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 Rideau St. Lawrence Distribution Inc. for an order approving just and reasonable rates and other charges for electricity distribution to be effective May 1, 2014.

RIDEAU ST. LAWRENCE DISTRIBUTION INC. ("RSL")

DRAFT RATE ORDER

March 20, 2014

Rideau St. Lawrence Distribution Inc. ("RSL") filed a complete application (the "Application") with the Ontario Energy Board (the "Board") on October 25, 2013 under section 78 of the Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998 and the Board's Filing Guidelines for an Incentive Regulation Mechanism. RSL is seeking approval for changes to the rates that RSL charges for electricity distribution, to be effective May 1, 2014. The Board assigned the Application file number EB-2013-0169.

The Board issued a Notice of Application and Hearing on October 30, 2013. No party applied for intervenor status in this proceeding.

Prior to the filing of the Application, and as authorized by the Board in proceeding EB-2011-0274, the Board's Regulatory Audit and Accounting group ("Regulatory Audit") conducted an audit of the balances in the following RSL accounts: 1588, RSVA Power; 1589, RSVA Global Adjustment ("GA"); and 1595, Recoveries (each as at December 31, 2012). On November 1, 2013, Regulatory Audit filed a letter with the Board Secretary summarizing the findings of the audit and expressing thanks to RSL for its assistance and support during the audit. The letter also stated that Regulatory Audit intends to file the full audit report (the "Audit Report") on the record in this proceeding.

In Procedural Order No. 1, dated November 13, 2013, the Board provided RSL with the opportunity to make a representation with respect to the intended introduction of the Audit Report on the record in this proceeding.

On December 6, 2013, RSL responded to Procedural Order No. 1, stating that it had received the final Audit Report on November 21, 2013, and that it was in agreement that the Audit Report would be filed on the record in this proceeding.

On January 29, 2014, Board Staff provided their submission in which they disagreed with RSL's method of refunding an over-collected Global Adjustment rate rider. Board Staff requested that the amount of \$64,632 be removed from the requested 1595 disposition, and that the over-collected amounts be refunded to the affected customers.

On February 13, 2014, RSL responded to the Board Staff submission. RSL agreed to remove the amount of \$64,632 from the requested 1595 disposition, and submit revised models and rates reflecting the change with the Draft Rate Order. RSL agreed to credit each affected customer for the over-collected rate rider. RSL is in the process of applying the credits. RSL will submit a letter to the Board Secretary upon completion of the crediting of the accounts.

On March 13, 2014, the OEB issued its Decision and Order (the "Decision") on Rideau St. Lawrence Distribution's Application. In that Decision, the OEB states "The Application met the Board's requirements as detailed in the *Report of the Board: Renewed Regulatory Framework for Electricity Distributors: A Performance-Based Approach* (the "RRFE Report") dated October 18, 2012 and the *Filing Requirements for Electricity Distribution Rate Applications* (the "Filing Requirements") dated July 17, 2013. Rideau selected the Price Cap Incentive Rate-Setting ("Price Cap IR") option to adjust its 2014 rates".

The Decision confirmed the requirement to recalculate the rate rider, and to submit the revised models with the Draft Rate Order. RSL was instructed to notify the Board when the credit adjustments have been applied to the accounts of the customers affected by the billing error.

RSL has recalculated the rate rider, removing the adjustment of \$64,632. The Draft Tariff of Rates and Charges, shown in Appendix A, reflects this change. RSL is in the process of applying the credits to the affected customer accounts, and will notify the Board when the work has been completed. RSL is filing revised models in Microsoft Excel format in support of the rates and charges shown in Appendix A.

APPENDIX A

DRAFT TARIFF OF RATES AND CHARGES

Effective and Implementation Date - May 1, 2014

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EB-2013-0169

RESIDENTIAL SERVICE CLASSIFICATION

This classification applies to an account taking electricity at 750 volts or less where the electricity is used exclusively in a separate metered living accommodation. Customers shall be residing in single-dwelling units that consist of a detached house or one unit of a semi-detached, duplex, triplex or quadruplex house, with a residential zoning.

Separately metered dwellings within a town house complex or apartment building also qualify as residential customers. Further servicing details are available in the distributor's Conditions of Service.

APPLICATION

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MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES – Delivery Component

Service Charge	\$	13.02
Rate Rider for Smart Metering Entity Charge – effective until October 31, 2018	\$	0.79
Distribution Volumetric Rate	\$/kWh	0.0148
Low Voltage Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0024
Rate Rider for Disposition of Deferral/Variance Account (2014) – effective until April 30, 2015	\$/kWh	(0.0027)
Rate Rider for Disposition of Global Adjustment Sub-Account (2014) – effective until April 30, 2015	\$/kWh	(0.0015)
Applicable only for Non-RPP Customers	1	, ,
Retail Transmission Rate – Network Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0070
Retail Transmission Rate – Line and Transformation Connection Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0049
MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES – Regulatory Component		
Wholesale Market Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0044
Rural or Remote Electricity Rate Protection (RRRP)	\$/kWh	0.0013
Standard Supply Service – Administrative Charge (if applicable)	\$	0.25

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GENERAL SERVICE LESS THAN 50 kW SERVICE CLASSIFICATION

This classification applies to a non-residential account taking electricity at 750 volts or less whose average monthly maximum demand is less than, or is forecast to be less than, 50 kW. Further servicing details are available in the distributor's Conditions of Service.

