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Ontario Energy Board
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Attention - Kirsten Walli - Board Secretary

Dear Ms Walli:

RE - Board File # EB-2010-0008

OK is apparently seeking approval for increases in payment amounts for certain generating facilities effective March 1, 2011.

These large entities seem to have their hats in their hands and their hands in my pockets all of the time. Do they ever meet their objectives without overruns? Cost overruns at Nuclear Plants, added costs for delays tunnelling at Niagara, lawsuits for wrongful dismissal(s) (Mr Clinteroe), on and on - who hires these people?

OK indicates these increases would be 6.2%. I thought inflation was under 2%?

I am retired, on fixed income, look after a 93 year old mother and a 38 year old developmentally delayed son. My old age pension does not go up everytime I feel pinched. The government won't listen when I ask for help looking after my son. There are thousands of people layed off and out of work. We are on the verge of a double dip Recession and yet the consumer/taxpayer in this Province is charged/taxed to the hilt. Ontario Hydro wanted to turn off the electricity to a bedridden

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women in her 80's. Hit the disadvantaged.)

There should be no increase! You the Board start dictating instead of listening. People who can MANAGE are required - who can say "No make it work with what you have". Perhaps some employees should have to wear several hats - that's the way it is out on Main Street. Perhaps they should have to work to underinflationary budgets. Why are professionals with Hydrex unionized?

Costs have to be reined in - wage, price and bonus controls may have to be instituted. Freezing of hiring new employees.

I believe the cost of power is slowly helping to endanger manufacturing in Ontario. An example, Stone Creek Dairy, Hamilton, On. It was purchased by someone in Quebec and moved to Quebec. They wanted to stay in the area, but costs were too high. Hydrex costs one of the overriding reasons. Get with it - you are slowly killing the Golden Goose.

Yours truly,


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