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The Ontario Energy Board

-- Comment date -- 2021-03-08

-- Case Number --EB-2020-0246

-- Name --Sylvie Fortin

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-- Comments --

I urge the OED to reconsider the elimination of the seasonal rate class or come up with a more equitable method of calculating hydro charges. In 2020 my total electricity cost was 278.38\$ while the deliver charges were 706.58\$. I own a seasonal cottage on an island which i can use approximately 6 months of the year. Why am I paying delivery charges when no hydro is being delivered half of the time. Surely a more appropriate method of calculating a fair cost can be determined. If i understand correctly my yearly costs will double. Consumers will be rewarded for higher consumption which, in my mind, appears unethical. Ontario hydro charges are already higher than our neighbouring provinces and local hydro suppliers. How can this be acceptable? Surely Mr. Premier Ford should be made aware of this unacceptable proposal. Reconsideration is the only answer.

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