Ontario Energy Board Commission de l'énergie de l'Ontario



EB-2011-0128

**IN THE MATTER OF** the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998*, S.O. 1998, c.15 (Schedule B);

**AND IN THE MATTER OF** an application by PowerStream Inc. for an order or orders approving or fixing a just and reasonable distribution rates related to Smart Meter deployment, to be effective November 1, 2011.

**BEFORE:** Cynthia Chaplin Vice-Chair and Presiding Member

> Ken Quesnelle Member

### **RATE ORDER**

### Introduction

PowerStream Inc. ("PowerStream"), a licensed distributor of electricity, filed an application with the Ontario Energy Board (the "Board") on June 24, 2011, under section 78 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act*, *1998*, S.O. 1998, c. 15, (Schedule B), seeking approval for recovery of costs associated with the deployment of smart meters in both of its rate zones, effective November 1, 2011.

In its Decision and Order on the Application, issued on November 21, 2011, the Board, among other matters, approved an effective and implementation date for both the smart meter disposition riders and the smart meter incremental revenue requirement rate riders of December 1, 2011. The Board also ordered PowerStream to file a draft Rate Order and attach a proposed Tariff of Rates and Changes reflecting the findings in the Board's Decision and Order within 7 days of the Decision and Order.

PowerStream filed its draft Rate Order on November 24, 2011 reflecting the findings in the Board's Decision and confirming that it had included carrying charges on OM&A and amortization expense in the calculation of the smart meter disposition riders. Board staff filed comments on PowerStream's draft Rate Order on November 29, 2011. Board staff noted some inconsistencies in the calculation of carrying charges with respect to previous Board guidance and provided updated rate rider calculations for PowerStream to confirm. No comments were received from VECC.

On November 30, 2011, PowerStream filed a response to Board staff's comments on the draft Rate Order and attached an updated Tariff of Rates and Charges as well as updated bill impact calculations. In its reply, PowerStream confirmed the Board staff's calculations and accepted Board staff's approach with respect to the calculation of carrying charges.

### THE BOARD ORDERS THAT:

- 1. The Tariff of Rates and Charges set out in Appendix "A" of this Rate Order is approved effective December 1, 2011 for electricity consumed or estimated to have been consumed on and after such date.
- The Tariff of Rates and Charges set out in Appendix "A" of this Order supersedes all previous Tariff of Rates and Charges approved by the Ontario Energy Board for PowerStream Inc's service area, and is final in all respects, except for the Stand-by rates which remain interim.
- 3. PowerStream Inc. shall notify its customers of the rate changes no later than with the first bill reflecting the new rates.

DATED at Toronto, December 9, 2011

### ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

Original Signed By

Kirsten Walli Board Secretary Appendix A

To Rate Order

Tariff of Rates and Charges

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### **RESIDENTIAL SERVICE CLASSIFICATION**

This classification refers to an account taking electricity at 750 volts or less where the electricity is used exclusively in a separately metered living accommodation. Customers shall be residing in single-dwelling units that consist of a detached house or one unit of a semi-detached, duplex, triplex or quadruplex house, with a residential zoning. Separately metered dwellings within a town house complex or apartment building also qualify as residential customers. Multi-unit residential establishments such as apartment buildings supplied through one service (bulk metered) shall be classified as general service. Further servicing details are available in the distributor's Conditions of Service.

#### APPLICATION

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#### **MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES – Delivery Component**

Service Charge	\$	11.89
Rate Rider for Recovery of Late Payment Penalty Litigation Costs – effective until April 30, 2012	\$	0.16
Rate Rider for Smart Meter Incremental Revenue Requirement – in effect until the effective date of the	•	4.00
next cost of service-based rate order	\$	1.28
Rate Rider for Smart Meter Incremental Revenue Requirement (2011) – in effect until the effective date of the	е	
next cost of service-based rate order	\$	0.14
Rate Rider for Smart Meter Disposition of Residual Historical Costs – effective until April 30, 2012	\$	(3.15)
Distribution Volumetric Rate	\$/kWh	0.0134
Low Voltage Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0001
Rate Rider for Tax Change – effective until April 30, 2012	\$/kWh	(0.0003)
Rate Rider for Lost Revenue Adjustment Mechanism (LRAM) Recovery/Shared Savings Mechanism (SSM)		
Recovery (2011) – effective until April 30, 2012	\$/kWh	0.0002
Retail Transmission Rate – Network Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0064
Retail Transmission Rate – Line and Transformation Connection Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0026

