



CANADIAN NIAGARA POWER INC.

A FORTIS ONTARIO
Company

July 29, 2021

Ms. Christine E. Long
Registrar
Ontario Energy Board
2300 Yonge Street, 27th floor
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Dear Ms. Long:

Re: Canadian Niagara Power Inc. ("CNPI") – 2022 Cost of Service Application, Request for Confidentiality (EB-2021-0011)

On July 15, 2021, in response to the Ontario Energy Board's ("OEB") July 14, 2021 letter, CNPI provided additional information in support of its Application. The additional information included an actuarial evaluation and pension expense estimates that were redacted.

CNPI is requesting that the Board accept the redacted files as-is (i.e. in a redacted state without filing an unredacted version on a confidential basis) on the grounds that the redacted information, in addition to being commercially sensitive, is not relevant to the Application. It contains pension and benefit information for three affiliated companies for which rates are not being determined in this Application. Notably, two of these companies are not regulated by the OEB for rate-setting purposes at all.

In the alternative, if the Board finds against CNPI's request to file only the redacted documents, then CNPI requests confidential treatment of the redacted information. CNPI is requesting that a part, not all, of the actuarial evaluation and pension expense estimates be held confidential.

CNPI has requested confidential treatment of the materials for the following reasons:

- The proposed redacted information is not relevant to the proceeding, as it relates to entities that are not the subject of the application for rates;
- The proposed redacted information consists of financial and staff information which CNPI and its affiliates treats confidentially; and
- In response to 4-Staff-70 in EB-2016-0292 CNPI filed a redacted actuarial evaluation for its non-pension post retirement benefit plan with the non-relevant and confidential information (i.e. non-CNPI information) redacted. While the materials in this Application are more voluminous, the nature of the information is the same as what was filed in 2016, supporting CNPI's consistent approach to treating this information confidentially and the OEB's previous acceptance of the materials being filed confidentially (without the requirement to file the information in an unredacted form on a confidential basis).

Attached is the redacted version of the documents; a confidential marked up version will be sent separately to the Board for its consideration

CNPI confirms that the attached does not contain any personal information.

Please direct any questions or concerns to the undersigned.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Trevor Wilde', with a stylized flourish at the end.

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**PART II OF THE CPA CANADA
HANDBOOK
ACTUARIAL VALUATION REPORT
AS AT DECEMBER 31, 2018**

NON-PENSION POST-RETIREMENT
BENEFIT PLANS

FORTISONTARIO INC.

24 JANUARY 2019

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REPORT HIGHLIGHTS

Mercer has prepared this report for FortisOntario Inc. ("FortisOntario") to (i) present actuarial estimates of liabilities as of December 31, 2018 for the following non-pension post-retirement benefit plans ("the Plans"):

- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
- CNPI
- [REDACTED]

to incorporate, as FortisOntario deems appropriate, in the financial statements prepared under Part II of the Chartered Professional Accountants of Canada Handbook – Accounting Standards for Private Enterprises ("Section 3462"), and (ii) provide an actuarial estimate of the defined benefit cost for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2019.

The FortisOntario's fiscal year end date is December 31.

All figures in this report are expressed in Canadian dollars, unless otherwise stated.

Please see Section 3 of this report for further explanations as to the purposes and limitations of this report.

SUMMARY OF RESULTS

Below are highlights of the results as at December 31, 2018 pursuant to Section 3462 of Part II of the CPA Canada Handbook ("Section 3462").

| | FISCAL YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2018 | | | | |
|---|--------------------------------------|--|---------------|---|--|
| | | | CNPI | A | |
| Benefit cost | | | (\$1,025,900) | | |
| Benefit obligation | | | \$6,217,000 | | |
| Fair value of plan assets | | | \$0 | | |
| Benefit Asset/(Liability) | | | (\$6,217,000) | | |
| Discount rate at year-end | | | 5.05% | | |
| Assumed health care trend rates at year-end | | | | | |
| • Immediate trend rate | | | 5.22% | % | |
| • Ultimate trend rate | | | 4.00% | | |
| • Year rate reaches ultimate trend rate | | | 2040 | | |

The defined benefit cost for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2018 includes no changes/credits due to special events. Details of the disclosure information are shown in Appendix A and G.

The employer paid benefit payments during the fiscal year ending December 31, 2018 were \$886,800.

The P&L portion of the estimated benefit cost for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2019 is \$999,100, excluding any remeasurement or other items. Details of the estimated net period benefit cost are shown in Appendix B.

Please note that the actual defined benefit cost for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2019 may be substantially different from the estimate due to the remeasurement component, which includes experience gains and losses as well as adjustments due to a significant event.

We have not been notified by FortisOntario, nor are we aware of any events subsequent to December 31, 2018, which in our opinion would have a material impact on the results of the valuation.

