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September 27, 2018

PIAC FILE's 6678 and 6679

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

VIA E-Mail  
14 pages

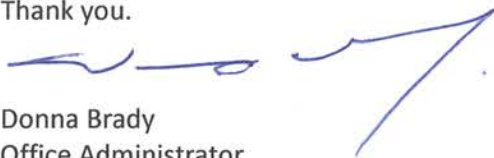
Dear Ms. Walli:

**Re: Board File No.'s EB-2017-0306 and EB-2017-0307 Union Gas Limited and  
Enbridge Gas Distribution 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 for their participation in the above noted proceeding.

We have also directed a copy to the Applicants and their Counsel via email.

Thank you.



Donna Brady  
Office Administrator

cc: Union Gas – Mark Kitchen – [mkitchen@uniongas.com](mailto:mkitchen@uniongas.com)  
EGDI – Andrew Mandyam – [egdregulatoryproceedings@enbridge.com](mailto:egdregulatoryproceedings@enbridge.com)  
Counsel – Fred Cass – [fcass@airdberlis.com](mailto:fcass@airdberlis.com)

**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.

<b>File # EB-</b> <u>EB-2017-0306 and EB 2017-0307</u>	<b>Process:</b> <u>Union and Enbridge Gas</u>
<b>Party:</b> <u>VECC</u>	<b>Affiant's Name:</b> <u>Donna Brady</u>
<b>HST Number:</b> <u>13059 2405</u>	<b>HST Rate Ontario:</b> <u>3.94%</u>
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(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 Ottawa  
in the Province/State of Ontario, on Sept. 27-2018  
(date)

  
**Commissioner for taking Affidavits**

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

File # EB- EB-2017-0306 and EB 2017-0307 Process: Union and Enbridge Gas

Party: VECC

**Summary of Fees and Disbursements Being Claimed**

Legal/consultant/other fees	\$	49,874.50
Disbursements	\$	22.05
HST	\$	1,952.45
<b>Total Cost Claim</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>51,849.00</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

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### Detail of Fees and Disbursements Being Claimed

<b>File # EB-</b> <u>EB-2017-0306 and EB 2017-0307</u>	<b>Process:</b> <u>Union and Enbridge Gas</u>
<b>Party:</b> <u>VECC</u>	<b>Service Provider Name:</b> <u>Jennifer Chow</u>

<b>SERVICE PROVIDER TYPE</b> (check one)	<b>Year Called to Bar</b> <input type="text"/>	<b>Completed Years Practising/Years of Relevant Experience</b> <input style="width: 100%;" type="text"/>
Legal Counsel <input type="checkbox"/>		
Articling Student/Paralegal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Consultant <input type="checkbox"/>		<b>Hourly Rate:</b> <input style="width: 50%;" type="text" value="\$100"/>
Analyst <input type="checkbox"/>		
For Consultant/Analyst: <input type="checkbox"/> CV attached		<b>HST Rate Charged (enter %):</b> <input style="width: 50%;" type="text"/>
<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	3.20	\$ 100.00	\$ 320.00	\$ -	\$ 320.00
Attendance		\$ 100.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
<b>Technical Conference</b>					
Preparation		\$ 100.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Attendance		\$ 100.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
<b>Interrogatories</b>					
Preparation		\$ 100.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Responses		\$ 100.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
<b>Issues Conference</b>					
Preparation		\$ 100.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Attendance		\$ 100.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
<b>ADR - Settlement Conference</b>					
Preparation		\$ 100.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Attendance		\$ 100.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Proposal Preparation		\$ 100.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
<b>Argument</b>					
Preparation		\$ 100.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
<b>Oral Hearing</b>					
Preparation		\$ 100.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Attendance		\$ 100.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
<b>Other Conferences</b>					
Preparation		\$ 100.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Attendance		\$ 100.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
<b>Case Management</b>		\$ 170.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
<b>TOTAL SERVICE PROVIDER FEES</b>			\$ 320.00	\$ -	\$ 320.00

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Client Summary

Date of Report: Sep 27, 2018 Report by: Working Lawyer  
 Include Transactions: Jan 01, 1980 to Sep 27, 2018 For Lawyer(s): Jennifer Chow  
 Sort by: Alphabetic Client Range: 6678 to 6679  
 Area of Law Range: 1 to 199

