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May 22, 2015

PIAC FILE # 6454-13

Ms. Kirsten Walli
Board Secretary
Ontario Energy Board
Suite 2700
2300 Yonge Street
27th floor
Toronto, ON
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VIA E-Mail
6 pages

Dear Ms. Walli:

**Re: Board File No. EB-2014-0276
Cost Claim of Vulnerable Energy Consumers Coalition (VECC)**

On behalf of the Vulnerable Energy Consumers Coalition (VECC) we have attached their cost claim with respect to the above-noted proceeding. We have also directed a copy to the applicant as well as their counsel.

Thank you.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Michael Janigan', is written over a horizontal line.

Michael Janigan
Counsel for VECC

Cc: EGD I – Andrew Mandyam – egdregulatoryproceedings@enbridge.com
Counsel – Fred Cass – fcass@airdberlis.com

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COST CLAIM FOR HEARINGS



Affidavit and Summary of Fees and Disbursements

This form should be used by a party to a hearing before the Board to identify the fees and disbursements that form the party's cost claim. Paper and electronic copies of this form and itemized receipts must be filed with the Board and served on one or more other parties as directed by the Board in the applicable Board order. Please ensure all required (yellow-shaded) fields are filled in and the Affidavit portion is signed and sworn or affirmed.

Instructions

- Required data input is indicated by yellow-shaded fields. Formulas are embedded in the form to assist with calculations.
- All claims must be in Canadian dollars. If applicable, state exchange rate and country of initial currency.

Rate: _____ Country: _____

- A separate "Detail of Fees and Disbursements Being Claimed" (comprising a "Statement of Fees Being Claimed" and a "Statement of Disbursements Being Claimed") is required for each lawyer, analyst/consultant and articling student/paralegal.

However, only one "Summary of Fees and Disbursements" covering the whole of the party's cost claim should be provided.

- The cost claim must be supported by a completed Affidavit signed by a representative of the party.

- A CV for each consultant/analyst must be attached unless provided to the Board as prescribed on the Cost Award Tariff.

Except as provided in section 7.03 of the Practice Direction on Cost Awards, itemized receipts must be provided.

File # EB-	<u>2014-0276</u>	Process:	<u>ENBRIDGE GAS</u>
Party:	<u>VECC</u>	Affiant's Name:	<u>Donna Brady</u>
HST Number:	<u>13059 2405</u>	HST Rate Ontario:	<u>3.94%</u>
Full Registrant	<input type="checkbox"/>	Qualifying Non-Profit	<input type="checkbox"/>
Unregistered	<input type="checkbox"/>	Tax Exempt	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other	<input type="checkbox"/>		

Affidavit

I, Donna Brady, of the City/Town of Ottawa
in the Province/State of Ontario, swear or affirm that:

1. I am a representative of the above-noted party (the "Party") and as such have knowledge of the matters attested to herein.
2. I have examined all of the documentation in support of this cost claim, including the attached "Summary of Fees and Disbursements Being Claimed", "Statement(s) of Fees Being Claimed" and "Statement(s) of Disbursements Being Claimed".
3. The attached "Summary of Fees and Disbursements Being Claimed", "Statement(s) of Fees Being Claimed" and "Statement(s) of Disbursements Being Claimed" include only costs incurred and time spent directly for the purposes of the Party's participation in the Ontario Energy Board process referred to above.
4. This cost claim does not include any costs for work done, or time spent, by a person that is an employee or officer of the Party as described in sections 6.05 and 6.09 of the Board's Practice Direction on Cost Awards.

[Signature]
Signature of Affiant

Sworn or affirmed before me at the City/Town of Ottawa
in the Province/State of Ontario, on MAY 22-2015
(date)

[Signature]
Commissioner for taking Affidavits

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Affidavit and Summary of Fees and Disbursements

File # EB- 2014-0276 Process: ENBRIDGO
Party: VECC

Summary of Fees and Disbursements Being Claimed

Legal/consultant/other fees	\$10,562.50
Disbursements	\$
HST	\$ 416.16
Total Cost Claim	\$10,978.66

Payment Information

Make cheque payable to: Public Interest Advocacy Centre

Send payment to this address: 1204-ONE Nicholas Street
Ottawa, ON
K1N 7B7

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Detail of Fees and Disbursements Being Claimed