CHANGES IN PLAN PROVISIONS

There were no changes in plan provisions since the previous reporting period. Details are shown in Appendix E. Plan provisions have been certified by Fortis Ontario under the Employer Certification in Appendix H.

CHANGES IN ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS, METHODS AND ACCOUNTING POLICIES

As permitted under Section 3462, FortisOntario elected to measure the Plan's benefit obligations based on assumptions from the funding going concern valuations for the FortisOntario and Algoma Power Pension Plans. As such, there were changes in assumptions but there were no changes in methods and accounting policies since the prior valuation. Details are shown in Appendix C and D.

CHANGES IN MEMBERSHIP DATA

The membership data has been updated since the last disclosure as of December 31, 2017. The membership data has been summarized in Appendix F.

To our knowledge there have been no other changes since the last disclosure that will affect the valuation results.

Please refer to the remainder of the report for more information about these summary numbers.

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BASIS OF VALUATION

PLAN DATA

The valuations are also based on the membership data as at June 1, 2018 provided by the FortisOntario. The membership data is summarized in Appendix F.

FortisOntario is responsible for ensuring that such membership data provides an accurate description of all persons who are members under the terms of the Plans or otherwise entitled to benefits that is sufficiently comprehensive and accurate for the purposes of this report. If the data supplied are not sufficiently comprehensive and accurate for the purposes of this report, the valuation results may differ significantly from the results that would be obtained with such data; this may require a later revision of this report.

We have applied tests for internal consistency, as well as for consistency with the data used for the previous valuation. These tests were applied to membership reconciliation and basic information (date of birth, date of hire, gender, etc.). The results of these tests were satisfactory.

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS

To prepare the valuation report, assumptions are used in a forward looking financial and demographic model to present a single scenario from a wide range of possibilities; the results based on that single scenario are included in the valuation. The future is uncertain and the Plan's actual experience will differ from those assumptions; these differences may be significant or material because these results are very sensitive to the assumptions made and, in some cases, to the interaction between the assumptions.

Different assumptions or scenarios within the range of possibilities may also be reasonable and results based on those assumptions would be different. As a result of the uncertainty inherent in a forward looking projection over a very long period of time, no one projection is uniquely 'correct' and many alternative projections of the future could also be regarded as reasonable. Two different actuaries could, quite reasonably, arrive at different results based on the same data and different views of the future. A 'sensitivity analysis' shows the degree to which results would be different if you substitute alternative assumptions within the range of possibilities for those utilized in this report.

An indication of the sensitivity of the results to changes in the most material assumptions was provided separately to FortisOntario.

Assumptions may also be changed from one valuation to the next because of changes in mandated requirements, plan experience, changes in expectations about the future and other factors. A change in assumptions is not an indication that prior assumptions were unreasonable when made.

The actuarial assumptions used in the valuations and determination of defined benefit cost are summarized in this report.

ACTUARIAL METHODS

A valuation report is only a snapshot of a plan's estimated financial condition at a particular point in time; it does not predict a plan's future financial condition or its ability to pay benefits in the future and does not provide any guarantee of future financial soundness of a plan. Over time, a plan's total cost will depend on a number of factors, including the amount of benefits a plan pays, the number of people paid benefits, the period of time over which benefits are paid, plan expenses and the amount earned on any assets invested to pay benefits. These amounts and other variables are uncertain and unknowable at the valuation date.

Because modelling all aspects of a situation is not possible or practical, we may use summary information, estimates, or simplifications of estimates to facilitate the modelling of future events in an efficient and cost-effective manner. We may also exclude factors or data that, if used, in our judgment, would not have significantly affected our results. Use of such simplifying techniques does not, in our judgment, affect the reasonableness of valuation results for a plan.

Valuations do not affect the ultimate cost of a plan, only the timing of when benefit costs are recognized. Cost recognition occurs over time. If the costs recognized over a period of years are lower or higher than necessary, for whatever reason, normal and expected practice is to adjust future expense levels with a view to recognizing the entire cost of a plan over time.

As instructed, Mercer has prepared the accounting disclosures in this report based on FortisOntario's accounting policies.

A summary of the actuarial methods, accounting policies and valuation procedures is provided in Appendix D.

PLAN PROVISIONS

Mercer has used and relied on the plan documents, including amendments, and interpretations of plan provisions, supplied by the management of FortisOntario ("Management") as summarized in Appendix E.

The plan provisions have been certified by FortisOntario under the Employer Certification in Appendix H.

FortisOntario is solely responsible for the validity, accuracy and comprehensiveness of this information. If any plan provisions supplied are not accurate and complete, the valuation results may differ significantly from the results that would be obtained with accurate and complete information. Moreover, plan documents may be subject to different interpretations, each of which could be reasonable, and the results under each of the different interpretations could vary.

