERGY EFFICIENCY PERFORMANCE

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# DRAFT EVALUATION PLAN TEMPLATE

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	Description (see Section 1)
	Key Program Elements ((see sections 2 and 3)
	Goals and Objectives (see sections 1 and 5)
	Program Theory (see section 1 and 2)
	Program Timing (subject to funding approval from the Board) Program Launch Date: January 1st, 2011
Program Description	All program elements are expected to be deliverable commencing immediately after the program launch date. CDM Specialist, consultation, membership in sector specific Energy performance or monitoring programs or associations, participating account identification and benchmarking will be the key elements offered early in program delivery and throughout the four years of the program for as long as the customer(s) accounts are still eligible or participating.
	Customer enrolment end date: June 30 <sup>th</sup> , 2012.
	Program end date: December 31, 2014
	Estimated Participation and Results (see sections 1, 7 & 8)
	Draft Budget (see Section 9)
	Equipment-based Measures:
Conservation Measures	The Initiative will focus on energy efficient lighting, controls, motors, pumps and HVAC systems, however, will allow for and financially incent retrofitting of other proven energy efficient technologies. Assumptions for measures considered eligible under the Initiative that are not included under the OPA's Measures and
	Assumptions List have been, or will be, developed by a third party based on the OPA's EM&V Protocols.
	Non-Equipment-based Measures may include:

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	Retro commissioning
	Continuous Optimization (Maintenance)
	Employee awareness
	Historical energy usage benchmarking
	Comparison to best in class and peer buildings (social benchmarking),
	Energy efficiency best practices (management, operations, technical etc)
	Monitoring and target setting
	Training and capability building
	Building or system auditing
	Ongoing membership with organizations offering tools, resources, capacity
	building and peer consultation focusing on energy use benchmarking,
	monitoring, tracking, target setting and reductions.
Evaluation	Evaluation Goals and Objectives
Goals and	
Objectives	i) Process Design Effectiveness
	ii) Program Administration Effectiveness
	iii) Measures and Assumptions Review
	iv) Establish gross and net energy savings and demand reductions
	achieved
	v) Estimate Program Cost-Effectiveness
	• vi) Special Provisions
Evaluation	Evaluation Deliverables
Deliverables	
	Final Program Evaluation Plan
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	Final Report
Evaluation	The evaluation elements of the Evaluation Coals and Objectives are entisinated to
Description 1	The evaluation elements of the Evaluation Goals and Objectives are anticipated to include (but are not limited to) those listed in the corresponding sections below. It
Description	is expected that these elements will be reviewed, discussed, evaluated or analyzed
	as appropriate and according to the OPA's EM&V Protocols to ensure that they
	meet the Program Evaluation Goals and Objectives during the <b>Draft Evaluation</b>
	Plan development phase. Review of these elements will assist Hydro One in
	determining and/or validating the appropriateness of the program design,
	administration and measures assumption elements and whether adjustments are
	necessary in order to successfully deliver the Initiative and to achieve the
	anticipated Goals and Objectives and estimated participation and results.

<b>Evaluation</b>	
Elements	i) Program Process Design Effectiveness - Evaluation criteria:

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•	Goals of program
•	Staffing and training

- Program timing and timelines
- Marketing Plan
- Use of new procedures and best practices
- Original assumptions vs. actual
- Incentives and motivation for participation
- Customer satisfaction feedback participant satisfaction
- Non participant feedback
- Monitoring and tracking procedures
- Roles and responsibilities of team members and stakeholders
- Reporting procedures

## ii) Program Administration Effectiveness - Evaluation Criteria:

- Program statistics including participants, calculations of energy and demand reductions etc.
- Program Impact Evaluation
- Market Effects Assessment
- Pre and post Project Analysis Assessment
- Marketing Effectiveness Assessment
- Actual versus Budget Reporting
- Market Participant review

#### iii) Measures and Performance Assumptions Review:

- Custom Measures Assumptions Review
- Behavioural and Performance Assumptions Review

# iv) Gross and Net Energy Savings and Demand Reductions Achieved\*: \*to be performed by a third party based on the OPA's EM&V protocols