Wholesale Market Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0052
Rural Rate Protection Charge	\$/kWh	0.0013
Standard Supply Service – Administrative Charge (if applicable)	\$	0.25

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### **GENERAL SERVICE LESS THAN 50 kW SERVICE CLASSIFICATION**

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#### **MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES – Delivery Component**

Service Charge	\$	28.39
Rate Rider for Recovery of Late Payment Penalty Litigation Costs – effective until April 30, 2012	\$	0.43
Rate Rider for Smart Meter Incremental Revenue Requirement – in effect until the effective date of the		
next cost of service-based rate order	\$	1.01
Rate Rider for Smart Meter Incremental Revenue Requirement (2011) - in effect until the effective date of	the	
next cost of service-based rate order	\$	3.37
Rate Rider for Smart Meter Disposition of Residual Historical Costs – effective until April 30, 2012	\$	10.92
Distribution Volumetric Rate	\$/kWh	0.0115
Low Voltage Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0001
Rate Rider for Tax Change – effective until April 30, 2012	\$/kWh	(0.0002)
Rate Rider for Lost Revenue Adjustment Mechanism (LRAM) Recovery/Shared Savings Mechanism (SSN	l)	
Recovery (2011) – effective until April 30, 2012	\$/kWh	0.0001
Retail Transmission Rate – Network Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0058
Retail Transmission Rate – Line and Transformation Connection Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0023
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Wholesale Market Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0052
Rural Rate Protection Charge	\$/kWh	0.0013
Standard Supply Service – Administrative Charge (if applicable)	\$	0.25

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### **GENERAL SERVICE 50 to 4,999 kW SERVICE CLASSIFICATION**

This classification refers to a non residential account whose monthly average peak demand is equal to or greater than, or is forecast to be equal to or greater than, 50 kW but less than 5,000 kW. Further servicing details are available in the distributor's Conditions of Service.

#### APPLICATION

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#### **MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES – Delivery Component**

Service Charge	\$	83.71
Rate Rider for Recovery of Late Payment Penalty Litigation Costs – effective until April 30, 2012	\$	5.38
Distribution Volumetric Rate	\$/kW	3.4730
Low Voltage Service Rate	\$/kW	0.0472
Rate Rider for Tax Change – effective until April 30, 2012	\$/kW	(0.0417)
Rate Rider for Lost Revenue Adjustment Mechanism (LRAM) Recovery/Shared Savings Mechanism (SSM)		
Recovery (2011) – effective until April 30, 2012	\$/kW	0.0001
Retail Transmission Rate – Network Service Rate	\$/kW	2.3510
Retail Transmission Rate – Line and Transformation Connection Service Rate	\$/kW	0.9299

Wholesale Market Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0052
Rural Rate Protection Charge	\$/kWh	0.0013
Standard Supply Service – Administrative Charge (if applicable)	\$	0.25

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### LARGE USE SERVICE CLASSIFICATION

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#### **MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES – Delivery Component**

Service Charge	\$	2,154.67
Rate Rider for Recovery of Late Payment Penalty Litigation Costs – effective until April 30, 2012	\$	138.96
Distribution Volumetric Rate	\$/kW	1.0393
Low Voltage Service Rate	\$/kW	0.0558
Rate Rider for Tax Change – effective until April 30, 2012	\$/kW	(0.0146)
Retail Transmission Rate – Network Service Rate	\$/kW	2.7582
Retail Transmission Rate – Line and Transformation Connection Service Rate	\$/kW	1.0990

Wholesale Market Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0052
Rural Rate Protection Charge	\$/kWh	0.0013
Standard Supply Service – Administrative Charge (if applicable)	\$	0.25

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### UNMETERED SCATTERED LOAD SERVICE CLASSIFICATION

This classification refers to an account taking electricity at 750 volts or less whose average monthly peak demand is less than, or is forecast to be less than, 50 kW and the consumption is unmetered. Such connections include cable TV power packs, bus shelters, telephone booths, traffic lights, railway crossings, etc. The customer will provide detailed manufacturer information/ documentation with regard to electrical demand/consumption of the proposed unmetered load. Further servicing details are available in the distributor's Conditions of Service.

