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DECISION ON COST ELIGIBILITY

EB-2015-0043

Rate Design for Commercial and Industrial Electricity Customers

By Delegation Before: Brian Hewson

April 5, 2019

INTRODUCTION AND SUMMARY

On February 21, 2019, the Ontario Energy Board (OEB) issued a letter and Staff Report to the Board regarding recommendations for commercial and industrial rate design. The OEB identified that cost awards would be available to eligible participants to a maximum of 15 hours for provision of comments and a maximum of 6 hours for preparation for and attendance at the stakeholder information session on March 7, 2019.

In the letter, the OEB identified that costs would be recovered from all rate-regulated electricity distributors apportioned based on respective customer numbers.

The OEB has issued its [decision](#) on March 20, 2019 approving cost eligibility for a number of parties in the EB-2015-0043 consultation. Due to a system error, the application of [Canadian Manufacturers & Exporters](#) (CME), although received in time, was not processed with other applications.

The OEB did not receive any objections from distributors.

This Decision and Order is being issued by the Delegated Authority without holding a hearing pursuant to section 6(4) of the Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998 (Act).

OEB FINDINGS

The OEB finds that CME is eligible for costs in the EB-2015-0043 consultation.

DATED at Toronto April 5, 2019

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