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February 28, 2018  
Our File: EB20170048

**Attn: Kirsten Walli, Board Secretary**

Dear Ms. Walli:

**Re: EB-2017-0048 – Hydro Hawkesbury Inc. 2018 – Cost Claim**

We are counsel for the School Energy Coalition ("SEC"). Enclosed, please find SEC's cost claim in this matter, on the Board's form and including docket details.

Please note we have allocated 0.4 hours to 'Argument' for reviewing both the Board's written decision and the revised settlement proposal/rate order. We have done so since there does not appear to be a specific category on the Board's form that easily captures these activities.

Yours very truly,

**Shepherd Rubenstein P.C.**

*Original signed by*

Mark Rubenstein

cc: Wayne McNally, SEC (by email)  
Applicant (by email)

# Ontario Energy Board 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>EB-2017-0048</u>	Process:	<u>Hydro Hawkesbury 2018</u>
Party:	<u>School Energy Coalition</u>	Affiant's Name:	<u>Mark Rubenstein</u>
HST Number:	<u>83673-5464-RT0001</u>	HST Rate Ontario:	<u>13.00%</u>
Full Registrant	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Qualifying Non-Profit	<input type="checkbox"/>
Unregistered	<input type="checkbox"/>	Tax Exempt	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other	<input type="checkbox"/>		

### Affidavit

I, Mark Rubenstein, of the City/Town of Toronto  
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 of Affiant

Sworn or affirmed before me at the City/Town of Toronto,  
in the Province/State of Ontario, on February 28 2018.  
(date)

### Commissioner for taking Affidavits

**Ontario Energy Board**  
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**Affidavit and Summary of Fees and Disbursements**

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Process: Hydro Hawkesbury 2018

Party: School Energy Coalition

**Summary of Fees and Disbursements Being Claimed**

Legal/consultant/other fees	\$	8,878.00
Disbursements	\$	-
HST	\$	1,154.14
<b>Total Cost Claim</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>10,032.14</b>

**Payment Information**

Make cheque payable to: Shepherd Rubenstein Professional Corporation, in tr

Send payment to this address: 2200 Yonge Street

Suite 1302

Toronto, ON

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### Detail of Fees and Disbursements Being Claimed

<b>File # EB-</b> <u>EB-2017-0048</u>	<b>Process:</b> <u>Hydro Hawkesbury 2018</u>
<b>Party:</b> <u>School Energy Coalition</u>	<b>Service Provider Name:</b> <u>Mark Rubenstein</u>
<b>Completed Years Practising/Years of Relevant Experience</b> <div style="border: 1px solid black; width: 150px; margin: 0 auto; text-align: center; padding: 2px;">6</div>	
<b>SERVICE PROVIDER TYPE</b> (check one) <div style="margin-top: 5px;"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Legal Counsel         </div> <div style="margin-top: 5px;"> <input type="checkbox"/> Articling Student/Paralegal         </div> <div style="margin-top: 5px;"> <input type="checkbox"/> Consultant         </div> <div style="margin-top: 5px;"> <input type="checkbox"/> Analyst         </div>	<b>Year Called to Bar</b> <div style="border: 1px solid black; width: 100px; margin: 0 auto; text-align: center; padding: 2px;">2011</div>
<b>Hourly Rate:</b> <div style="border: 1px solid black; width: 100px; margin: 0 auto; text-align: center; padding: 2px;">\$230</div>	
<b>HST Rate Charged (enter %):</b> <div style="border: 1px solid black; width: 100px; margin: 0 auto; text-align: center; padding: 2px;">13.0%</div>	
<b>For Consultant/Analyst:</b> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; margin-top: 5px;"> <input type="checkbox"/> CV attached         <input type="checkbox"/> CV provided within previous 24 months       </div>	