Non-billable Time Excluded

Client #	Mat Code	Client Name	Matter Description	Resp	-----Work in Progress-----			-----Billed-----		
Date	N/B	Description	Hours	Fees	Disb.	Hours	Fees	Disb.		
6678	EB 2017-0306	EGDI & JC	OEB							
01/11/18		Teleconference meeting to discuss issues	2.70							
Total Client:			2.70		0.00	0.00	0.00		0.00	
6679	EB 2017-0307	EGDI & JC	OEB							
01/11/18		Teleconference meeting to discuss issues	0.50							
Total Client:			0.50		0.00	0.00	0.00		0.00	
Grand Total:			3.20		0.00	0.00	0.00		0.00	



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**COST CLAIM FOR HEARINGS**  
**Detail of Fees and Disbursements Being Claimed**



File # EB- EB-2017-0306 and EB 2017-030

Process: Union and Enbridge Gas

Party: VECC

Service Provider Name: Jennifer Chow

Statement of Disbursements Being Claimed			
	Net Cost	HST	Total
Scanning/Photocopy	\$ 22.05		\$ 22.05
Printing			\$ -
Courier			\$ -
Telephone/Fax			\$ -
Transcripts			\$ -
Travel: Air			\$ -
Travel: Car			\$ -
Travel: Rail			\$ -
Travel (Other):	Public Transit		\$ -
Parking			\$ -
Taxi			\$ -
Accommodation			\$ -
Meals			\$ -
Other:			\$ -
Other:			\$ -
Other:			\$ -
<b>TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS:</b>			
	\$ 22.05	\$ -	\$ 22.05

To: Accounts:

SEPT. 27-18

PIAC FILES #  
6678 & 6679

PLEASE NOTE AS of Today's DATE  
THERE ARE 147 REGISTERED COPIES  
ON PHOTOCOPIOR/SCANNER

Re: EB-2017-0306 & EB-2017-0307

FILE# 6678 & 6679

$$147 \times 0.15 = 22.05$$

Thank You.

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### Detail of Fees and Disbursements Being Claimed

File # EB- <u>EB-2017-0306 and EB-2017-0307</u>	Process: <u>Union and Enbridge Gas</u>
Party: <u>VECC</u>	Service Provider Name: <u>Ben Segel-Brown</u>
<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div style="width: 40%;"> <p><b>SERVICE PROVIDER TYPE</b> (check one)</p> <p>Legal Counsel <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Articling Student/Paralegal <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Consultant <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Analyst <input type="checkbox"/></p> </div> <div style="width: 20%;"> <p>Year Called to Bar</p> <p style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; text-align: center;">2017</p> </div> <div style="width: 30%;"> <p>Completed Years Practising/Years of Relevant Experience</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 20px; width: 100%;"></div> </div> </div>	
<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div style="width: 40%;"> <p>For Consultant/Analyst: <input type="checkbox"/> CV attached</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CV provided within previous 24 months</p> </div> <div style="width: 60%;"> <p>Hourly Rate: <span style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px 10px;">\$170</span></p> <p>HST Rate Charged (enter %): <span style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px 10px;">3.9%</span></p> </div> </div>	

#### Statement of Fees Being Claimed

	Hours	Hourly Rate	Subtotal	HST	Total
<b>Pre-hearing Conference</b>					
Preparation	3.10	\$ 170.00	\$ 527.00	\$ 20.76	\$ 547.76
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	4.50	\$ 170.00	\$ 765.00	\$ 30.14	\$ 795.14
<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>			\$ 1,292.00	\$ 50.90	\$ 1,342.90



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Client Summary

Date of Report: Sep 27, 2018 Report by: Working Lawyer  
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 Area of Law Range: 1 to 199

