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To Board Secretary:

2008 Incentive Rate Mechanism Application
Peterborough Distribution Inc. Lakefield — EB-2007-0910
Responses to Ontario Energy Board Staff Interrogatories

Ref.: 2008 IRM Model, Sheet 3 (2007 Tariff Sheet)

## 1. Specific Service Charges for Customer Administration

A review of your current 2007 Board approved Tariff of Rates and Charges shows categories for Notification Charge, Account History and Credit Reference/credit check. These categories and charges do not appear in the 2008 model.

#### Response

These items should have been included in the specific services charges. The 2008 IRM Model has been updated

### 2. Specific Service Charges for Allowances

Your 2008 model has for the category "Transformer Allowance for Ownership – per kW of billing demand/month" a unit of "\$". A review of your current 2007 Board approved Tariff of Rates and Charges indicates that the unit is "\$/kW".

#### Response

The proper unit is "\$/KW", the rate model has been changed

#### 3. Loss Factors

A review of your current 2007 Board approved Tariff of Rates shows that the "Total Loss Factor – Primary Metered Customer < 5000 kW" is 1.04. However, in your 2008 model for such loss factor you entered a different category: "Total Loss Factor – Secondary Metered Customer > 5000 kW".

## Response

The loss factor of 1.04 was entered on the incorrect line. The Total Loss Factor—Primary Metered Customer < 5000 kW is 1.04, the model has been updated.

## 4. Rates and charges for Unmetered Scattered Load

A review of your current 2007 Board approved Tariff of Rates and Charges indicates that the service charge for the Unmetered Scattered Load class is applied on a "per customer" basis, however your 2008 model does not reflect this.

## Response:

The service charge description on the tariff sheet has been changed to Service Charge (per customer).

## 5. Rates and charges for Sentinel Lighting and Street Lighting

A review of your current 2007 Board approved Tariff of Rates and Charges indicates that the service charge for the Sentinel Lighting and Street Lighting rate classes is applied on a "per connection" basis, however your 2008 model does not reflect this.

#### Response

The service charge descriptions on the tariff sheet have been changed to Service Charge (per connection).

## Ref.: 2008 IRM Model, Sheet 6 (K factor)

- 6. A review of your 2008 model indicates that the following values for the calculation of the K factor are different from the Board approved 2006 PILs Model:
  - PILs Allowance: \$39,414 instead of \$26,804 as in the 2006 Model
  - Taxable Income: \$152,593 instead of \$97,468 as in the 2006 Model

#### Response

The 2008 IRM model, sheet 6 (K factor) has been changed to the values per the interrogatory. There is no change in the k-factor of -0.4%.

A revised 2008 IRM model for the Lakefield service territory is attached.

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