The results of the valuations set forth in this report reflect the contractual provisions of the Plans as at the dates of the valuations and extrapolations as reported to us by Management.

The Plans have not been amended since the last valuation and extrapolation for accounting purposes as at December 31, 2017.

SUBSTANTIVE COMMITMENT

There was no substantive commitment reported to us by Management.

SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

After checking with representatives of FortisOntario, to our knowledge there have been no events subsequent to December 31, 2018 which, in our opinion, would have a material impact on the results of the valuations and extrapolations.

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NOTICES AND STATEMENT OF OPINION

Mercer has prepared this report exclusively for the FortisOntario Inc.; subject to this limitation, FortisOntario Inc. may direct that this report be provided to its auditors in connection with the audit of its financial statements. Mercer is not responsible for use of this report by any other party.

The only purposes of this report are to present actuarial estimates of liabilities as of December 31, 2018 for the following non-pension post-retirement benefit plans:

- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
- CNPI
- [REDACTED]

to be incorporated, as it deems appropriate, in the financial statements prepared under Part II of the Chartered Professional Accountants of Canada Handbook – Accounting Standards for Private Enterprises (Section 3462), and provide an actuarial estimate of the defined benefit cost for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2019.

This report may not be used for any other purpose. Mercer is not responsible for the consequences of any unauthorized use. Its content may not be modified, incorporated into or used in other material, sold or otherwise provided, in whole or in part, to any other person or entity, without Mercer's permission.

All parts of this report, including any documents incorporated by reference, are integral to understanding and explaining its contents; no part may be taken out of context, used or relied upon without reference to the report as a whole.

Decisions about benefit changes, granting new benefits, benefit security and/or benefit-related issues should not be made solely on the basis of this valuation, but only after careful consideration of alternative economic, financial, demographic and societal factors.

FortisOntario Inc. is ultimately responsible for selecting the Plan's accounting policies, methods and assumptions. This information is referenced or described in Section 2 of this report. FortisOntario Inc. is solely responsible for communicating to Mercer any changes required to those policies, methods and assumptions.

Mercer is providing the valuation report in its capacity as actuary, and as such the report is not a substitute for advice from an accountant or lawyer. Mercer is not a law firm, and the analysis presented in this report is not intended to be a legal opinion. You should consider securing the advice of legal counsel with respect to any legal matters related to this report.

The calculations have been made in accordance with our understanding of applicable laws and regulations.

FortisOntario Inc. should notify Mercer promptly after receipt of this valuation report if FortisOntario Inc. disagrees with anything contained herein or is aware of any information that would affect the results of this report that has not been communicated to Mercer or incorporated therein. The valuation report will be deemed final and acceptable to FortisOntario Inc. promptly provides such notice to Mercer.

STATEMENT OF OPINION

The methods used in the valuations of benefit obligations and determination of plan costs were selected by Management in accordance with the requirements of Section 3462.

FortisOntario Inc. has selected to use the methods and assumptions that were used to value the FortisOntario Inc. Employee's Retirement and Supplementary Pension Plan and the Retirement Fund of Algoma Power Inc. for funding purposes as at December 31, 2017 to measure the Plans' obligations and determine the Plans' costs for the purposes of preparing financial reporting information under Section 3462. Those funding assumptions have been augmented by assumptions that are unique to the valuation of the Plans.

Methods used for the purposes of the funding valuation were selected by the FortisOntario Inc.'s pension actuary in accordance with accepted actuarial practice in Canada.

Assumptions used for the purposes of the funding valuation were selected by FortisOntario Inc.'s pension actuary as best estimates of future experience, with the exception of the discount rate, which includes a margin for adverse deviations provided by FortisOntario Inc.

The preparers of the financial statements have selected the assumptions (other than the going concern funding assumptions listed above) used in the valuations of the plan obligations and determination of plan costs. They are Management's best estimate assumptions, selected for accounting purposes, in accordance with Section 3462.

In my opinion, for the purposes of the valuations:

- The membership data on which the valuations are based are sufficient and reliable;
- The assumptions are appropriate;
- The calculations have been made in accordance with my understanding of the requirements of Part II of the CPA Canada Handbook reflecting application of FortisOntario Inc.'s accounting policies described in this report.

This report has been prepared, and my opinion given, in accordance with accepted actuarial practice in Canada.

