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May 4, 2018

PIAC FILE # 6699

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

VIA E-Mail  
8 pages

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Dear Ms. Walli:

**Re: Board File No. EB-2017-0045 – Halton Hills Hydro Inc.  
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 Application via email.

Thank you.

Yours truly,

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Donna Brady  
Office Administrator

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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.
- 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- EB-2017-0045 Process: Halton Hills Hydro Inc.  
Party: VECC Affiant's Name: Donna Brady  
HST Number: 13059 2405 HST Rate Ontario: 3.94%  
Full Registrant  Qualifying Non-Profit   
Unregistered  Tax Exempt   
Other

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 4-2018  
(date)

Ben Greig-Brown  
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.

Party: VECC

**Summary of Fees and Disbursements Being Claimed**

Legal/consultant/other fees	\$	4,800.00
Disbursements	\$	-
HST	\$	189.12
<b>Total Cost Claim</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>4,989.12</b>

**Payment Information**

Make cheque payable to: Public Interest Advocacy Centre

Send payment to this address: 1204-ONE Nicholas Street

Ottawa, ON

K1N 7B7

# Ontario Energy Board COST CLAIM FOR HEARINGS



## Detail of Fees and Disbursements Being Claimed

File # EB- <u>EB-2017-0045</u>	Process: <u>Halton Hills Hydro Inc.</u>
Party: <u>VECC</u>	Service Provider Name: <u>Ben Segel-Brown</u>
<b>SERVICE PROVIDER TYPE</b> (check one)	Year Called to Bar <input style="width: 50px;" type="text" value="2017"/>
Legal Counsel <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Completed Years Practising/Years of Relevant Experience <input style="width: 100px;" type="text"/>
Articling Student/Paralegal <input type="checkbox"/>	
Consultant <input type="checkbox"/>	Hourly Rate: <input style="width: 50px;" type="text" value="\$170"/>
Analyst <input type="checkbox"/>	
For Consultant/Analyst: <input type="checkbox"/> CV attached	HST Rate Charged (enter %): <input style="width: 50px;" 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
<b>Pre-hearing Conference</b>					
Preparation		\$ 170.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Attendance		\$ 170.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
<b>Technical Conference</b>					
Preparation		\$ 170.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Attendance		\$ 170.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
<b>Interrogatories</b>					
Preparation		\$ 170.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Responses		\$ 170.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
<b>Issues Conference</b>					
Preparation		\$ 170.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Attendance		\$ 170.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
<b>ADR - Settlement Conference</b>					
Preparation		\$ 170.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Attendance		\$ 170.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Proposal Preparation		\$ 170.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
<b>Argument</b>					
Preparation	3.50	\$ 170.00	\$ 595.00	\$ 23.44	\$ 618.44
<b>Oral Hearing</b>					
Preparation		\$ 170.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Attendance		\$ 170.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
<b>Other Conferences</b>					
Preparation		\$ 170.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Attendance		\$ 170.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
<b>Case Management</b>		\$ 170.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
<b>TOTAL SERVICE PROVIDER FEES</b>			\$ 595.00	\$ 23.44	\$ 618.44

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Client Summary

**Date of Report:** May 04, 2018 **Report by:** Working Lawyer  
**Include Transactions:** Jan 01, 1980 to May 04, 2018 **For Lawyer(s):** Ben Segel-Brown  
**Sort by:** Alphabetic **Client Range:** 6699 to 6699  
**Area of Law Range:** 1 to 199

Non-billable Time Excluded

Client #	Mat Code	Client Name	Matter Description	Resp			Billed		
				Hours	Fees	Disb.	Hours	Fees	Disb.
6699	OEB EB 2017-0045	OEB		BSB					
03/13/18		Reseach, review of submission	BSB	3.00	510.00				
03/14/18 May 04		Reseach, review of submission	BSB	0.50	85.00				
<b>Total Client:</b>				3.50	595.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Date Grand Total:</b>				3.50	595.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

Sort by

Non-bill

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Date

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May 04

Date of

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Client #

Benjamin Dean Segel-Brown Professional  
Corporation  
PH08-1203 Maritime Way  
Ottawa, ON  
K2K 0H5

**STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT**

May 4, 2018

**TO: VULNERABLE ENERGY CONSUMERS COALITION**  
c/o Public Interest Advocacy Centre  
Suite 1204  
ONE Nicholas Street  
Ottawa, ON  
KIN 7B7

**Re: EB – 2017-0045**  
**Halton Hills Hydro Inc.**  
**Vulnerable Energy Consumers Coalition (VECC)**  
**Cost Claim**

For Services Rendered as Counsel in the above-noted matter.           RATE: \$170.00 per hour

To receipt, review, on behalf of VECC in the above-noted proceeding.

