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The Ontario Energy Board

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EB-2020-0246

-- Name --
Ted Lopushansky

-- Phone --
[REDACTED]

-- Company --
Seasonal cottage owner

-- Address --
[REDACTED]

-- Comments --
To whom it may concern:

I want someone to explain that the distribution rates currently charged to seasonal customers do not appropriately reflect the cost to serve them? I have been paying the exuberant electricity rates on the cottage for at least 60 years . How can this statement have been dreamed up when over the winter I use 0 power and I am charged around \$50.00 a month. How can't this reflect the cost. Getting money for nothing is a blatant money grab and then upping the delivery rate to 240% of the power used should be against the law.

What's wrong with a flat rate on power used? I try to conserve as much power as possible only to get penalized because your corporation is always looking for ways to stick it to the little guy. A lot of us cottage owners are not wealthy and inherited the property through family matters. Why not tap into Manitoba's power grid as they have so much to export instead of always squeezing the far from wealthy populous. Furthermore, you state that you will not reconsider the decision to eliminate the Seasonal Rate Class in this hearing??? A'm I to assume that writing this letter is a waist of time and that the decision to eliminate this class is already a done deal and all these hearings and letter writing is just a formality? It also doesn't make any sense that people who have permanent residency get lower power rates then the class you want to move the Seasonal Rate customers to plus how can some customers pay more than others when everyone pays for the power they use on top of paying 240% on the power they used for delivery. I am **STRONGLY AGAINST** the elimination of the Seasonal Rate Class as I feel I have paid my fair share of the much over priced electricity power rates and receiving very little in return.

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