APPLICATION

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MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES – Delivery Component

Service Charge Rate Rider for Smart Metering Entity Charge – effective until October 31, 2018 Distribution Volumetric Rate	\$ \$ \$/kWh	30.13 .79 0.0091
Low Voltage Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0022
Rate Rider for Disposition of Deferral/Variance Account (2014) – effective until April 30, 2015 Rate Rider for Disposition of Global Adjustment Sub-Account (2014) – effective until April 30, 2015	\$/kWh	(0.0025)
Applicable only for Non-RPP Customers		(0.0015)
Retail Transmission Rate – Network Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0064
Retail Transmission Rate – Line and Transformation Connection Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0045
MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES – Regulatory Component		
Wholesale Market Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0044
Rural or Remote Electricity Rate Protection (RRRP)	\$/kWh	0.0013
Standard Supply Service – Administrative Charge (if applicable)	\$	0.25

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GENERAL SERVICE 50 to 4,999 kW SERVICE CLASSIFICATION

This classification applies to a non-residential account whose average monthly maximum demand used for billing purposes is equal to or greater than, or is forecast to be equal to or greater than, 50 kW but less than 5,000 kW.

Further servicing details are available in the distributor's Conditions of Service.

APPLICATION

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MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES - Delivery Component

Service Charge	\$	287.12
Distribution Volumetric Rate	\$/kW	1.9287
Low Voltage Service Rate	\$/kW	0.8135
Rate Rider for Disposition of Deferral/Variance Account (2014) – effective until April 30, 2015	\$/kW	(0.7766)
Rate Rider for Disposition of Global Adjustment Sub-Account (2014) – effective until April 30, 2015		
Applicable only for Non-RPP Customers		(0.4391)
Retail Transmission Rate – Network Service Rate	\$/kW	2.6685
Retail Transmission Rate – Line and Transformation Connection Service Rate	\$/kW	1.8103
Retail Transmission Rate – Network Service Rate – Interval Metered	\$/kW	2.9814
Retail Transmission Rate – Line and Transformation Connection Service Rate – Interval Metered	\$/kW	2.0178
MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES – Regulatory Component		
Wholesale Market Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0044
Rural Rate Protection Charge	\$/kWh	0.0013
Standard Supply Service – Administrative Charge (if applicable)	\$	0.25

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UNMETERED SCATTERED LOAD SERVICE CLASSIFICATION

This classification applies to an account taking electricity at 750 volts or less whose average monthly maximum demand is less than, or is forecast to be less than, 50 kW and the consumption is unmetered. Such connections include cable TV power packs, bus shelters, telephone booths, traffic lights, railway crossings, etc. The level of the consumption will be agreed to by the distributor and the customer, based on detailed manufacturer information/documentation with regard to electrical consumption of the unmetered load or periodic monitoring of actual consumption. Further servicing details are available in the distributor's Conditions of Service.

APPLICATION

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MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES - Delivery Component

Service Charge (per customer) Distribution Volumetric Rate Low Voltage Service Rate Rate Rider for Disposition of Deferral/Variance Account (2014) – effective until April 30, 2015 Retail Transmission Rate – Network Service Rate Retail Transmission Rate – Line and Transformation Connection Service Rate	\$ \$/kWh \$/kWh \$/kWh \$/kWh	3.94 0.0181 0.0022 (0.0024) 0.0064 0.0045
MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES – Regulatory Component		
Wholesale Market Service Rate Rural Rate Protection Charge Standard Supply Service – Administrative Charge (if applicable)	\$/kWh \$/kWh \$	0.0044 0.0013 0.25

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SENTINEL LIGHTING SERVICE CLASSIFICATION

This classification refers to accounts that are an unmetered lighting load supplied to a sentinel light. Further servicing details are available in the distributor's Conditions of Service.

APPLICATION

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MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES – Delivery Component

Service Charge (per connection) Distribution Volumetric Rate Low Voltage Service Rate Rate Rider for Disposition of Deferral/Variance Account (2014) – effective until April 30, 2015 Retail Transmission Rate – Network Service Rate Retail Transmission Rate – Line and Transformation Connection Service Rate	\$ \$/kW \$/kW \$/kW \$/kW	2.10 15.3576 0.6420 (0.9299) 2.0227 1.4287
MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES – Regulatory Component	4	
Wholesale Market Service Rate Rural Rate Protection Charge Standard Supply Service – Administrative Charge (if applicable)	\$/kWh \$/kWh \$	0.0044 0.0013 0.25

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STREET LIGHTING SERVICE CLASSIFICATION

This classification applies to an account for roadway lighting with a Municipality, Regional Municipality, Ministry of Transportation and private roadway lighting, controlled by photo cells. The consumption for these customers will be based on the calculated connected load times the required lighting times established in the approved OEB street lighting load shape template. Further servicing details are available in the distributor's Conditions of Service.

