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Kirsten Walli  
Board Secretary  
Ontario Energy Board  
Yonge-Eglinton Centre  
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Toronto ON M4P 1E4

Dear Ms. Walli:

**Re: Smart Metering Charge  
EB-2012-0100/EB-2012-0211**

Pursuant to the Board's Decision and Order dated March 28, 2013, we enclose a draft Accounting Order for each of the three new Variance Accounts referenced in section 1.5(a) of the approved Settlement Agreement.

Yours truly,



Patrick G. Duffy

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cc: Registered Intervenors  
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## SMART METERING ENTITY ACCOUNTING ORDER

EB-2012-0100 / EB-2012-0211

APRIL 8, 2013

The Smart Metering Entity ("SME") shall establish the following variance accounts effective as of May 1, 2013:

### 1. Costs Account

*Purpose:* to record any changes in the SME's forecast costs shown in the Revenue Requirement table attached as Appendix "A" to the approved Settlement Proposal in EB-2012-0100/EB-2012-0211.

### 2. Revenue Account

*Purpose:* to record any revenue surplus or deficiency relative to the forecast revenue in the table attached as Appendix "B" to the approved Settlement Proposal in EB-2012-0100/EB-2012-0211.

### 3. Service Level Credits Account

*Purpose:* to record any service level credits received by the SME from the Operational Service Provider for distribution to MDM/R service recipients under section 7.6 of the SME/LDC Agreement.

#### Sample Entries

Variance Account	Year: [Year]			Cumulative (2013 to [Year] )		
	Budget	Actual	Variance	Budget	Actual	Variance
Cost						
Revenue						
Service Level Credits						

The SME shall seek approval to dispose of the balance of each of the variance accounts as part of its next application to adjust the SMC.