

May 25, 2012

Ontario Energy Board P.O. Box 2319 2300 Yonge Street, 27th Floor Toronto, ON M4P 1E4

Attention: Ms. Kristen Walli, Board Secretary

Dear Ms. Walli:

RE: EB-2011-0198

VECC Cost Claim

Tillsonburg Hydro Inc. (Tillsonburg) filed its 2012 electricity distribution rate application on December 12, 2011. On January 23, 2012, the Board confirmed the Vulnerable Energy Consumers Coalition (VECC) as an intervenor in the proceeding.

On April 19, 2012, the Board issued its Decision and Order containing draft Tariff of Rates and Charges, effective May 1, 2012. Tillsonburg was directed to file written confirmation assessing the completeness and accuracy of the draft Tariff of Rates and Charges within 7 days of the date of the issuance of the Decision and Order. If the Board did not receive a submission from Tillsonburg that inaccuracies were found, the Tariff of Rates and Charges would become final on May 1, 2012.

Tillsonburg reviewed the draft Tariff of Rates and Charges and found it to be complete and accurate. As the draft Tariff of Rates and Charges was complete and accurate, Tillsonburg did not file a formal response.

As Tillsonburg did not provide any further submissions, the Tariff of Rates and Charges became final on May 1, 2012.

VECC was required to file its cost claim no later than 7 days of the Rate Order becoming final; VECC's cost claim was due May 8, 2012. VECC filed its cost claim on May 24, 2012. The claim for \$607.50 plus HST of \$23.94, for a total of \$631.44, represented 3.25 hours of effort.

Tillsonburg was required to file its comments on cost claims no later than 21 days of the Rate Order becoming final; Tillsonburg comments were due May 22, 2012. Tillsonburg did not meet this deadline as VECC's cost claim was not received until May 24, 2012.

Tillsonburg submits that 3.25 hours of effort is reasonable and does not object to VECC's cost claim.

Sincerely,

S. T. Lund, General Manager

cc. VECC