Non-billable Time Excluded

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Date	N/B	Description			Hours	Fees	Disb.	Hours	Fees	Disb.
6678		EB 2017-0306 EGDI &	OEB	BSB						
01/02/18		Procedural Order Date Tracking	BSB		0.20	34.00				
01/11/18		Call with intervenors	BSB		2.00	340.00				
01/26/18		Revision of submissions on issues	BSB		3.50	595.00				
Total Client:					5.70	969.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
6679		EB 2017-0307 EGDI &	OEB	BSB						
01/02/18		Procedural Order Date Tracking	BSB		0.20	34.00				
01/11/18		Call with intervenors	BSB		0.70	119.00				
02/02/18		Editing and developing submissions on issue list.	BSB		1.00	170.00				
Total Client:					1.90	323.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Grand Total:					7.60	1,292.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

PIAC FILE # 6678 & 6679  
Benjamin Dean Segel-Brown Professional  
Corporation  
PH08-1203 Maritime Way  
Ottawa, ON  
K2K 0H5

**STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT**

September 27, 2018

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

**Re: EB – 2017-0306 and EB – 2017-0307**  
**Enbridge and Union Gas**  
**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.

January – February 2018

TO: Hours

<b>7.6 Hours @ \$170.00 per hour</b>	<b>1,292.00</b>
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HST @ 13%	<u>167.96</u>
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<b>TOTAL AMOUNT DUE AND OWING:</b>	<b>\$ 1,459.96</b>
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Benjamin Dean Segel-Brown Professional Corporation  
CRA Account Number - 78729 8488 RT0001

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### Detail of Fees and Disbursements Being Claimed

File # EB- <u>2017-0306</u>	Process: <u>EGD-Union MADDs</u>
Party: <u>VECC</u>	Service Provider Name: <u>Mark Garner</u>

<b>SERVICE PROVIDER TYPE</b> (check one)	Year Called to Bar <input type="text"/>	Completed Years Practising/Years of Relevant Experience <input style="width: 100%;" type="text" value="30"/>
Legal Counsel <input type="checkbox"/> Articling Student/Paralegal <input type="checkbox"/> Consultant <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Analyst <input type="checkbox"/>		Hourly Rate: <input style="width: 100%;" type="text" value="\$330"/>
For Consultant/Analyst: <input type="checkbox"/> CV attached <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CV provided within previous 24 months	HST Rate Charged (enter %): <input style="width: 100%;" type="text" value="3.9%"/>	

#### Statement of Fees Being Claimed

	Hours	Hourly Rate	Subtotal	HST	Total
<b>Pre-hearing Conference</b>					
Preparation		\$ 330.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Attendance		\$ 330.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
<b>Technical Conference</b>					
Preparation	4.5	\$ 330.00	\$ 1,485.00	\$ 58.51	\$ 1,543.51
Attendance	18.5	\$ 330.00	\$ 6,105.00	\$ 240.54	\$ 6,345.54
<b>Interrogatories</b>					
Preparation	25.5	\$ 330.00	\$ 8,415.00	\$ 331.55	\$ 8,746.55
Responses		\$ 330.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
<b>Issues Conference</b>					
Preparation	2.0	\$ 330.00	\$ 660.00	\$ 26.00	\$ 686.00
Attendance	2.0	\$ 330.00	\$ 660.00	\$ 26.00	\$ 686.00
<b>ADR - Settlement Conference</b>					
Preparation		\$ 330.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Attendance		\$ 330.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Proposal Preparation		\$ 330.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
<b>Argument</b>					
Preparation	30.0	\$ 330.00	\$ 9,900.00	\$ 390.06	\$ 10,290.06
<b>Oral Hearing</b>					
Preparation	29.5	\$ 330.00	\$ 9,735.00	\$ 383.56	\$ 10,118.56
Attendance	34.3	\$ 330.00	\$ 11,302.50	\$ 445.32	\$ 11,747.82
<b>Other Conferences</b>					
Preparation		\$ 330.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Attendance		\$ 330.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
<b>Case Management</b>		\$ 170.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
<b>TOTAL SERVICE PROVIDER FEES</b>			\$ 48,262.50	\$ 1,901.54	\$ 50,164.04

Econalysis Consulting Services Inc.