Respectfully submitted,



LOIS PAVLICH
FELLOW OF THE SOCIETY OF ACTUARIES
FELLOW OF THE CANADIAN INSTITUTE OF ACTUARIES

July 14, 2021

DATE

APPENDIX A

DISCLOSURE INFORMATION

| Plan Name | | | | | CNPI | | | | | |
|--|------------|------------|------------|------------|-------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| Country | Canada | | Canada | | Canada | | Canada | | | |
| Financial year ending on | 12/31/2018 | 12/31/2017 | 12/31/2018 | 12/31/2017 | 12/31/2018 | 12/31/2017 | 12/31/2018 | 12/31/2017 | 12/31/2018 | 12/31/2017 |
| A. Change in benefit obligation | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1. Benefit obligation at end of prior year | | | | | 7,657,100 | 7,528,500 | | | | |
| 2. Current service cost (employer) | | | | | 88,200 | 84,400 | | | | |
| 3. Interest cost | | | | | 363,700 | 357,600 | | | | |
| 4. (Gain) / loss on special termination benefits | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 5. Cash flows | | | | | | | | | | |
| a. Benefit payments from plan assets | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| b. Benefit payments from employer | () |) | | | (414,200) | (409,200) | | | |) |
| c. Settlement payments from plan assets | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| d. Settlement payments from employer | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| e. Participant contributions | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| f. Contributions from retirees | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| g. Administrative expenses included in the obligation | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| h. Taxes included in the obligation | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| i. Insurance premiums for risk benefits | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 6. Other significant events | | | | | | | | | | |
| a. Increase (decrease) due to effect of any business combinations / divestitures / transfers | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| b. Increase (decrease) due to plan combinations | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 7. Remeasurements | | | | | | | | | | |
| a. Actuarial (gain) loss | | | | | (1,477,800) | 95,800 | | | | |
| b. Past service cost | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| c. (Gain) / loss on settlements | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| d. (Gain) / loss on curtailments | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 8. Effect of changes in foreign exchange rates | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 9. Benefit obligation at end of year | | | | | 6,217,000 | 7,657,100 | | | | |

¹Benefit obligation as at January 1, 2017 and December 31, 2018 and 2018 interest cost was restated as a result of an executive data correction. This resulted in adjustments to the 2018 expected benefit payments and 2018 interest costs.

| Plan Name Country Financial year ending on | | | | | CNPI | | | | All Plans | |
|--|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| | Canada | | Canada | | Canada | | Canada | | | |
| | 12/31/2018 | 12/31/2017 | 12/31/2018 | 12/31/2017 | 12/31/2018 | 12/31/2017 | 12/31/2018 | 12/31/2017 | 12/31/2018 | 12/31/2017 |
| B. Change in plan assets | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1. Plan assets at end of prior year | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 2. Interest income | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 3. Cash flows | | | | | | | | | | |
| a. Total employer contributions | | | | | | | | | | |
| (i) Employer contributions | | | | | | | | | | |
| (ii) Employer direct benefit payments | | | | | 414,200 | 409,200 | | | | |
| (iii) Employer direct settlement payments | | | | | | | | | | |
| b. Participant contributions | | | | | | | | | | |
| c. Contributions from retirees | | | | | | | | | | |
| d. Benefit payments from plan assets | | | | | | | | | | |
| e. Benefit payments from employer | | | | | (414,200) | (409,200) | | | | |
| f. Settlement payments from plan assets | | | | | | | | | | |
| g. Settlement payments from employer | | | | | | | | | | |
| h. Administrative expenses paid from plan assets | | | | | | | | | | |
| i. Taxes paid from plan assets | | | | | | | | | | |
| j. Insurance premiums for risk benefits | | | | | | | | | | |
| k. Surplus paid out to employer | | | | | | | | | | |
| 4. Other significant events | | | | | | | | | | |
| a. Increase (decrease) due to effect of any business combinations / divestitures / transfers | | | | | | | | | | |
| b. Increase (decrease) due to plan combinations | | | | | | | | | | |
| 5. Remeasurements | | | | | | | | | | |
| a. Return on plan assets (excluding interest income) | | | | | | | | | | |
| 6. Effect of changes in foreign exchange rates | | | | | | | | | | |
| 7. Plan assets at end of year | | | | | | | | | | |

