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May 3, 2018  
Our File: EB20170045

**Attn: Kirsten Walli, Board Secretary**

Dear Ms. Walli:

**Re: EB-2017-0045 – Halton Hills Hydro Inc. 2018 IRM – 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.

The undersigned had lead carriage for this matter for SEC and time spent by co-counsel Jay Shepherd has not been claimed.

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.**

<b>File #</b>	EB-2017-0045	<b>Process:</b>	Halton Hills Hydro Inc. 2018
<b>Party:</b>	School Energy Coalition	<b>Affiant's Name:</b>	Mark Rubenstein
<b>HST Number:</b>	83673-5464-RT0001	<b>HST Rate Ontario:</b>	13.00%
	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 May 3 2018.  
(date)

**Commissioner for taking Affidavits**

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**Affidavit and Summary of Fees and Disbursements**

File # EB- EB-2017-0045

Process: Halton Hills Hydro Inc. 2018

Party: School Energy Coalition

**Summary of Fees and Disbursements Being Claimed**

Legal/consultant/other fees	\$	3,519.00
Disbursements	\$	-
HST	\$	457.47
<b>Total Cost Claim</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>3,976.47</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-2017-0045</u>	<b>Process:</b> <u>Halton Hills Hydro Inc. 2018</u>
<b>Party:</b> <u>School Energy Coalition</u>	<b>Service Provider Name:</b> <u>Mark Rubenstein</u>
<b>SERVICE PROVIDER TYPE</b> (check one)	<b>Year Called to Bar</b>
Legal Counsel <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Articling Student/Paralegal <input type="checkbox"/> Consultant <input type="checkbox"/> Analyst <input type="checkbox"/>	<u>2011</u>
	<b>Completed Years Practising/Years of Relevant Experience</b>
	<u>6</u>
	<b>Hourly Rate:</b> <u>\$230</u>
For Consultant/Analyst: <input type="checkbox"/> CV attached	<b>HST Rate Charged (enter %):</b> <u>13.0%</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> CV provided within previous 24 months	

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	4.40	\$ 230.00	\$ 1,012.00	\$ 131.56	\$ 1,143.56	
Responses	4.10	\$ 230.00	\$ 943.00	\$ 122.59	\$ 1,065.59	
<b>Issues Conference</b>						
Preparation		\$ 230.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	
Attendance		\$ 230.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	
<b>ADR - Settlement Conference</b>						
Preparation		\$ 230.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	
Attendance		\$ 230.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	
Proposal Preparation		\$ 230.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	
<b>Argument</b>						
Preparation	6.80	\$ 230.00	\$ 1,564.00	\$ 203.32	\$ 1,767.32	
<b>Oral Hearing</b>						
Preparation		\$ 230.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	
Attendance		\$ 230.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	
<b>Other Conferences</b>						
Preparation		\$ 230.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	
Attendance		\$ 230.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	
<b>Case Management</b>						
			\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	
<b>TOTAL SERVICE PROVIDER FEES</b>			<b>\$ 3,519.00</b>	<b>\$ 457.47</b>	<b>\$ 3,976.47</b>	

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**Detail of Fees and Disbursements Being Claimed**

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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>		\$ -	\$ -	\$ -

<b>Date</b>	<b>Explanation</b>	<b>Lwyr</b>	<b>Hours</b>
20171201	emails/prelim review of app	MR	0.3
20171222	review notice/prelim review of issues	MR	0.5
20180118	review PO	MR	0.2
20180124	review PO	MR	0.1
20180203	review evidence/draft IRs	MR	3.0
20180205	finalize and file IRs	MR	0.3
20180220	prelim review of IRR	MR	0.4
20180221	review corr	MR	0.1
20180222	prepare declaration & undertaking	MR	0.1
20180223	emails	MR	0.1
20180225	review IRRs and draft submissions	MR	3.4
20180226	draft submissions	MR	3.4
20180227	disc w S. Grice/emails/review PO/p. call w. Mark A. (Staff)	MR	0.5
20180307	edit argument/review reply sub	MR	0.5
20180309	review PO/confidentiality decision	MR	0.2
20180313	edit and finalize sub	MR	0.8
20180314	emails/review VECC sub	MR	0.4
20180315	review Staff sub	MR	0.3
20180321	review reply argument	MR	0.3
20180426	review decision/emails	MR	0.4
			15.3

IRP	IRR	Arg
0.3		
0.5		
0.2		
0.1		
3.0		
0.3		
0.4	0.4	
0.1	0.1	
0.1	0.1	
0.1	0.1	
3.4	3.4	
		3.4
		0.5
		0.5
		0.2
		0.8
		0.4
		0.3
		0.3
		0.4
8.5	4.1	6.8