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April 17, 2008

PIAC FILE 6080

Ontario Energy Board
Ms. Kirsten Walli
Board Secretary
27th floor
2300 Yonge Street
Toronto, ON
M4P 1E4

SC
VIA FAX ONLY
7 pages

Dear Ms. Walli:

Re: **EB-2007-0696 – Halton Hills Hydro Inc.**
Vulnerable Energy Consumers Coalition (VECC)
Cost Claim

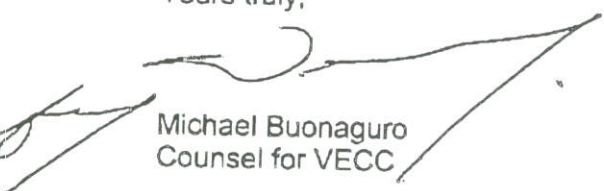
As per Decision we have enclosed the Cost Claim of the Vulnerable Energy Consumers Coalition (VECC) with respect to the above-noted matter. As directed we have also filed a copy of our cost claim with Halton Hills Hydro Inc.

We would appreciate that payment be sent directly to Public Interest Advocacy Centre and also that the cheque is made payable to them as follows:

Public Interest Advocacy Centre
1204-ONE Nicholas Street
Ottawa, ON
K1N 7B7

Thank you.

Yours truly,


Michael Buonaguro
Counsel for VECC

CC: Tracy Rawlingson – Halton Hills Hydro Inc..- Fax only – 519-853-5592

APPENDIX "B"

FORM 3

AFFIDAVIT IN SUPPORT OF COST CLAIM

EB 2007-0696

Board File Number

UECC

Party Name

Items Claimed excluding GST

Legal/Consultant Fees

\$ **10,693.50**

+

Disbursements =

\$ _____

Net Sub-Total

\$ **10,693.50**

Goods and Services Tax

..... Full Registrant

..... Unregistered (GST at 6%)

Other: _____ GST at _____ %

..... Qualifying Non-Profit (GST at 0%)

..... Tax Exempt (no GST).....

25%

Total Cost Claim

Net Sub-Total

\$ **10,693.50**

+

Total GST Claimed

\$ **267.34**

=

Total Cost Claim

\$ **10,960.84**

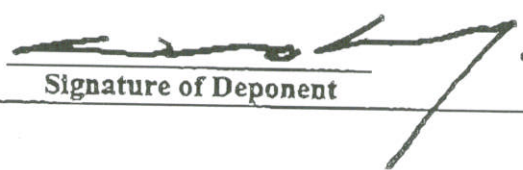
I, (name) **Diana Brady**, of the (City, Town, etc.) **OTTAWA** in the
 (County, Regional Municipality, etc.) of **OTTAWA-CARLETON**, MAKE OATH AND
 SAY:

1. I am a representative of the above noted party (the "party") and as such have knowledge of the matters attested to herein.
2. I have examined the above Cost Claim and all of the documentation in support of it.
3. The above Cost Claim represents only costs incurred directly and necessarily by the party for the purpose of its intervention in the Ontario Energy Board process (the file number of which is set out above).

SWORN (OR AFFIRMED) BEFORE ME at the (City, Town, etc.) of

OTTAWA, in the (County, Regional Municipality, etc.) of
OTTAWA-CARLETON on (date) **APRIL 17, 2008**


 COMMISSIONER for taking Affidavits


 Signature of Deponent

Michael R. Buonaguro Barrister and Solicitor

2461 Bloor Street West
Suite #4
Toronto, Ontario M6S 1P7

Ph: (416) 767-1666

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VECC

April 17, 2008

Attention:

File #: 05-204
Inv #: 111

RE: Halton Hills EB-2007-0696

DATE	DESCRIPTION	HOURS	AMOUNT	LAWYER
Jan-23-08	review and finalize argument.	1.20	276.00	MRB
	Totals	1.20	\$276.00	
	Total GST on Fees		13.80	
	Total Fee & Disbursements			\$289.80
	Balance Now Due			\$289.80