| Plan Name Country Financial year ending on | | | | | CNPI | | | | | |
|---|------------|------------|------------|------------|-------------|-------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| | Canada | | Canada | | Canada | | Canada | | Canada | |
| | 12/31/2018 | 12/31/2017 | 12/31/2018 | 12/31/2017 | 12/31/2018 | 12/31/2017 | 12/31/2018 | 12/31/2017 | 12/31/2018 | 12/31/2017 |
| C. Funded Status of Defined Benefit Plans | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1. Defined benefit obligation | | | | | 6,217,000 | 7,657,100 | | | | |
| 2. Fair value of plan assets | | | | | | | | | | |
| 3. Funded status - surplus (deficit) | | | | | (6,217,000) | (7,657,100) | | | | |
| 4. Valuation allowance | | | | | | | | | | |
| 5. Defined benefit asset (liability), net of valuation allowance | | | | | (6,217,000) | (7,657,100) | | | | |
| D. Components of defined benefit cost | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1. Current service cost (including provision for plan expenses) | | | | | 88,200 | 84,400 | | | | |
| 2. Finance Costs | | | | | 363,700 | 357,600 | | | | |
| 3. (Gain) / loss on special termination benefits | | | | | | | | | | |
| 4. Remeasurements and other items | | | | | (1,477,800) | 95,800 | | | | |
| 5. Total | | | | | (1,025,900) | 537,800 | | | | |
| E. Significant actuarial assumptions | | | | | | | | | | |
| <i>Weighted-average assumptions to determine defined benefit obligation</i> | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1. Discount rate | | | | | 5.05% | 4.75% | | | | |
| 2. Rate of compensation increase | | | | | 3.50% | 3.50% | | | | |
| 3. Health care inflation - select | | | | | 5.22% | 5.49% | | | | |
| 4. Health care inflation - ultimate | | | | | 4.00% | 4.50% | | | | |
| 5. Year ultimate rate reached | | | | | 2040 | 2035 | | | | |
| 6. Duration (in years) | | | | | | | | | | |
| <i>Weighted-average assumptions to determine defined benefit cost</i> | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1. Discount rate | | | | | 4.75% | 4.75% | | | | |
| 2. Rate of compensation increase | | | | | 3.50% | 3.50% | | | | |
| 3. Health care inflation - select | | | | | 5.49% | 5.54% | | | | |
| 4. Health care inflation - ultimate | | | | | 4.50% | 4.50% | | | | |
| 5. Year ultimate rate reached | | | | | 2035 | 2035 | | | | |

APPENDIX B

ESTIMATED 2019 DEFINED BENEFIT COST INFORMATION

| Plan Name | | | | | |
|---|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| Country | | | | | |
| Financial year ending on | | | | | |
| | Canada | Canada | CNPI | Algoma | All Plans |
| | 12/31/2019 | 12/31/2019 | 12/31/2019 | 12/31/2019 | 12/31/2019 |
| A. Components of projected defined benefit cost | | | | | |
| 1. Current service cost (including provision for plan expenses) | | | 58,200 | | |
| 2. Finance Costs | | | 314,000 | | |
| 3. (Gain) / loss on special termination benefits | | | | | |
| 4. Remeasurements and other items | | | TBD | | |
| 5. Total defined benefit cost recognized | | | TBD | | TBD |
| B. Significant actuarial assumptions | | | | | |
| <i>Weighted-average assumptions to determine defined benefit obligation</i> | | | | | |
| 1. Discount rate | | | 5.05% | | |
| 2. Rate of compensation increase | | | 3.50% | | |
| 3. Health care inflation - select | | | 5.22% | | |
| 4. Health care inflation - ultimate | | | 4.00% | | |
| 5. Year ultimate rate reached | | | 2040 | | |

APPENDIX C

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS

We have used actuarial assumptions selected by FortisOntario. The principal financial and demographic assumptions used at December 31, 2018 and December 31, 2017 are shown in the table below. The assumptions as at the reporting date are used to determine the present value of the benefit obligation at that date and the defined benefit cost for the following year.

| | |
|------------------|--|
| Measurement date | December 31 |
| Discount rate | 4.75% per annum at December 31, 2017 5.05% per annum for [REDACTED], and CNPI, [REDACTED] at December 31, 2018 |
| Salary increases | 3.50% per annum |

| | | |
|---|--------------------------|---|
| Health care cost trend rates as at December 31, 2017 | Hospital | 4.5% per annum for [REDACTED], and CNPI. [REDACTED] |
| | Prescription drugs | 7.0% per annum in 2015 grading down to 4.5% per annum in and after 2035 |
| | Other medical | 4.5% per annum |
| | Vision care ² | 4.5% per annum |
| | Dental | 4.5% per annum |
| Health care cost trend rates as at December 31, 2018 | Hospital | 4.0% per annum |
| | Prescription drugs | 6.6% per annum in 2018 grading down to 4.0% per annum in and after 2040 |
| | Other medical | 4.0% per annum |
| | Vision care ³ | 4.0% per annum |
| | Dental | 4.0% per annum |
| [REDACTED] | [REDACTED] | [REDACTED] |
| [REDACTED] | [REDACTED] | [REDACTED] |
| [REDACTED] | [REDACTED] | [REDACTED] |
| [REDACTED] | [REDACTED] | [REDACTED] |

² The gross Vision care trend of 4.50% represents the expected annual increase in vision care costs before the limiting impact of plan provisions. The net trend after considering plan provisions is 0.0% per annum.