APPLICATION

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MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES - Delivery Component

Service Charge (per connection)	\$	3.40	
Distribution Volumetric Rate	\$/kW	12.9653	
Low Voltage Service Rate	\$/kW	0.6289	
Rate Rider for Disposition of Deferral/Variance Account (2014) – effective until April 30, 2015	\$/kW	(0.8040)	
Rate Rider for Disposition of Global Adjustment Sub-Account (2014) – effective until April 30, 2015			
Applicable only for Non-RPP Customers		(0.5467)	
Retail Transmission Rate – Network Service Rate	\$/kW	2.0125	
Retail Transmission Rate - Line and Transformation Connection Service Rate	\$/kW	1.3996	
MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES – Regulatory Component			
Miles Level - Market Coming Date	\$/kWh	0.0044	
Wholesale Market Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0044	
Rural Rate Protection Charge		0.0013	
Standard Supply Service – Administrative Charge (if applicable)	\$	0.25	

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microFIT GENERATOR SERVICE CLASSIFICATION

This classification applies to an electricity generation facility contracted under the Ontario Power Authority's microFIT program and connected to the distributor's distribution system. Further servicing details are available in the distributor's Conditions of Service.

APPLICATION

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MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES – Delivery Component

Service Charge	\$	5.40
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ALLOWANCES

Transformer Allowance for Ownership - per kW of billing demand/month	\$/kW	(0.60)
Primary Metering Allowance for transformer losses – applied to measured demand and energy	%	(1.00)

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SPECIFIC SERVICE CHARGES

APPLICATION

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Customer Administration		
Arrears certificate	\$	15.00
Statement of account	\$ \$	15.00
Pulling post-dated cheques	\$	15.00
Duplicate invoices for previous billing	\$	15.00
Reguest for other billing information	\$	15.00
Easement letter	\$ \$	15.00
Income tax letter	\$	15.00
Notification charge	\$ \$ \$	15.00
Account history	\$	15.00
Credit reference/credit check (plus credit agency costs)	\$	15.00
Returned cheque charge (plus bank charges)	\$	15.00
Charge to certify cheque	\$	15.00
Legal letter Charge	\$	15.00
Account set up charge/change of occupancy charge (plus credit agency costs if applicable)	\$ \$	30.00
Meter dispute charge plus Measurement Canada fees (if meter found correct)	\$	30.00
Special meter reads	\$	30.00
Non-Payment of Account	·	
Late Payment - per month	%	1.50
Late Payment - per annum	%	19.56
Collection of account charge – no disconnection	\$	30.00
Collection of account charge – no disconnection – after regular hours		165.00
Disconnect/Reconnect at meter - during regular hours	\$	65.00
Disconnect/Reconnect at meter - after regular hours	\$	185.00
Disconnect/Reconnect at pole - during regular hours	\$	185.00
Disconnect/Reconnect at pole - after regular hours	\$	415.00
Service call – customer owned equipment	\$	30.00
Service call – after regular hours	\$	165.00
Install/Remove load control device – during regular hours	<i>\$</i> \$	65.00
Install/Remove load control device – after regular hours	\$	185.00
Temporary service install and remove – overhead – no transformer	\$	500.00
Temporary service install and remove – underground – no transformer	\$	300.00
Temporary service install and remove – overhead – with transformer	\$	1,000.00
Specific Charge for Access to the Power Poles – per pole/year	\$	22.35

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RETAIL SERVICE CHARGES (if applicable)

APPLICATION

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Retail Service Charges refer to services provided by a distributor to retailers or customers related to the supply of competitive electricity

One-time charge, per retailer, to establish the service agreement between the distributor and the retaile	r \$	100.00
Monthly Fixed Charge, per retailer	\$	20.00
Monthly Variable Charge, per customer, per retailer	\$/cust.	0.50
Distributor-consolidated billing charge, per customer, per retailer	\$/cust.	0.30
Retailer-consolidated billing credit, per customer, per retailer	\$/cust.	(0.30)
Service Transaction Requests (STR)		
Request fee, per request, applied to the requesting party	\$	0.25
Processing fee, per request, applied to the requesting party	\$	0.50
Request for customer information as outlined in Section 10.6.3 and Chapter 11 of the Retail		
Settlement Code directly to retailers and customers, if not delivered electronically through the		
Electronic Business Transaction (EBT) system, applied to the requesting party		
Up to twice a year no charge		
More than twice a year, per request (plus incremental delivery costs)	\$	2.00

LOSS FACTORS

If the distributor is not capable of prorating changed loss factors jointly with distribution rates, the revised loss factors will be implemented upon the first subsequent billing for each billing cycle.

Total Loss Factor – Secondary Metered Customer < 5,000 kW	1.0797
Total Loss Factor – Secondary Metered Customer > 5,000 kW	N/A
Total Loss Factor – Primary Metered Customer < 5,000 kW	1.0689
Total Loss Factor – Primary Metered Customer > 5,000 kW	N/A