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#### **MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES – Delivery Component**

Service Charge (per connection)	\$	14.20
Rate Rider for Recovery of Late Payment Penalty Litigation Costs – effective until April 30, 2012	\$	0.09
Distribution Volumetric Rate	\$/kWh	0.0086
Low Voltage Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0001
Rate Rider for Tax Change – effective until April 30, 2012	\$/kWh	(0.0006)
Retail Transmission Rate – Network Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0058
Retail Transmission Rate – Line and Transformation Connection Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0026

Wholesale Market Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0052
Rural Rate Protection Charge	\$/kWh	0.0013
Standard Supply Service – Administrative Charge (if applicable)	\$	0.25

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### SENTINEL LIGHTING SERVICE CLASSIFICATION

This classification refers to an unmetered lighting load supplied to a sentinel light. Further servicing details are available in the distributor's Conditions of Service.

#### **APPLICATION**

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#### **MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES – Delivery Component**

Service Charge (per connection)	\$	1.98
Rate Rider for Recovery of Late Payment Penalty Litigation Costs – effective until April 30, 2012	\$	0.06
Distribution Volumetric Rate	\$/kW	9.3098
Low Voltage Service Rate	\$/kW	0.0401
Rate Rider for Tax Change – effective until April 30, 2012	\$/kW	(0.1216)
Retail Transmission Rate – Network Service Rate	\$/kW	1.7966
Retail Transmission Rate – Line and Transformation Connection Service Rate	\$/kW	0.7885

Rural Rate Protection Charge       \$/kWh       0.0013         Standard Supply Service – Administrative Charge (if applicable)       \$       0.25	Wholesale Market Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0052
	Rural Rate Protection Charge	\$/kWh	0.0013
	Standard Supply Service – Administrative Charge (if applicable)	\$	0.25

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### STREET LIGHTING SERVICE CLASSIFICATION

This classification applies to an account for roadway lighting with a Municipality, Regional Municipality, Ministry of Transportation and private roadway lighting operation, controlled by photo cells. The consumption for these customers will be based on the calculated connected load times the required lighting times established in the approved OEB street lighting load shape template. Further servicing details are available in the distributor's Conditions of Service.

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#### **MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES – Delivery Component**

Service Charge (per connection)	\$	0.83
Rate Rider for Recovery of Late Payment Penalty Litigation Costs – effective until April 30, 2012	\$	0.01
Distribution Volumetric Rate	\$/kW	4.8192
Low Voltage Service Rate	\$/kW	0.0367
Rate Rider for Tax Change – effective until April 30, 2012	\$/kW	(0.1065)
Retail Transmission Rate – Network Service Rate	\$/kW	1.7786
Retail Transmission Rate – Line and Transformation Connection Service Rate	\$/kW	0.7230

Wholesale Market Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0052
Rural Rate Protection Charge	\$/kWh	0.0013
Standard Supply Service – Administrative Charge (if applicable)	\$	0.25

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### microFIT GENERATOR SERVICE CLASSIFICATION

This classification applies to an electricity generation facility contracted under the Ontario Power Authority's microFIT program and connected to the distributor's distribution system. Further servicing details are available in the distributor's Conditions of Service.

#### APPLICATION

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#### **MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES – Delivery Component**

Service Charge

\$ 5.25

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### ALLOWANCES

Transformer Allowance for Ownership - per kW of billing demand/month	\$/kW	(0.60)
Primary Metering Allowance for transformer losses – applied to measured demand and energy	%	(1.00)

### SPECIFIC SERVICE CHARGES

#### APPLICATION

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Customer Administration Arrears certificate Statement of Account Duplicate Invoices for previous billing	\$	15.00 15.00 15.00
Request for Other Billing Information	\$ \$ \$	15.00
Easement Letter Income Tax Letter		15.00 15.00
Account History	э \$	15.00
Returned Cheque (plus bank charges)	\$	15.00
Legal Letter Charge Account set up charge/change of occupancy charge (plus credit agency costs if applicable)	\$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$	15.00 30.00
Special meter reads	\$	30.00
Meter Dispute Charge plus Measurement Canada fees (if meter found correct)	\$	30.00
Non-Payment of Account		
Late Payment - per month	%	1.50
Late Payment - per annum	%	19.56
Collection of account charge – no disconnection	\$	30.00
Disconnect/Reconnect at meter – during regular hours	\$	65.00
Disconnect/Reconnect at meter – after regular hours	Ф	185.00
Specific Charge for Access to the Power Poles \$/pole/year Temporary Service install and remove – overhead – no transformer	\$ \$	22.35 500.00