- Measurement and verification of program energy and demand savings achieved
- Net to Gross ratio (including free rider rate)
- Audit and Verification of project completion

#### v) Program Cost Effectiveness:

- Verification of program expenditures versus budget
- Verification of program funding and payments
- Cost benefit Analysis funding vs. program performance

# Special Provisions

#### **Special Provisions:**

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Data Collection Responsibilities to Support Program Evaluation	This area is still under development and will be completed with the assistance of a third party EM&V expert to ensure complete and appropriate collection of data and evaluation activities to support Initiative evaluation.
	Data collection and evaluation activities anticipated to support the evaluation of the Initiative may include the following. :
	<ul> <li>Historical account consumption data</li> <li>Gross number of participants</li> <li>Program Costs</li> <li>Program incentives</li> <li>Number of and types of measures installed</li> <li>Actual values of participant inputs (i.e. hrs of operation) used to generate kWh and kW savings estimates</li> <li>Building or account attributes</li> <li>Program delivery metrics (i.e. web hits, marketing materials delivered)</li> <li>Interviews with Initiative designers, delivery agents, administrators</li> <li>Interviews with market allies and market channel reps</li> <li>Interviews with participants and non-participants</li> <li>Observation of field efforts and operation</li> <li>Base case technology or process data</li> <li>Project and equipment costs (supported by invoices)</li> <li>Post project (new measure) data</li> <li>On-site inspection / verification of implemented measures</li> <li>Copy of customer draft Energy Conservation Action Plan</li> <li>Energy Efficiency Activities and Actions Report from participants</li> </ul>

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Evaluation	Evaluation Deliverable	Bud	jet	Date	
Schedule &	Draft Evaluation Plan	TBI	)	TBD	
Budget	Final Evaluation Plan	TBI	)	TBD	
	Verification of Projects	TBI	)	TBD	
	Verification of Energy		_		
	Reductions	TBI		TBD	
	Verification of Program Costs	4		TBD	
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	Final Evaluation report	TBI	)	TBD	
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#### BOARD-APPROVED CDM PROGRAM

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- 4 Initiative Number: 6
- 5 Initiative Name: Double Return Plus ("DRP")
- 6 Initiative Frequency: Year round
- 7 Target Customer Type(s): Commercial and industrial interval metered customers with
- average peak load of 200 kW or above.
- 9 Years of Operation for the Initiative: 2011 to 2014, subject to annual reviews and
- 10 approvals.

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#### 1. Initiative Description

- The Double Return Plus Initiative ("DRP") targets approximately 900 interval-metered
- commercial and industrial ("C/I") customers with an average monthly peak load in excess
- of 200 kW. The objective of this Initiative is to reduce the customers' peak demand,
- which, in turn, is expected to reduce the total system peak demand by up to 20 MW. This
- 17 Initiative has an expected program cost of \$4.1 million (\$200/kW) inclusive of
- incentives.

- The Double Return Plus Initiative has two components: a peak demand reduction and an
- energy efficiency component. This Initiative encourages the customers to reduce their
- summer peak demand relative to their summer demand in the previous year by at least
- 5%. The energy efficiency savings will be achieved through the installation of a load
- 24 management system. The proposed Initiative will fund of the cost of a load
- 25 management system, up to a maximum of This Initiative will enable customers
- to control and reduce their summer peak demand as well as achieve sustainable energy
- 27 savings.

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The performance incentive payments will be set equal to double the amount of reduction

- in delivery charges on the customer's bill resulting from achieving a reduction in their
- peak load. While the participants are encouraged to optimize their reduction in their peak
- demand, incentives are only applied to savings that range from a minimum of 5% to a
- 5 maximum of 10% reduction. For every dollar the customer saves in reduced delivery
- 6 charges, the program will provide two dollars in incentive payments.
- 8 In addition to performance incentives, this Initiative will offer a range of behind-the
- 9 meter services including online technical services, on-site visits, energy efficiency and
- demand response workshops, and employee engagement kits.
- The program will primarily be delivered directly by Hydro One with the help of a number
- of third party vendors to assist with the promotion and delivery of the technical services
- to the customers.

