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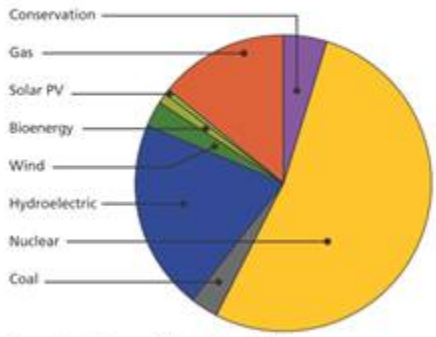
Sent: December-05-13 9:42 AM
To: BoardSec
Subject: Re: EB-2013-0321 proposed OPG rate increase

Dear Secretary

For the record I am against the proposed rate increase by OPG for the amount of $5.36 each month starting Jan. 2014.

As the following OPA supplied figures show our dependence on nuclear power generation is being replaced by conservation and renewable energy initiatives -

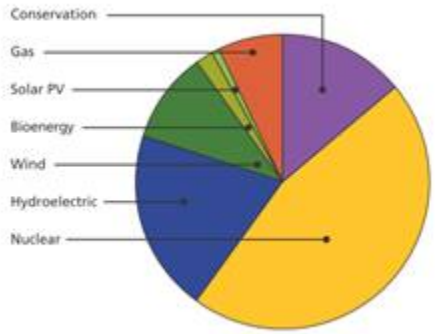
Figure 2: 2012 Generation (TWh)



Source	Use	Share
Conservation	7.6 TWh	5%
Gas	22.2 TWh	14%
Solar PV	0.7 TWh	<1%
Bioenergy	1.7 TWh	1%
Wind	5.2 TWh	3%
Hydroelectric	33.8 TWh	21%
Nuclear	85.6 TWh	53%
Coal	4.3 TWh	3%
TOTAL	**161 TWh**	**100%**

Source: Ontario Power Authority, June 2013
Note: Due to rounding, figures do not add up to 100%

Figure 3: The supply mix for 2030 as projected in Long-Term Energy Plan 2010



Source	Use	Share
Conservation	27.7 TWh	14%
Gas	13.9 TWh	7%
Solar PV	3 TWh	1.5%
Bioenergy	2.6 TWh	1.3%
Wind	19.8 TWh	10%
Hydroelectric	39.6 TWh	20%
Nuclear	91.1 TWh	46%
Coal	0 TWh	0%
TOTAL	**198 TWh**	**100%**

Source: Ontario's Long Term Energy Plan, 2010

It's clear the Ministry of Energy's Long Term Energy Plan is to reduce our reliance on nuclear power generation. As the Ontario taxpayer cannot afford to susidize and invest in all areas of the energy generation mix there must be savings and constraint initiatives found in other areas - this means that OPG should be reducing rates, not increasing them.

Rob Derer