# ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD NOTICE TO ALL ONTARIO ELECTRICITY CUSTOMERS

## Electricity Transmission Company B2M LP has applied to change Ontario's electricity transmission rates.

### Learn more. Have your say.

B2M Limited Partnership has applied to the Ontario Energy Board (OEB) with a five year plan to change the amount of revenue it earns and to change the transmission rates that are paid by all electricity ratepayers in Ontario. If approved, B2M LP's plan would result in the following impacts on the monthly cost of electricity for an average residential customer:

2015 - no change \$0.00/month 2016 - increase of \$0.04/month 2017 - decrease of \$0.01/month 2018 - increase of \$0.01/month 2019 - no change \$0.00/month

Any change to the provincial transmission rate will cause a change to the delivery line on all electricity bills for all electricity customers in Ontario – both residential and business.

#### THE ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD IS HOLDING A PUBLIC HEARING

The Ontario Energy Board (OEB) will hold a public hearing to consider B2M LP's request. We will question the company on its case. We will also hear arguments from individuals and from groups that represent B2M LP's customers. At the end of this hearing, the OEB will decide what, if any, change will be allowed.

The OEB is an independent and impartial public agency. We make decisions that serve the public interest. Our goal is to promote a financially viable and efficient energy sector that provides you with reliable energy services at a reasonable cost.

#### **BE INFORMED AND HAVE YOUR SAY**

You have the right to information regarding this application and to be involved in the process. You can:

- review B2M LP's application on the OEB's website now.
- file a letter with your comments, which will be considered during the hearing.
- become an active participant (called an intervenor). Apply by [insert actual date 10 calendar days from publication] or the hearing will go ahead without you and you will not receive any further notice of the proceeding.
- at the end of the process, review the OEB's decision and its reasons on our website.

#### LEARN MORE

These proposed charges relate to B2M LP's transmission services. They make up part of the Delivery line -- one of the five line items on your bill. Our file number for this case is **EB-2015-0026**. To learn more about this hearing, find instructions on how to file letters or become an intervenor, or to access any document related to this case, please select the file number **EB-2015-0026** from the list on the OEB website: <a href="https://www.ontarioenergyboard.ca/notice">www.ontarioenergyboard.ca/notice</a>. You can also phone our Consumer Relations Centre at 1-877-632-2727 with any questions.

#### **ORAL VS. WRITTEN HEARINGS**

There are two types of OEB hearings – oral and written. B2M LP has not specified what type of hearing it would like. If you think an oral hearing is needed, you can write to the OEB to explain why by [insert actual date 10 calendar days from publication].

#### **PRIVACY**

If you write a letter of comment, your name and the content of your letter or the documents you file with the OEB will be put on the public record and the OEB website. However, your personal telephone number, home address and email address will be removed. If you are a business, all your information will remain public. If you apply to become an intervenor, all information will be public.

This rate hearing will be held under section 78 of the Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998, S.O. 1998 c.15 (Schedule B).