March 2018

TO: Hours

<b>3.5 Hours @ \$170.00 per hour</b>	<b>595.00</b>
HST @ 13%	<u>77.35</u>
<b>TOTAL AMOUNT DUE AND OWING:</b>	<b>\$ 672.35</b>

Benjamin Dean Segel-Brown Professional Corporation  
CRA Account Number - 78729 8488 RT0001

# Ontario Energy Board COST CLAIM FOR HEARINGS



## Detail of Fees and Disbursements Being Claimed

File # EB- 2017-0045 Process: Halton Hills Hydro Inc. Pay Equity Z-Factor/Dep

Party: VECC Service Provider Name: Shelley Grice P. Eng.

<b>SERVICE PROVIDER TYPE</b> (check one)	Year Called to Bar	Completed Years Practising/Years of Relevant Experience
Legal Counsel <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text" value="19"/>
Articling Student/Paralegal <input type="checkbox"/>		
Consultant <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		Hourly Rate: <input type="text" value="\$290"/>
Analyst <input type="checkbox"/>		
For Consultant/Analyst: <input type="checkbox"/> CV attached	HST Rate Charged (enter %): <input 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
<b>Pre-hearing Conference</b>					
Preparation		\$ 290.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Attendance		\$ 290.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
<b>Technical Conference</b>					
Preparation		\$ 290.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Attendance		\$ 290.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
<b>Interrogatories</b>					
Preparation	3.00	\$ 290.00	\$ 870.00	\$ 34.28	\$ 904.28
Responses	1.50	\$ 290.00	\$ 435.00	\$ 17.14	\$ 452.14
<b>Issues Conference</b>					
Preparation		\$ 290.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Attendance		\$ 290.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
<b>ADR - Settlement Conference</b>					
Preparation		\$ 290.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Attendance		\$ 290.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Proposal Preparation		\$ 290.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
<b>Argument</b>					
Preparation	10.00	\$ 290.00	\$ 2,900.00	\$ 114.26	\$ 3,014.26
<b>Oral Hearing</b>					
Preparation		\$ 290.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Attendance		\$ 290.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
<b>Other Conferences</b>					
Preparation		\$ 290.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Attendance		\$ 290.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
<b>Case Management</b>			\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
<b>TOTAL SERVICE PROVIDER FEES</b>			<b>\$ 4,205.00</b>	<b>\$ 165.68</b>	<b>\$ 4,370.68</b>

Econalysis Consulting Services Inc.

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

# Statement of Costs

Date	File #
5/3/2018	2018024

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

Terms	Docket No.
Net 30	EB-2017-0045

Project					
Halton Hills Hydro 2018					
Serviced	Item	Description	Hours	Rate	Amount
1/18/2018	Interrogatories Preparation	Preparation; Review application & prepare LOI; emails	0.5	290.00	145.00
1/22/2018	Interrogatories Preparation	Prepare response to letter of objection & correct Letter of Intervention	0.5	290.00	145.00
2/4/2018	Interrogatories Preparation	Review & consider application; Prepare interrogatories	2	290.00	580.00
3/4/2018	Interrogatories Responses	Review & consider interrogatory responses; review past cases	1.5	290.00	435.00
3/12/2018	Argument Preparation	Review application, Review interrogatory responses, Prepare submission; emails w/client	4.5	290.00	1,305.00
3/13/2018	Argument Preparation	Review application, Review interrogatory responses, Prepare submission; emails w/client	3.5	290.00	1,015.00
3/14/2018	Argument Preparation	Finalize & file submission	2	290.00	580.00
		Subtotal			4,205.00
		HST on Sales		13.00%	546.65
<b>HST #10160 6028</b>					\$546.65
<b>Total</b>					<b>\$4,751.65</b>

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