³ The gross Vision care trend of 4.00% represents the expected annual increase in vision care costs before the limiting impact of plan provisions. The net trend after considering plan provisions is 0.0% per annum.

| | | | | | |
|---|---|--|------------|------------|------------|
| Executive premium trend rate as at December 31, 2018 | Medical | Based on weighted average of health care trend rates | | | |
| | Dental | 4.0% per annum | | | |
| Mortality | CPM 2014 Private table with generational improvements using scale CPM-B. | | | | |
| Retirement rates | 100% at age 60 for [REDACTED], [REDACTED], and CNPI | | | | |
| | [REDACTED] | | | | |
| Marital Status | For active members, 80% are assumed to be married at retirement with males assumed to be 3 years older than their female spouses. | | | | |
| | For current retirees, actual marital status and spouse ages were provided. | | | | |
| 2015 per covered member claim costs at age 65 after drug offset and excluding administration and taxes as at valuation date of July 1, 2015 | | [REDACTED] | [REDACTED] | [REDACTED] | [REDACTED] |
| | | CNPI | | | |
| | Semi-private hospital | \$40 | | [REDACTED] | [REDACTED] |
| | Prescription drugs | \$540 | | [REDACTED] | [REDACTED] |
| | Other medical | \$210 | | [REDACTED] | [REDACTED] |
| | Vision care | \$50 | | [REDACTED] | [REDACTED] |
| | Dental care | \$760 | | [REDACTED] | [REDACTED] |
| | Total | \$1,600 | | [REDACTED] | [REDACTED] |
| 2018 per covered member claim costs at age 65 after drug offset and excluding administration and taxes as at valuation date of June 1, 2018 | | [REDACTED] | [REDACTED] | [REDACTED] | [REDACTED] |
| | | CNPI | | | |
| | Semi-private hospital | \$30 | | [REDACTED] | [REDACTED] |
| | Prescription drugs | \$1,740 | | [REDACTED] | [REDACTED] |
| | Other medical | \$220 | | [REDACTED] | [REDACTED] |
| | Vision care | \$60 | | [REDACTED] | [REDACTED] |
| | Dental care | \$720 | | [REDACTED] | [REDACTED] |
| | Total | \$2,770 | | [REDACTED] | [REDACTED] |

Claim cost development

The age 65 per capita claim costs used for disclosure are based on actual retiree and dependent claims experience for the following periods, adjusted to age 65 and trended to the midpoint of the fiscal year:

- January 1, 2012 to December 31, 2014 for [REDACTED], CNPI and [REDACTED] for the 2015 claims cost derivation
- [REDACTED]
- January 1, 2015 to December 31, 2017 for [REDACTED], CNPI, [REDACTED] for the 2018 claims cost derivation

The claims experience was collected and analysed separately for hospital, prescription drugs, vision care, and other medical benefits.

Aging factors

The change in claiming levels from one age to the next are shown below for sample ages:

| Age | Hospital | Prescription Drugs | Other Medical | Dental | Vision |
|-----|----------|--------------------|---------------|--------|--------|
| 60 | 7.8% | 2.8% | -0.6% | -0.7% | -0.6% |
| 65 | 10.0% | 2.1% | -0.5% | -0.9% | -0.6% |
| 70 | 9.5% | 1.1% | 1.2% | -1.1% | -0.5% |
| 75 | 9.3% | 0.5% | 1.7% | -1.3% | -0.6% |
| 80 | 8.2% | -0.2% | 2.2% | -1.8% | -0.6% |

Prescription drug offset assumption at age 65 and after

65% of claims for [REDACTED], and CNPI

Administrative expenses as a percentage of paid claims as at December 31, 2017

| | | | | | |
|-------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| | [REDACTED] | [REDACTED] | [REDACTED] | [REDACTED] | [REDACTED] |
| | [REDACTED] | [REDACTED] | [REDACTED] | [REDACTED] | [REDACTED] |
| | | | and CNPI | | |
| Prescription Drug | | | 9.08% | | [REDACTED] |
| Dental/Vision | | | 9.06% | | [REDACTED] |
| Hospital/Other | | | 9.08% | | [REDACTED] |
| Life | | | 10.00% | | [REDACTED] |

Administrative expenses as a
 percentage of paid claims as at
 December 31, 2018

Prescription
 Drug/Hospital/Other/Vision

and CNPI

8.26%

Dental

8.28%

Life

10.00%

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] y
 [REDACTED] y

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]
 [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

35% of the above annual premiums are retirees paid

Taxes

10% of claims and administrative expenses for all medical, dental and life insurance benefits

Participation

100% of members are assumed to participate in the retiree health plan

EFFECT OF PLAN MAXIMUMS AND DEDUCTIBLES

The valuation assumes that all plan maximums and deductibles applicable to medical and dental plans remain the same in the future.

[REDACTED]. In order to estimate the effect of maintaining this maximum in the future, a current distribution of claim amounts per covered member by size of claim was developed using a study of claims experience of several large companies from 2007 to 2009, adjusted for assumed health care cost trend rates. A "Monte Carlo" statistical simulation was then used to estimate future claim amounts and determine the effect of the lifetime maximum on projected claims.