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### **RETAIL SERVICE CHARGES (if applicable)**

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Retail Service Charges refer to services provided by a distributor to retailers or customers related to the supply of competitive electricity

One-time charge, per retailer, to establish the service agreement between the distributor and the retailer Monthly Fixed Charge, per retailer	\$ \$	100.00 20.00
Monthly Variable Charge, per customer, per retailer	\$/cust.	0.50
Distributor-consolidated billing charge, per customer, per retailer	\$/cust.	0.30
Retailer-consolidated billing credit, per customer, per retailer	\$/cust.	(0.30)
Service Transaction Requests (STR)		
Request fee, per request, applied to the requesting party	\$	0.25
Processing fee, per request, applied to the requesting party	\$	0.50
Request for customer information as outlined in Section 10.6.3 and Chapter 11 of the Retail		
Settlement Code directly to retailers and customers, if not delivered electronically through the		
Electronic Business Transaction (EBT) system, applied to the requesting party		
Up to twice a year		no charge
More than twice a year, per request (plus incremental delivery costs)	\$	2.00

### LOSS FACTORS

If the distributor is not capable of prorating changed loss factors jointly with distribution rates, the revised loss factors will be implemented upon the first subsequent billing for each billing cycle.

Total Loss Factor – Secondary Metered Customer < 5,000 kW	1.0299
Total Loss Factor – Secondary Metered Customer > 5,000 kW	1.0145
Total Loss Factor – Primary Metered Customer < 5,000 kW	1.0197
Total Loss Factor – Primary Metered Customer > 5,000 kW	1.0045

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## Former Barrie Hydro Distribution Inc. Service Area

### **RESIDENTIAL SERVICE CLASSIFICATION**

This classification refers to the supply of electrical energy to residential customers residing in detached, semi detached, townhouse (freehold or condominium) dwelling units duplexes or triplexes. Supply will be limited up to a maximum of 200 amp @ 240/120 volt. Further servicing details are available in the utility's Conditions of Service.

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next cost of service based rate order	\$	1.78
Rate Rider for Smart Meter Disposition of Residual Historical Costs – effective until April 30, 2012	\$	0.17
Distribution Volumetric Rate	\$/kWh	0.0136
Low Voltage Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0008
Rate Rider for Tax Change – effective until April 30, 2012	\$/kWh	(0.0005)
Rate Rider for Lost Revenue Adjustment Mechanism (LRAM) Recovery/Shared Savings Mechanism (SSM)		
Recovery (2011) – effective until April 30, 2012	\$/kWh	0.0004
Retail Transmission Rate – Network Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0065
Retail Transmission Rate – Line and Transformation Connection Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0055

Wholesale Market Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0052
Rural Rate Protection Charge	\$/kWh	0.0013
Standard Supply Service – Administrative Charge (if applicable)	\$	0.25

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### **GENERAL SERVICE LESS THAN 50 kW SERVICE CLASSIFICATION**

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#### **MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES – Delivery Component**

Service Charge	\$	15.97
Rate Rider for Recovery of Late Payment Penalty Litigation Costs – effective until April 30, 2012	\$	0.43
Rate Rider for Smart Meter Incremental Revenue Requirement (2011) - in effect until the effective date of th	е	
next cost of service based rate order	\$	4.73
Rate Rider for Smart Meter Disposition of Residual Historical Costs – effective until April 30, 2012	\$	7.81
Distribution Volumetric Rate	\$/kWh	0.0163
Low Voltage Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0007
Rate Rider for Tax Change – effective until April 30, 2012	\$/kWh	(0.0003)
Rate Rider for Lost Revenue Adjustment Mechanism (LRAM) Recovery/Shared Savings Mechanism (SSM)		
Recovery (2011) – effective until April 30, 2012	\$/kWh	0.0001
Retail Transmission Rate – Network Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0060
Retail Transmission Rate – Line and Transformation Connection Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0049
MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES – Regulatory Component		

Wholesale Market Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0052
Rural Rate Protection Charge	\$/kWh	0.0013
Standard Supply Service – Administrative Charge (if applicable)	\$	0.25

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## Former Barrie Hydro Distribution Inc. Service Area

