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I am very disappointed and disagree strongly with the proposed increase in "distribution rates" by Hydro One. First my bill shows a "delivery rate" NOT a distribution rate. If they are one and the same, then for Apr 25, 2017 - May 25, 2017, I calculate/estimate a 7.048% rate increase for the 1st period beginning Jan 1 2018 using the \$2.79 per month in the proposal. If this is accurate it is outrageous and highly punitive to Hydro One customers and very substantially above any reasonable inflation rate. We also shouldn't have to try to guess how to calculate the % increase as it should be clearly spelled out in the notice!!! Providing only a dollar increase without the current base for comparison or a % increase is ridiculous!!

I can't believe the lack of useful information & confusing use of terminology in the current proposal. Perhaps this is on purpose to confuse or mislead the consumer? I hope not!

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