TAX ID Number 830059879

Total GST \$13.80

SUMMARY STATEMENT OF HOURS - CONSULTANTS AND LEGAL COUNSEL

A separate form is required for each consultant or legal counsel

Board File Number EB 2007-0696Party Name UECCLegal Counsel Name Michael BunnaroYear of Call 2002Law Firm SELF

Consultant Name _____

Years of Relevant Experience
(current/previous must be specified)Consultant Firm 2.58

	Hours	Hourly Rate	Sub-total	GST	Total
Preparation	1.2	230.-	276.-	6.90	282.90
Attendance - Technical Conference					
Attendance - Settlement Conference					
Attendance - Oral Hearing					
Argument					
Case Management					
TOTALS	1.2	230.-	276.-	6.90	282.90

Note: All claims must be in Canadian dollars. If applicable, state exchange rate _____ and country of initial currency _____

ECONALYSIS CONSULTING SERVICES

34 KING STREET EAST, SUITE 1102, TORONTO, ONTARIO M5C 2X8
www.econalysys.ca

Statement of Costs

BILL TO

Public Interest Advocacy Centre
Suite 1204
1 Nicholas Street
Ottawa, ON
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DATE	FILE NO.
04/16/2008	2008020

TERMS	PROJECT
Net 30	Halton Hills 2008 Rates

DATE	ITEM	DESCRIPTION	HOURS	RATE (\$/hr)	AMOUNT (\$)
09/27/2007	Preparation		1	210.00	210.00T
10/30/2007	Draft IRs	Prepare 20 multipart IRs and forward to counsel for review and filing	8	210.00	1,680.00T
10/31/2007	Preparation	Review Halton Hills Hydro Application and prepare notes	8	210.00	1,680.00T
12/02/2007	Preparation		2	330.00	660.00T
12/06/2007	Preparation		6.25	330.00	2,062.50T
12/07/2007	Preparation		0.5	330.00	165.00T
01/18/2008	Argument	Review Evidence in Response and Prepare Draft Argument [6 hours]	10	330.00	3,300.00T
		Board staff Submission and finalize draft VECC argument. [4 hours]. Forward to Counsel for review and editing			
01/21/2008	Preparation		1	330.00	330.00T
04/14/2008	Preparation	Review OEB Decision and Draft Rate order and Draft Letter for Counsel	1	330.00	330.00T
		Business Number: 101606028			

Please mail cheques to:
ECS
34 King St East, 6th Floor
Toronto, ON, M5C 2X8
Attn: Anna Luciani-Marzo

GST	\$520.88
TOTAL	\$10,938.38

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Legal Counsel Name <i>Bill Harper</i> Consultant Name		Year of Call <i>29</i>		Law Firm <i>Leonakis</i> Consultant Firm	
Board File Number <i>ES 2007-0596</i>		Party Name <i>UAC</i>			
	Hours	Hourly Rate	Sub-total	GST	Total
Preparation	9.0	310	2790.00	171.38	3598.88
Attendance - Technical Conference					
Attendance - Settlement Conference					
Attendance - Oral Hearing					
Argument					
Case Management					
TOTALS	10.75		3427.50	171.38	3598.88

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GST @ 2.5% = 85.69 3513.19

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Board File Number EB 2007-0656Party Name UECC

Legal Counsel Name

Year of Call

Law Firm

Consultant Name

Years of Relevant Experience
(curriculum vitae must be attached)

Consultant Firm

	Hours	Hourly Rate	Sub-total	GST	Total
Preparation	16.0	210 - 330	3360 - 330	184.50	3874.50
Attendance - Technical Conference					
Attendance - Settlement Conference					
Attendance - Oral Hearing					
Argument	10.0	330 -	3300 -	165 -	3465 -
Case Management Conference					
TOTALS	27.0		6990 -	349.50	7339.50

Note: All claims must be in Canadian dollars. If applicable, state exchange rate _____ and country of initial currency _____

GST 2.5% = 174.75

7,164.75