### **GENERAL SERVICE 50 to 4,999 kW SERVICE CLASSIFICATION**

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#### **APPLICATION**

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#### **MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES – Delivery Component**

Service Charge	\$	393.23
Rate Rider for Recovery of Late Payment Penalty Litigation Costs – effective until April 30, 2012	\$	5.38
Distribution Volumetric Rate	\$/kW	1.8233
Low Voltage Service Rate	\$/kW	0.2913
Rate Rider for Tax Change – effective until April 30, 2012	\$/kW	(0.0504)
Retail Transmission Rate – Network Service Rate	\$/kW	2.3432
Retail Transmission Rate – Line and Transformation Connection Service Rate	\$/kW	1.9363

Wholesale Market Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0052
Rural Rate Protection Charge	\$/kWh	0.0013
Standard Supply Service – Administrative Charge (if applicable)	\$	0.25

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## Former Barrie Hydro Distribution Inc. Service Area

### **GENERAL SERVICE 50 to 4,999 kW TOU SERVICE CLASSIFICATION**

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#### APPLICATION

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#### **MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES – Delivery Component**

Service Charge	\$	393.23	
Rate Rider for Recovery of Late Payment Penalty Litigation Costs – effective until April 30, 2012	\$	5.38	
Distribution Volumetric Rate	\$/kW	1.8233	
Low Voltage Service Rate	\$/kW	0.2913	
Rate Rider for Tax Change – effective until April 30, 2012	\$/kW	(0.0504)	
Retail Transmission Rate – Network Service Rate – Interval Metered	\$/kW	3.1107	
Retail Transmission Rate – Line and Transformation Connection Service Rate – Interval Metered	\$/kW	2.5704	
MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES – Regulatory Component			

Wholesale Market Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0052
Rural Rate Protection Charge	\$/kWh	0.0013
Standard Supply Service – Administrative Charge (if applicable)	\$	0.25

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### LARGE USE SERVICE CLASSIFICATION

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### APPLICATION

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#### **MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES – Delivery Component**

Service Charge	\$	9,605.71
Rate Rider for Recovery of Late Payment Penalty Litigation Costs – effective until April 30, 2012	\$	138.96
Distribution Volumetric Rate	\$/kW	0.5866
Low Voltage Service Rate	\$/kW	0.3886
Rate Rider for Tax Change – effective until April 30, 2012	\$/kW	(0.0592)
Retail Transmission Rate – Network Service Rate – Interval Metered	\$/kW	3.1192
Retail Transmission Rate – Line and Transformation Connection Service Rate – Interval Metered	\$/kW	2.5775

Wholesale Market Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0052
Rural Rate Protection Charge	\$/kWh	0.0013
Standard Supply Service – Administrative Charge (if applicable)	\$	0.25

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### UNMETERED SCATTERED LOAD SERVICE CLASSIFICATION

This classification refers to a non-residential account taking electricity at 240/120 or 120 volts whose monthly peak demand is less than or expected to be less than 50 kW. As determined by Barrie Hydro Distribution Inc. because of the type of connection or location a meter is not feasible in these situations. A detailed calculation of the load will be calculated for billing purposes. Further servicing details are available in the utility's Conditions of Service.

#### APPLICATION

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#### **MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES – Delivery Component**

Service Charge (per connection)	\$	7.88
Rate Rider for Recovery of Late Payment Penalty Litigation Costs – effective until April 30, 2012	\$	0.09
Distribution Volumetric Rate	\$/kWh	0.0160
Low Voltage Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0007
Rate Rider for Tax Change – effective until April 30, 2012	\$/kWh	(0.0004)
Retail Transmission Rate – Network Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0060
Retail Transmission Rate – Line and Transformation Connection Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0049

Wholesale Market Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0052
Rural Rate Protection Charge	\$/kWh	0.0013
Standard Supply Service – Administrative Charge (if applicable)	\$	0.25

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### STANDBY POWER SERVICE CLASSIFICATION

This classification refers to an account that has Load Displacement Generation and requires the distributor to provide back-up service. Further servicing details are available in the utility's Conditions of Service.

