



EB-2012-0127

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 Grimsby
Power Inc. for an order or orders approving or fixing just
and reasonable distribution rates and other charges, to
be effective January 1, 2013.

BEFORE: Marika Hare
Presiding Member

Ken Quesnelle
Member

DECISION AND ORDER ON COST AWARDS
January 15, 2013

Background

Grimsby Power Inc. ("GPI"), a licensed distributor of electricity, filed an application with the Ontario Energy Board (the "Board") on August 2, 2012 under section 78 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act*, 1998, S.O. 1998, c. 15, (Schedule B), seeking approval for changes to the rates that GPI charges for electricity distribution, to be effective January 1, 2013. The Board assigned File Number EB-2012-0127 to the application.

The Vulnerable Energy Consumers Coalition ("VECC") was granted intervenor status and cost award eligibility in regards to GPI's request for revenue-to-cost ratio adjustments.

The Board issued its Decision and Order on the application on December 6, 2012, in which it set out the process for VECC to file its cost claims and to respond to any objections raised by GPI.

On December 14, 2012, the Board issued its Revised Rate Order.

VECC's cost claim was received by the Board on December 24, 2012. No comments were received from GPI.

The Board has reviewed VECC's cost claim and finds that VECC is eligible for 100% of its reasonably incurred costs of participating in this proceeding. The Board finds that VECC's claim is reasonable and GPI shall reimburse VECC for its costs.

THE BOARD THEREFORE ORDERS THAT:

1. Pursuant to section 30 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998*, GPI shall immediately pay Vulnerable Energy Consumers Coalition \$467.73.
2. Pursuant to section 30 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998*, GPI shall pay the Board's costs of and incidental to, this proceeding immediately upon receipt of the Board's invoice.

DATED at Toronto, January 15, 2013

ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

Original Signed By

Kirsten Walli
Board Secretary