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

## Statement of Costs

Date	File #
9/27/2018	2018044

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

Terms	Docket No.
Net 30	EB-2017-0306

Project					
EGD-Union MAADs					
Serviced	Item	Description	Hours	Rate	Amount
1/15/2018	Issues Conference Attendance	Issues Conference - Attendance	1	330.00	330.00
1/18/2018	Issues Conference Preparation	Teleconference with parties to discuss issues list	1	330.00	330.00
1/25/2018	Issues Conference Preparation	Issues Conference Preparation/evidence notes/stakeholder meeting	2	330.00	660.00
1/26/2018	Argument Preparation	Issues List Submissions EB-2017-0306/Review EDG/Union AIG/Draft discuss with PIAC/BSB	5.5	330.00	1,815.00
2/2/2018	Argument Preparation	Submission on EB-2017-0307 Issues list	3	330.00	990.00
3/8/2018	Interrogatories Preparation	Interrogatories/review evidence/notes	8	330.00	2,640.00
3/9/2018	Interrogatories Preparation	Interrogatories/review evidence/notes	8.5	330.00	2,805.00
3/25/2018	Technical Conf. Preparation	Review interrogatory responses/prepare for technical conference	4.5	330.00	1,485.00
3/28/2018	Technical Conf. Attendance	Attend Technical Conference 9:30-5:15	6.75	330.00	2,227.50
3/29/2018	Technical Conf. Attendance	Attend Technical Conference 9:30-4:00pm	5.5	330.00	1,815.00
			HST #10160 6028		
			Total		

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Net 30	EB-2017-0306

Project					
EGD-Union MAADs					
Serviced	Item	Description	Hours	Rate	Amount
4/3/2018	Technical Conf. Attendance	Technical Conference Attendance 9:30-4:45	6.25	330.00	2,062.50
4/17/2018	Interrogatories Preparation	Review PEG/EP evidence develop notes and interrogatories	2.5	330.00	825.00
4/18/2018	Interrogatories Preparation	Finanlize Interrogatories /Review PEG/EP evidence develop notes	6.5	330.00	2,145.00
4/30/2018	Oral Hearing Preparation	Response submission to PO #5/ Review SCE Motion/coordinate with other intervenors on issues/discuss preliminary position with PIAC/VECC	5	330.00	1,650.00
5/2/2018	Oral Hearing Preparation	Panel 1 Cross-examination preparation /compendium	6.5	330.00	2,145.00
5/3/2018	Oral Hearing Attendance	Hearing Day 1/Vol 1 9:30-4:45	6.25	330.00	2,062.50
5/4/2018	Oral Hearing Attendance	Hearing Day 2/Vol 2 9:30-4:30	6	330.00	1,980.00
5/10/2018	Oral Hearing Preparation	Review Panel 1 TC/compendium for Panel 1 revisions/Panel 2 prelim	5.5	330.00	1,815.00
5/11/2018	Oral Hearing Preparation	Panel 2 Cross-examination preparation/compendium	6	330.00	1,980.00
5/13/2018	Oral Hearing Preparation	Panel 3/4 Preparation/compendiums	3.5	330.00	1,155.00
5/14/2018	Oral Hearing Attendance	Hearing Day 3/Vol 3 Attendance	6.25	330.00	2,062.50
			HST #10160 6028		
			Total		

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Project					
EGD-Union MAADs					
Serviced	Item	Description	Hours	Rate	Amount
5/15/2018	Oral Hearing Attendance	Hearing Day 4/Vol 4 Attendance 9:30-5pm	6.5	330.00	2,145.00
5/17/2018	Oral Hearing Preparation	Panel 3 final notes/cross-examination preparation	3	330.00	990.00
5/18/2018	Oral Hearing Attendance	Hearing Day 5/Vol 5 Attendance	3.25	330.00	1,072.50
5/28/2018	Oral Hearing Attendance	Hearing Day 6/Vol. 6 Attendance	6	330.00	1,980.00
6/14/2018	Argument Preparation	Review undertaking responses/preliminary outline of argument/discuss with VECC	5	330.00	1,650.00
6/16/2018	Argument Preparation	Draft Argument review with VECC	8	330.00	2,640.00
6/17/2018	Argument Preparation	Finalize Argument/review with PIAC legal/VECC	8.5	330.00	2,805.00
		Subtotal			48,262.50
		HST on Sales		13.00%	6,274.13
HST #10160 6028					\$6,274.13
Total					\$54,536.63

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