Factors were developed by age bands which represent the ratio of the obligation with the lifetime maximum to the obligation without the impact of the lifetime maximum. Sample rates by age band follows:

| AGE BANDS | FACTORS |
|-----------|---------|
| 25 – 30 | 0.515 |
| 30 – 35 | 0.585 |
| 35 – 40 | 0.661 |
| 40 – 45 | 0.730 |
| 45 – 50 | 0.793 |
| 50 – 55 | 0.853 |
| 55 – 60 | 0.894 |

APPENDIX D

ACTUARIAL METHODS

Benefit obligations are estimated using the Projected Benefit Method Pro Rated on Service. Under this method each member's benefits under the Plans are attributed to years of service, taking into consideration projection of benefit costs. Thus, the estimated total benefit to which each member is expected to become entitled at retirement is broken down into units, each associated with a year of past or future credited service.

A description of the calculation follows:

- An individual's estimated defined benefit for valuation purposes is the projected benefit at full eligibility date, or current age if later, multiplied by the ratio of service at the valuation date over service at full eligibility date. Service for this purpose is measured from date of hire. [REDACTED]
- The benefit attributed to an individual's service during a plan year is the excess of the attributed benefit for valuation purposes at the end of the plan year over the attributed benefit for valuation purposes at the beginning of the plan year. Both attributed benefits are estimated from the same projections to the various anticipated separation dates.
- An individual's estimated benefit obligation is the present value of the attributed benefit for valuation purposes at the beginning of the plan year, and the service cost is the present value of the benefit attributed to the year of service in the plan year.

In all cases, the **benefit obligation** is the total present value of the individuals' attributed benefits for valuation purposes at the measurement date, and the **service cost** is the total present value of the individuals' benefits attributable to service during the year.

VALUATION PROCEDURES

The following approximations have been made in applying this method for the projection of obligations from valuation date to year-end measurement date.

- **Projection of obligations from valuation date to year-end measurement date:** The benefit obligations for each of the Plans have been rolled-forward from the corresponding valuation for accounting purposes as at June 1, 2018 to the year end measurement date allowing for interest on the liabilities, the accrual of further benefits by active members, the expected benefits payments paid out and an estimate of the effect of any changes in the actuarial assumptions. We have assumed that all other experience during the projection, apart from the benefit payments, has been in line with the assumptions made at the start of the year.

ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The accounting policies in cases where FortisOntario has a choice of policy are set out below.

There have been no changes to the accounting methods or accounting policies since the prior valuation.

Assumptions: The Plan's benefit obligation and service cost are determined based on the Plan's going concern obligation and current service cost assumptions as determined based on the last funding valuation as at December 31, 2017

Materiality threshold: FortisOntario has not instructed us to make any adjustments to the valuation procedures described in order to satisfy its materiality threshold.

Defined benefit cost measurement: The defined benefit cost charged to profit or loss is budgeted for at the start of each reporting period using actuarial assumptions fixed at the start of the period. It is updated at the end of the reporting period to allow for remeasurement and other items, which includes experience gains and losses as well as adjustments due to a significant event and/or cash flows are updated.

Interest on service cost: Interest on the service cost is allowed for in the service cost as specified in Section 3462.

Interest cost: Interest cost reported in expense is determined by applying the discount rate at the beginning of the year to the accrued benefit obligation at the beginning of the year.

Gain/loss recognition: Actuarial gains and losses are recognized immediately in the year they arise directly in expense as a component of remeasurements.

Curtailments, settlements, past service costs: Special events are included as a component of remeasurements and are recognized immediately in the year they arise directly in expense as a component of remeasurements.

Discretionary benefits: No allowance is made in the benefit obligation for discretionary benefits on the grounds that there is no substantive commitment to provide such benefits. Therefore any benefit increases that are awarded on a discretionary basis are accounted for as a past service cost.

Significant events: No significant events have occurred during the reporting period that require accounting policy decisions.

APPENDIX E

PLAN PROVISIONS

The following is a summary of what we understand to be the most relevant plan provisions for the purposes of this report. This broadly reflects the benefits communicated to members via membership booklets, announcements and correspondence outlining special terms where applicable. This summary should not be used for purposes of determining individual plan benefits.

[REDACTED] AND CNPI

Eligibility: Employees are eligible for the benefits below upon attainment of 20 years of service.

Classes A, B and H represent [REDACTED] and CNPI Active plans. [REDACTED]. Upon retirement active members will move into a retiree class.

Classes C, C1, C2, and I represent [REDACTED] CNPI plans. [REDACTED].

Classes C, C1, F and F1 are closed to future retirees, while the remaining classes remain open.

Retirees in Class C1 have surviving spouse coverage.

