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October 18, 2016

PIAC FILE # 6554-20

Ms. Kirsten Walli  
Board Secretary  
Ontario Energy Board  
Suite 2700  
2300 Yonge Street  
Toronto, ON  
M4P 1E4

VIA E-Mail  
6 pages

Dear Ms. Walli:

**Re: Board File No. EB-2015-0238  
Gas Supply Planning Consultation  
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 interested parties via e-mail.

Thanks

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'Michael Janigan', written in a cursive style.

Michael Janigan  
Counsel for VECC

cc: Interested Parties – via e-mail

**Ontario Energy Board**  
**COST CLAIM FOR CONSULTATIONS**



**Affidavit and Summary of Fees and Disbursements**

This form should be used by a party (defined in the Practice Direction on Cost Awards as including a participant in a consultation process) in a consultation 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 Notice of Hearing for Cost Awards. Please ensure all required 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 present in the document to assist with the calculation of the cost claim.
- All claims must be in Canadian dollars. If applicable, state exchange rate and country of initial currency.  
Rate: \_\_\_\_\_ Country: \_\_\_\_\_
- A separate "Statement of Disbursements Being Claimed" is required for each consultant or lawyer/articling student/paralegal. However only one "Statement of Fees Being Claimed" and one "Summary of Fees and Disbursements Being Claimed" 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 must be attached unless, for a given consultant, a CV has been provided to the Board in another process within the last 24 months.
- Except as provided in section 7.03 of the Practice Direction on Cost Awards, itemized receipts must be provided.

File # EB-	2015-0238	Process:	OEB Gas Supply Planning
Party:	VECC	Affiant's Name:	
HST Number:	13059 2405	HST Rate Ontario:	3.9%
	Full Registrant <input type="checkbox"/>	Qualifying Non-Profit	<input checked="" 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 of Fees Being Claimed" and "Statement(s) of Disbursements Being Claimed".
3. The attached "Summary of Fees and Disbursements Being Claimed", "Statement 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 of Affiant

Sworn or affirmed before me at the City/Town of Ottawa  
in the Province/State of Ontario, on OCT. 18. 2016  
(date)

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Commissioner for taking Affidavits

**Ontario Energy Board**  
**COST CLAIM FOR CONSULTATIONS**  
**Affidavit and Summary of Fees and Disbursements**



File # EB- 2015-0238 Process: OEB Gas Supply Planning

Party: VECC

**Summary of Fees and Disbursements Being Claimed**

Legal/consultant fees	\$3,087.50
Disbursements	\$0.00
HST	\$121.65
<b>Total Cost Claim</b>	<b>\$3,209.15</b>

**Payment Information**

Make cheque payable to: Public Interest Advocacy Centre

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

**Detail of Fees and Disbursements Being Claimed**

**Statement of Fees Being Claimed**

Statement of Fees being claimed for Eligible Activity is found on the third tab of this workbook.

**Statement(s) of Disbursements Being Claimed**

Statement of Disbursements being claimed is found on the fourth tab of this workbook.

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## COST CLAIM FOR CONSULTATIONS

### Affidavit and Summary of Fees and Disbursements

#### Individual Whose Costs are Being Claimed

Name: Mark Garner

Counsel/Articling Student/Paralegal:	<input type="checkbox"/>	Year Called to Bar	<input type="text"/>	Completed Years Practicing/Years of Relevant Experience	_____
Analyst/Consultant:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>				_____
CV attached:	<input type="checkbox"/>	CV not required:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		28

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Counsel/Articling Student/Paralegal:	<input type="checkbox"/>	Year Called to Bar	<input type="text"/>	Completed Years Practicing/Years of relevant experience	_____
Analyst/Consultant:	<input type="checkbox"/>				_____
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## Ontario Energy Board COST CLAIM FOR CONSULTATIONS Statement of Fees Being Claimed

File # EB- 2015-0238

Process OEB Gas Supply Planning

Party VECC

HST Rate: 4%

Individual Whose Fees are Being Claimed	Hourly rate	Hours			Subtotal	HST	Total
		Stakeholder Conference (preparation, attendance & reporting)	Written Comments on Stakeholder Conference Issues	Preparation of a Separate Expert Submission for the Stakeholder Conference			
Mark Garner	\$325.00	9.50	Up to 11 hours	Up to 20 hours + 10 hours per additional eligible participant	\$3,087.50	\$121.65	\$3,209.15
					\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
					\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
					\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
					\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
<b>Total:</b>		9.50	0.00	0.00	\$3,087.50	\$121.65	
<b>Total legal/consultant fees:</b>							<b>\$3,209.15</b>

Econalysis Consulting Services

34 King St East  
 Suite 630  
 Toronto, Ontario  
 M5C 2X8

# Statement of Costs

Date	File #
13/10/2016	2016065

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

Terms	Docket No.
Net 30	EB-2015-0238

Project					
OEB Gas Supply Planning					
Serviced	Item	Description	Hours	Rate	Amount
29/10/2015	Issues Conference Preparation	Review gas supply material, discuss file with client, prepare for Dec meeting	1	325.00	325.00
03/12/2015	Other Conferences Attendance	Attend December 3, 2015 presentations meeting/notes	5	325.00	1,625.00
21/03/2016	Other Conferences Preparation	Review materials/discuss with client/prepare for March 22 meeting	1.5	325.00	487.50
22/03/2016	Other Conferences Attendance	Attend and participate in March 22, 2016 meeting	2	325.00	650.00
		Subtotal			3,087.50
		HST on Sales		13.00%	401.38
<b>HST #10160 6028</b>					\$401.38
<b>Total</b>					<b>\$3,488.88</b>