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#### 2. Non-Duplicative Features of the Initiative

- 17 The unique elements of the Initiative are:
- Non-Dispatchable versus Dispatchable Demand Response: The Double Return
- Plus Initiative is not duplicative of the OPA Demand Response Programs because it is
- based on non-dispatchable load control and it also aims at reducing energy
- consumption. By contrast, the OPA Province-wide Demand Response programs are
- based on dispatchable load control and, as a result, have minimal energy savings.
- Non-dispatchable load control means that it is left to the customer's discretion
- 24 whether they wish to reduce their peak demand and the time at which they reduce
- demand given the customers business needs and production cycles. Dispatchable
- load control, on the other hand, means that the customer must respond to the IESO's
- 27 request that they curtail a contracted amount of their load or face penalties (e.g.,
- under Demand Response 3) for not doing so. Further, the OPA had already approved
- the Double Return program as a Custom Program distinct from the OPA's Demand

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1 Response 1/Demand Response 3 programs, and all three programs coexisted in the marketplace in 2008 and 2009.

- Bring demand response and energy efficiency together: The Initiative equips the customer with the information and tools to meet demand reduction as well as energy savings, all in one initiative. Hydro One will hire third party vendor(s) so that participants will have access to a range of technical and information services that would help them better understand their energy usage and assist them in identifying areas where they can reduce their energy consumption and shift or shave their peak load. Several tools including workshops, online assistance, and written information material would be used to assist customers to reach this goal. The Initiative will also offer free expert on-site visits to identify specific opportunities in customers' facilities focusing on loads associated with industrial processes, motors, lighting, compressed air, and electro-technologies. Bringing together demand response and energy efficiency is a unique feature compared to OPA-contracted Demand Response initiatives available in the market
  - No cost low cost opportunities: Double Return Plus helps identify savings potential at limited and/or no cost to the customer. For example, a change in the customer's behaviour will come at no cost, whereas an installation of a control device would come at low cost. The focus on operational and behavioural changes brings about a culture of conservation in the business markets.

#### 3. Background

The initial Double Return Initiative was designed by Hydro One and offered under Market Adjusted Rate of Return (MARR) funding in 2006/2007. This Initiative was very successful and became popular among Hydro One customers as well as other stakeholders. Further, the OPA approved the Double Return program as a Custom Initiative in 2008/2009 where the program coexisted with the OPA's Demand Response 1/Demand Response 3 programs. The proposed Double Return Plus is a new generation of the original Initiative with enhanced features for the 2011-2014 period.

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#### 4. Initiative Elements

- 3 While the key success factor in the original Double Return program has been the
- simplicity of its design, the new Double Return Plus initiative includes three additional
- 5 components:
- Reply Card: A requirement to submit a "Reply Card" by participating customers.
- The Reply Card ensures that the customer is interested and committed to the
- 8 Initiative.
- Action Plan: A requirement to complete a multiple choice two-paged "Action Plan"
- The Action Plan identifies the steps which the customer plans to take to meet the
- minimum peak load reduction (of at least 5% of the average summer June-August
- peak load as compared to the previous year) to qualify for the financial incentive.
- Load Management System: The availability of financial incentives to enable
- participants to purchase a Load Management System to perform load balancing
- through energy management programming to achieve savings. The financial
- incentives will cover the cost of the system, up to a maximum of



- Other Initiative offerings include:
- Incentives: Double Return Plus incentives will be set to equal double the amount of
- reduction in delivery charges on the customer's bill resulting from achieving 5% -
- 21 10% reduction in the summer peak load as compared to the previous year. Double
- Return Plus incentives will also provide funds up to of the cost of the Load
- Balancing/Management System up to per system.
  - Behind-the-meter services: this Initiative will offer on-going technical services
- 25 including:
- o customized online information
- o expert site visits/assistance
- o Double Return Plus energy workshops
- o employee engagement kits

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## 5. Purpose of the Initiative

The Double Return Plus Initiative will offer the key elements required to assist the

medium to large C&I sectors in the successful pursuit of continuous and deeper energy

savings beyond the traditional C/I CDM programs that focus only on technology or

5 equipment replacement.