Statement of Fees Being Claimed					
	Hours	Hourly Rate	Subtotal	HST	Total
<b>Pre-hearing Conference</b>					
Preparation		\$ 230.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Attendance		\$ 230.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
<b>Technical Conference</b>					
Preparation		\$ 230.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Attendance		\$ 230.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
<b>Interrogatories</b>					
Preparation	12.60	\$ 230.00	\$ 2,898.00	\$ 376.74	\$ 3,274.74
Responses	9.40	\$ 230.00	\$ 2,162.00	\$ 281.06	\$ 2,443.06
<b>Issues Conference</b>					
Preparation		\$ 230.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Attendance		\$ 230.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
<b>ADR - Settlement Conference</b>					
Preparation	1.50	\$ 230.00	\$ 345.00	\$ 44.85	\$ 389.85
Attendance	6.10	\$ 230.00	\$ 1,403.00	\$ 182.39	\$ 1,585.39
Proposal Preparation	5.80	\$ 230.00	\$ 1,334.00	\$ 173.42	\$ 1,507.42
<b>Argument</b>					
Preparation	0.40	\$ 230.00	\$ 92.00	\$ 11.96	\$ 103.96
<b>Oral Hearing</b>					
Preparation	1.60	\$ 230.00	\$ 368.00	\$ 47.84	\$ 415.84
Attendance	1.20	\$ 230.00	\$ 276.00	\$ 35.88	\$ 311.88
<b>Other Conferences</b>					
Preparation		\$ 230.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Attendance		\$ 230.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
<b>Case Management</b>			\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
<b>TOTAL SERVICE PROVIDER FEES</b>			\$ 8,878.00	\$ 1,154.14	\$ 10,032.14

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Process: Hydro Hawkesbury 2018

Party: School Energy Coalition

Service Provider Name: Mark Rubenstein

Statement of Disbursements Being Claimed			
	Net Cost	HST	Total
Scanning/Photocopy		\$ -	\$ -
Printing		\$ -	\$ -
Courier		\$ -	\$ -
Telephone/Fax		\$ -	\$ -
Transcripts		\$ -	\$ -
Travel: Air		\$ -	\$ -
Travel: Car		\$ -	\$ -
Travel: Rail		\$ -	\$ -
Travel (Other):		\$ -	\$ -
Parking		\$ -	\$ -
Taxi		\$ -	\$ -
Accommodation		\$ -	\$ -
Meals		\$ -	\$ -
Other:		\$ -	\$ -
Other:		\$ -	\$ -
Other:		\$ -	\$ -
<b>TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS:</b>	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -

Date	Explanation	Lwyr	Hours
20171016	preliminary review	MR	1.2
20171018	review application and draft IRs	MR	5.2
20171019	review application and draft IRs	MR	4.0
20171023	final review of IRs/edit/draft cover letter and file	MR	2.2
20171027	emails/review draft issues list	MR	0.3
20171114	email/preliminary review of IRR	MR	0.5
20171115	prel review of IRR/review draft issues list and provide comments	MR	0.7
20171116	emails/review Bd corr	MR	0.2
20171119	review IRR/prepare clarification questions/prepare for settlement conference	MR	5.4
20171120	emails	MR	0.2
20171121	emails/prepare for settlement conference/review issues list	MR	2.4
20171122	prepare for settlement conference	MR	1.2
20171122	attend settlement conference/emails/debrief	MR	6.1
20171211	emails	MR	0.1
20171212	emails	MR	0.1
20171215	emails	MR	0.2
20171218	emails/review PO	MR	0.1
20171219	review, edit and comment on draft settlement proposal	MR	1.5
20171220	emails/review models	MR	0.6
20171221	emails/review Staff comments/p. call w B. Armstrong	MR	0.6
20180104	emails/review updated settlement proposal and provide edits and comments/p. call w. B. Armstrong	MR	1.2
20180105	emails/review Staff revisions/further emails	MR	0.9
20180108	emails/final review of settlement proposal	MR	0.4
20180110	emails	MR	0.1
20180125	emails/review staff sub	MR	0.2
20180205	review PO 3	MR	0.2
20180206	emails	MR	0.2
20180212	p. call w. B. Armstrong/emails	MR	0.2
20180213	emails/review revised settlement proposal	MR	0.3
20180214	prepare for settlement presentation day	MR	0.5
20180215	attend settlement presentation day	MR	1.2
20180222	email/review decision	MR	0.2
20180227	review revised settlement and rate order/emails	MR	0.2
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