File # EB- <u>2014-0276</u>	Process: <u>Enbridge 2015 Rates</u>
Party: <u>VECC</u>	Service Provider Name: <u>Mark Garner</u>
SERVICE PROVIDER TYPE (check one) <input type="checkbox"/> Legal Counsel <input type="checkbox"/> Articling Student/Paralegal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Consultant <input type="checkbox"/> Analyst	Year Called to Bar: <input style="width: 50px;" type="text"/> Completed Years Practising/Years of Relevant Experience: <input style="width: 100px; text-align: center;" type="text" value="27"/> Hourly Rate: <input style="width: 80px; text-align: right;" type="text" value="\$325"/> For Consultant/Analyst: <input type="checkbox"/> CV attached HST Rate Charged (enter %): <input style="width: 80px; text-align: right;" type="text" value="3.9%"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CV provided within previous 24 months

Statement of Fees Being Claimed

	Hours	Hourly Rate	Subtotal	HST	Total
Pre-hearing Conference					
Preparation		\$ 325.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Attendance		\$ 325.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Technical Conference					
Preparation	1.5	\$ 325.00	\$ 487.50	\$ 19.21	\$ 506.71
Attendance	3.5	\$ 325.00	\$ 1,137.50	\$ 44.82	\$ 1,182.32
Interrogatories					
Preparation	7.0	\$ 325.00	\$ 2,275.00	\$ 89.64	\$ 2,364.64
Responses		\$ 325.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Issues Conference					
Preparation		\$ 325.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Attendance		\$ 325.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
ADR - Settlement Conference					
Preparation	7.5	\$ 325.00	\$ 2,437.50	\$ 96.04	\$ 2,533.54
Attendance	11.5	\$ 325.00	\$ 3,737.50	\$ 147.26	\$ 3,884.76
Proposal Preparation	1.5	\$ 325.00	\$ 487.50	\$ 19.21	\$ 506.71
Argument					
Preparation		\$ 325.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Oral Hearing					
Preparation		\$ 325.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Attendance		\$ 325.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Other Conferences					
Preparation		\$ 325.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Attendance		\$ 325.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Case Management		\$ 170.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
TOTAL SERVICE PROVIDER FEES			\$ 10,562.50	\$ 416.16	\$ 10,978.66

Econalysis Consulting Services

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 Suite 630
 Toronto, Ontario
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Statement of Costs

Date	File #
15/05/2015	2015026

Bill To
Public Interest Advocacy Centre Suite 1204 1 Nicholas Street Ottawa, ON K1N 7B7

Terms	Docket No.
Net 30	EB-2014-0276

Project					
Enbridge 2015 Rates					
Serviced	Item	Description	Hours	Rate	Amount
06/01/2015	Interrogatories Preparation	Draft Intervention/file establishment/review past decisions/interrogatories	0.5	325.00	162.50
29/01/2015	Interrogatories Preparation	Draft Interrogatories	6.5	325.00	2,112.50
23/02/2015	Technical Conf. Preparation	Review interrogatory responses/prepare for technical conference	1.5	325.00	487.50
25/02/2015	Technical Conf. Attendance	Attend Technical Conference (9:30-2:00pm)	3.5	325.00	1,137.50
04/03/2015	ADR Preparation	Prepare Settlement Notes for review by MJ/review technical conference undertakings	7.5	325.00	2,437.50
05/03/2015	ADR Attendance	Attend Settlement Conference/confer with MJ by email. (9:30am-4:30pm)	6	325.00	1,950.00
06/03/2015	ADR Attendance	Attend Settlement Conference/confer with MJ (9:30am-4:00pm)	5.5	325.00	1,787.50
11/03/2015	ADR Proposal Preparation	Review and comment on preliminary draft of Settlement Proposal	0.5	325.00	162.50
12/03/2015	ADR Proposal Preparation	Review and comment on 2nd draft of Settlement Proposal (confer with MJ)	0.5	325.00	162.50
			HST #10160 6028		
			Total		

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Project					
Enbridge 2015 Rates					
Serviced	Item	Description	Hours	Rate	Amount
18/03/2015	ADR Proposal Preparation	Review 1st draft of Gas Supply Plan addendum to Settlement Proposal/send and review with MJ	0.25	325.00	81.25
01/04/2015	ADR Proposal Preparation	Review final Gas Supply/UDC addendum to Settlement Proposal - review with MJ for sign off	0.25	325.00	81.25
		Subtotal			10,562.50
		HST on Sales		13.00%	1,373.13
HST #10160 6028					\$1,373.13
Total					\$11,935.63