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#### 6. Projected reduction in Peak Electricity Demand (MW)

8 This Initiative is projected to achieve 21 MW peak reduction by the end of 2014. For

9 Double Return Plus a portion of the peak reduction will have one year persistence

attributable to behavioural changes, and the remaining peak reduction will have multi-

year persistency attributable to the application of the load management system.

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Total Peak Reduction (MW) 2011-2014						
Total Coincident Peak Demand Reduction by end of 2014 (MW)						
Double Return Plus (MW)	7.9	12.5	16.5	21.0	21	

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### 7. Total Projected Reduction in Electricity Consumption (MWh)

15 This Initiative is projected to achieve 52 GWh cumulative energy reduction by 2014.

Energy reduction attributable to the portion of Double Return Plus for peak shaving will

have one-year persistence, while the load balancing component will enhance persistency

of results achieved in the Initiative.

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	T	otal Energy	Reduction (N	1Wh) 2011-20	14
	2011	2012	2013	2014	Total Energy Reduction Cumulative (2011- 2014)
Double					
Return Plus					
(MWh)	9,250	12,200	14,450	16,100	52,000

#### 8. Projected Budget

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7 8 The total cost estimate for the Initiative is approximately \$4.1million (inclusive of incentives), and the incentives include a financial contribution towards a load management system (covering of the cost of the system up to a maximum of as well as performance incentives for achieved results for a total of approximately (roughly per summer season).

Double Return Plus - Initiative Budget (\$) 2011-2014 2012 2011 2013 2014 Total 2011-2014 Marginal costs Fixed costs Administrative costs Marketing Site visits / Verifications EM&V **Total Fixed Costs** Variable Costs Turn-Key Vendor / Load Balancing Total Variable Costs Allocable costs Fixed Overhead Variable Overhead Total Program Costs Financial incentives (Based on Load Reduction) \$ 1,021,300 \$ 1,020,700 Total Budget \$ 1,021,300 \$ 1,021,300 4,100,000

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Note: The total budget shown above is projected to be allocated between commercial and industrial

participants on a 40/60 basis, respectively.

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### 9. Cost Effectiveness Test Results

• TRC ratio: 11.3

PAC ratio: 7.4

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#### 10. Draft Evaluation Plan

Hydro One will ensure that the Double Return Plus Initiative will be evaluated in 10 accordance with the OPA's EM&V Protocol for any custom measures not included in the 11 OPA's Measures and Assumption List. A Draft Evaluation Plan is attached based on the 12 most current version available on the OPA's website as of Oct. 15, 2010. The Initiative 13 Final Evaluation plan will be prepared by an independent third party. The selection of 14 the evaluation criteria and detailed elements of the Evaluation Plan will be determined by 15 the independent third party. Measurement and verification of Initiative peak demand 16 savings (kW) and electricity savings (kWh) results will be conducted by a third party 17 review contractor selected through an RFP process from the OPA's "Third Party Vendor 18 of Record" list once the Initiative is approved. 19

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The following is a DRAFT EVALUATION PLAN TEMPLATE:

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DOUBLE RETURN PLUS

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# OPA DRAFT EVALUATION PLAN TEMPLATE

6	,
	Description: See Section 1
	Key Program Elements: See Sections 2,4 and 5
	Goals and Objectives: See Sections 1 and 2
	Program Theory: See Sections 1 and 2
	Program Timing (subject to funding approval from the Board) Program Launch Date: January 1st, 2011
	Program end date: December 31, 2014
Program	Estimated Participation and Results: See Sections 6 and 7
Description	Draft Budget: See Section 8
	Conservation Measures:
Conservation	
Measures	Behavioural changes
	Load balancing/Energy Management System
Evaluation	Evaluation Goals and Objectives
Goals and	
Objectives	i) Process Design Effectiveness
	ii) Program Administration Effectiveness
	iii) Measures and Assumptions Review
	• iv) Establish gross and net energy savings and demand reductions
	achieved
	v) Estimate Program Cost Effectiveness
Evaluation	Evaluation Deliverables
Deliverables	Draft Evaluation Plan
	Final Program Evaluation Plan
	Annual Report – elements
	• Final Report
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# **Evaluation Description**

