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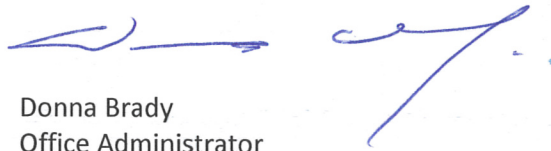
Ms. Christiane E. Long
Registrar
Ontario Energy Board
2300 Yonge Street
Toronto, ON
M4P 1E4

Dear Ms. Long:

**Re: OEB - EB 2020-0297 re: OPG 2022-2026 Payment Amounts
Pre-Application Stakeholder Conference
Cost Claim of Vulnerable Energy Consumers Coalition (VECC)**

On behalf of the Vulnerable Energy Consumers Coalition (VECC) we have enclosed their cost claim with respect to the above-noted proceeding.

Thank you.



Donna Brady
Office Administrator

Ontario Energy Board
COST CLAIM FOR CONSULTATIONS



Affidavit and Summary of Fees and Disbursements

This form should be used by a party (defined in the Practice Direction on Cost Awards as including a participant in a consultation process) in a consultation 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 Notice of Hearing for Cost Awards. Please ensure all required fields are filled in and the Affidavit portion is signed and sworn or affirmed.

Instructions

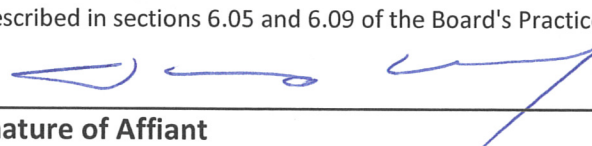
- Required data input is indicated by yellow-shaded fields. Formulas are present in the document to assist with the calculation of the cost claim.
- All claims must be in Canadian dollars. If applicable, state exchange rate and country of initial currency.
Rate: _____ Country: _____
- A separate "Statement of Disbursements Being Claimed" is required for each consultant or lawyer/articling student/paralegal. However only one "Statement of Fees Being Claimed" and one "Summary of Fees and Disbursements Being Claimed" 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 must be attached unless, for a given consultant, a CV has been provided to the Board in another process within the last 24 months.
- Except as provided in section 7.03 of the Practice Direction on Cost Awards, itemized receipts must be provided.

File # EB- <u>2020-0297</u>	Process: <u>OEB Stakeholder Conference re: OPG upcoming..</u>
Party: <u>Vulnerabler Energy Consumers Coalition</u>	Affiant's Name: <u>Donna Brady</u>
HST Number: <u>13059 2405 RT 0001</u>	HST Rate Ontario: <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 of Fees Being Claimed" and "Statement(s) of Disbursements Being Claimed".
3. The attached "Summary of Fees and Disbursements Being Claimed", "Statement 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 JANUARY 8-2021,
(date)



Commissioner for taking Affidavits

Ontario Energy Board
COST CLAIM FOR CONSULTATIONS
Affidavit and Summary of Fees and Disbursements



File # EB- 2020-0297 Process: OEB Stakeholder Conference re: OPG upcoming..

Party: Vulnerabler Energy Consumers Coalition

Summary of Fees and Disbursements Being Claimed

Legal/consultant fees	\$742.50
Disbursements	\$0.00
HST	\$29.25
Total Cost Claim	\$771.75

Payment Information

Make cheque payable to: Public Interest Advocacy Centre

Send payment to this address: 2-285 McLeod Street
Ottawa, ON
K2P 1A1

Detail of Fees and Disbursements Being Claimed

Statement of Fees Being Claimed

Statement of Fees being claimed for Eligible Activity is found on the second tab of this workbook.

Statement(s) of Disbursements Being Claimed

Statement of Disbursements being claimed is found on the third tab of this workbook.

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COST CLAIM FOR CONSULTATIONS

Affidavit and Summary of Fees and Disbursements



Individual Whose Costs are Being Claimed

Name: Mark Garner

Counsel/Articling Student/Paralegal: ☐

Analyst/Consultant: ☒

CV attached: ☐

Year Called
to Bar

CV not required: ☒

Completed Years
Practicing/Years of Relevant
Experience

31

Name: _____

Counsel/Articling Student/Paralegal: ☐

Analyst/Consultant: ☐

CV attached: ☐

Year Called
to Bar

CV not required: ☐

Completed Years
Practicing/Years of relevant
experience

Name: _____

Counsel/Articling Student/Paralegal: ☐

Analyst/Consultant: ☐

CV attached: ☐

Year Called
to Bar

CV not required: ☐

Completed Years
Practicing/Years of relevant
experience

Name: _____

Counsel/Articling Student/Paralegal: ☐

Analyst/Consultant: ☐

CV attached: ☐

Year Called
to Bar

CV not required: ☐

Completed Years
Practicing/Years of relevant
experience

Name: _____

Counsel/Articling Student/Paralegal: ☐

Analyst/Consultant: ☐

CV attached: ☐

Year Called
to Bar

CV not required: ☐

Completed Years
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COST CLAIM FOR CONSULTATIONS
Statement of Fees Being Claimed

File # EB- EB-2020-0297

Process OPG Consultaton

Party VECC

HST Rate: 4%

Individual Whose Fees are Being Claimed	Hourly rate	Preparation for, and reporting on, the December 17, 2020 pre-application stakeholder conference (hours)		Attendance at the December 17, 2020 pre-application stakeholder conference (hours)		Subtotal	HST	Total
		Eligible Participant	Up to 0.5 hours	Eligible Participant	Up to 2 hours			
Mark C. Garner	\$330.00		0.50		1.75	\$742.50	\$29.25	\$771.75
						\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
						\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
						\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
						\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Totals:						\$742.50	\$29.25	\$771.75

Total legal/consultant fees: \$771.75

INVOICE #	OPGOEBCONSULT					Mark C Garner	
Date	January 7, 2020					647 Broadway	
Client:	PIAC-VECC					Toronto, On	
File:	OPG CONSULTATION		EB-2020-0297		M4G 2S8		
Period covering:	December 15, 2020		December 17, 2020				
Billable Hours	2.25	@	Rate	\$330.00	HRs	\$742.50	
Disbursements	N/A					n/a	
Detail							
HST No.		@	Rate	13%	HST	\$96.53	
No. 87831 4327 RT001							
Total						\$839.03	

TERM: Payable upon receipt of payment from the client net of service charges