#### APPLICATION

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#### MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES - APPROVED ON AN INTERIM BASIS

Standby Charge – for a month where standby power is not provided. The charge is applied to the contracted amount (e.g. nameplate rating of generation facility). \$/kW

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### STREET LIGHTING SERVICE CLASSIFICATION

This classification refers to accounts concerning roadway lighting for a Municipality, Regional Municipality, and/or the Ministry of Transportation. This lighting will be controlled by photocells. The consumption for these customers will be based on the calculated connected load times as established in the approved OEB Street Lighting Load Shape Template. Further servicing details are available in the utility's Conditions of Service.

#### APPLICATION

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#### **MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES – Delivery Component**

Service Charge (per connection)	\$	2.99
Rate Rider for Recovery of Late Payment Penalty Litigation Costs – effective until April 30, 2012	\$	0.01
Distribution Volumetric Rate	\$/kW	11.1976
Low Voltage Service Rate	\$/kW	0.2301
Rate Rider for Tax Change – effective until April 30, 2012	\$/kW	(0.3213)
Retail Transmission Rate – Network Service Rate	\$/kW	1.8511
Retail Transmission Rate – Line and Transformation Connection Service Rate	\$/kW	1.5295

Wholesale Market Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0052
Rural Rate Protection Charge	\$/kWh	0.0013
Standard Supply Service – Administrative Charge (if applicable)	\$	0.25

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### microFIT GENERATOR SERVICE CLASSIFICATION

This classification applies to an electricity generation facility contracted under the Ontario Power Authority's microFIT program and connected to the distributor's distribution system. Further servicing details are available in the utility's Conditions of Service.

#### APPLICATION

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#### **MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES – Delivery Component**

Service Charge

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### ALLOWANCES

Transformer Allowance for Ownership - per kW of billing demand/month Primary Metering Allowance for transformer losses – applied to measured demand and energy \$/kW (0.60) % (1.00)

### SPECIFIC SERVICE CHARGES

#### **APPLICATION**

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Customer Administration		
Arrears Certificate	\$	15.00
Easement Letter	\$	15.00
Account set up charge/change of occupancy charge (plus credit agency costs if applicable)	\$	15.00
Returned Cheque (plus bank charges)	\$	15.00
Meter dispute charge plus Measurement Canada fees (if meter found correct)	\$	30.00
Non-Payment of Account		
Late Payment - per month	%	1.50
Late Payment - per annum	%	19.56
Collection of Account Charge – no disconnection	\$	15.00
Disconnect/Reconnect at Meter - during Regular Hours	\$	30.00
Disconnect/Reconnect at Meter - after Regular Hours	\$	185.00
Disconnect/Reconnect at Pole - during Regular Hours	\$	185.00
Disconnect/Reconnect at Pole - after Regular Hours	\$	415.00
Service Call – customer owned equipment – charge based on time and materials Service Call – after regular hours – charge based on time and materials		
Specific Charge for Access to the Power Poles – per pole/year	\$	22.35

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### **RETAIL SERVICE CHARGES (if applicable)**

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Retail Service Charges refer to services provided by a distributor to retailers or customers related to the supply of competitive electricity

One-time charge, per retailer, to establish the service agreement between the distributor and the retailer	\$	100.00
Monthly Fixed Charge, per retailer	\$	20.00
Monthly Variable Charge, per customer, per retailer	\$/cust.	0.50
Distributor-consolidated billing charge, per customer, per retailer	\$/cust.	0.30
Retailer-consolidated billing credit, per customer, per retailer	\$/cust.	(0.30)
Service Transaction Requests (STR)		
Request fee, per request, applied to the requesting party	\$	0.25
Processing fee, per request, applied to the requesting party	\$	0.50
Request for customer information as outlined in Section 10.6.3 and Chapter 11 of the Retail		
Settlement Code directly to retailers and customers, if not delivered electronically through the		
Electronic Business Transaction (EBT) system, applied to the requesting party		
Up to twice a year		no charge
More than twice a year, per request (plus incremental delivery costs)	\$	2.00

### LOSS FACTORS

If the distributor is not capable of prorating changed loss factors jointly with distribution rates, the revised loss factors will be implemented upon the first subsequent billing for each billing cycle.

Total Loss Factor – Secondary Metered Customer < 5,000 kW	1.0565
Total Loss Factor – Secondary Metered Customer > 5,000 kW	1.0145
Total Loss Factor – Primary Metered Customer < 5,000 kW	1.0462
Total Loss Factor – Primary Metered Customer > 5,000 kW	1.0045