The evaluation elements of the Evaluation Goals and Objectives are anticipated to include (but are not limited to) those listed in the corresponding sections below. It is expected that these elements will be reviewed, discussed, evaluated or analyzed as appropriate and according to the OPA's EM&V Protocols to ensure that they meet the Program Evaluation Goals and Objectives during the **Draft Evaluation Plan development phase**. Review of these elements will assist Hydro One in determining and/or validating the appropriateness of the program design, administration and measures assumption elements and whether adjustments are necessary in order to successfully deliver the Initiative and to achieve the anticipated Goals and Objectives and estimated participation and results.

Evaluation Elements

#### i) Program Process Design Effectiveness - Evaluation criteria:

- Staffing and training
- Program timing and timelines
- Use of new procedures and best practices
- Marketing Plan
- Eligibility and participants original assumptions vs. actual
- Events implementation results of program participation from event
- Motivation for participation and incentive level
- Customer satisfaction feedback participant satisfaction
- Non-participant feedback
- Monitoring and tracking program management
- Roles and responsibilities of team members and stakeholders
- Reporting procedures

#### ii) Program Administration Effectiveness - Evaluation Criteria:

- Program statistics including participants, calculations of energy and demand reductions etc.
- Program Impact Evaluation
- Pre and post Project Analysis Assessment
- Marketing Effectiveness Assessment
- Actual versus Budget Reporting
- Market Participant review

#### iii) Measures and Performance Assumptions Review:

- Custom Measures Assumptions Review
- Behavioural and Performance Assumptions Review

#### iv) Gross and Net Energy Savings and Demand Reductions Achieved:

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	<ul> <li>**to be performed by a third party based on the OPA's EM&amp;V protocols</li> <li>Measurement and verification of program energy and demand savings achieved</li> <li>Net to Gross ratio (including free rider rate)</li> <li>Audit and Verification of project completion</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>v) Program Cost Effectiveness:</li> <li>Verification of program expenditures versus budget</li> <li>Verification of incentive payments</li> <li>Cost benefit Analysis – funding vs. program performance</li> </ul>
Special Provisions	N/A
Data Collection Responsibilities to Support Program Evaluation	This area is still under development and will be completed with the assistance of a third party EM&V expert to ensure complete and appropriate collection of data to support Program evaluation.  Data collection and evaluation activities anticipated to support the evaluation of the Initiative may include the following:
Evaluation	<ul> <li>Historical account consumption data</li> <li>Number of participants</li> <li>Program Costs</li> <li>Program incentives</li> <li>Customer site attributes</li> <li>Program delivery metrics</li> <li>Interviews with Initiative designers, delivery agents, administrators</li> <li>Interviews with market allies and market channel reps</li> <li>Interviews with participants and non-participants</li> <li>Project and equipment costs (supported by invoices)</li> <li>Sample on-site inspection / verification of actions implemented</li> <li>Draft of Customer Energy Conservation Action Plan</li> <li>Energy Efficiency Activities and Actions Report from participants</li> </ul>

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Evaluation Deliverable	Budget	Date
Draft Evaluation Plan	TBD	TBD
Final Evaluation Plan	TBD	TBD
Verification of Projects	TBD	TBD
Verification of Energy		
Reductions	TBD	TBD
Verification of Program Costs	TBD	TBD
Draft Final Evaluation Report	TBD	TBD
Final Evaluation report	TBD	TBD
Total Evaluation Budget		

# Evaluation Team

Organization	Name	Title / Accountability
Hydro One	TBD	Program Manager Senior Conservation
Hydro One	TBD	Analyst
3 <sup>rd</sup> party (Final Evaluation Plan Development) 3 <sup>rd</sup> Party Measurement and Verification Contractor	TBD	TBD
(selected from OPA "Third Party Vendor of Record" list	TBD	TBD

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