Basic Life coverage is grandfathered for select members in classes C, C1 and I. It is set at preretirement salary to age 65 decreasing 10% per year for the next 5 years.

| | CLASS C | CLASS C1 | CLASS C2 | CLASS I |
|--|--|--|--|--|
| Employee Group | Retired Employees of Canadian Niagara Power | Retired Employees of Canadian Niagara Power w/Surviving Spouse Benefits | Canadian Niagara Power Employees who retired on or after January 1, 2008 | Retired Union and Non-Union Employees of Eastern Ontario Power |
| Extended Health Care | | | | |
| • Deductible | No | No | No | No |
| • National Formulary | No | No | Yes | Yes |
| • Coverage | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% |
| • Lifetime maximum for Extended Health | No | No | No | No |
| • Vaccines and serums requiring a prescription | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| • Infertility | No | No | \$2,400 lifetime max. | No |
| • Smoking cessation | \$500 lifetime max. | \$500 lifetime max. | \$500 lifetime max. | \$500 lifetime max. |
| • Dispensing fee | \$6.50 | \$6.50 | \$6.50 | \$6.50 |
| Hospital Coverage | 100% semi-private | 100% semi-private | 100% semi-private | 100% semi-private |
| Out of Province | No | No | No | No |
| Emergency Out of Canada | No | No | No | No |
| Private duty nursing | Must be for nursing care and not custodial - max 720 hours per person per benefit year | Must be for nursing care and not custodial - max 720 hours per person per benefit year | Must be for nursing care and not custodial - max 720 hours per person per benefit year | Must be for nursing care and not custodial - max 720 hours per person per benefit year |
| Ambulance | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% |
| Air ambulance | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% |
| Wigs following chemotherapy | \$300 per person in a benefit year | \$300 per person in a benefit year | \$300 per person in a benefit year | \$300 per person in a benefit year |

| | CLASS C | CLASS C1 | CLASS C2 | CLASS I |
|----------------------|--|--|--|---|
| Employee Group | Retired Employees of Canadian Niagara Power | Retired Employees of Canadian Niagara Power w/Surviving Spouse Benefits | Canadian Niagara Power Employees who retired on or after January 1, 2008 | Retired Union and Non-Union Employees of Eastern Ontario Power |
| Orthotic inserts | 1 pair per person in a benefit year | 1 pair per person in a benefit year | 1 pair per person in a benefit year | 1 pair per person in a benefit year |
| Orthopedic shoes | 1 occurrence per benefit year | 1 occurrence per benefit year | 1 occurrence per benefit year | 1 occurrence per benefit year |
| Hearing aids | \$300 in any 60 month period | \$300 in any 60 month period | \$300 in any 60 month period | \$300 in any 60 month period |
| Paramedical Services | | | | |
| • Massage therapist | No | No | No | No |
| • Psychologists | \$200 per person, per benefit year | \$200 per person, per benefit year | \$200 per person, per benefit year | \$200 per person, per benefit year |
| • Speech therapist | \$200 per person, per benefit year | \$200 per person, per benefit year | \$200 per person, per benefit year | \$200 per person, per benefit year |
| • Physiotherapist | Yes, no maximum | Yes, no maximum | Yes, no maximum | Yes, no maximum |
| • Naturopaths | Up to a maximum of \$15 per visit to a maximum of 20 visits per person in a benefit year | Up to a maximum of \$15 per visit to a maximum of 20 visits per person in a benefit year | Up to a maximum of \$15 per visit to a maximum of 20 visits per person in a benefit year | \$15 per visit to a maximum 20 visits per person, per benefit year, per specialty |
| • Acupuncturists | Up to a maximum of \$15 per visit to a maximum of 20 visits per person in a benefit year | Up to a maximum of \$15 per visit to a maximum of 20 visits per person in a benefit year | Up to a maximum of \$15 per visit to a maximum of 20 visits per person in a benefit year | \$15 per visit to a maximum 20 visits per person, per benefit year, per specialty |
| • Osteopaths | Up to a maximum of \$15 per visit to a maximum of 20 visits per person in a benefit year | Up to a maximum of \$15 per visit to a maximum of 20 visits per person in a benefit year | Up to a maximum of \$15 per visit to a maximum of 20 visits per person in a benefit year | \$15 per visit to a maximum 20 visits per person, per benefit year, per specialty |

| | CLASS C | CLASS C1 | CLASS C2 | CLASS I |
|-----------------------------|--|--|--|---|
| Employee Group | Retired Employees of Canadian Niagara Power | Retired Employees of Canadian Niagara Power w/Surviving Spouse Benefits | Canadian Niagara Power Employees who retired on or after January 1, 2008 | Retired Union and Non-Union Employees of Eastern Ontario Power |
| • Chiropractors | Up to a maximum of \$15 per visit to a maximum of 20 visits per person in a benefit year | Up to a maximum of \$15 per visit to a maximum of 20 visits per person in a benefit year | Up to a maximum of \$15 per visit to a maximum of 20 visits per person in a benefit year | \$15 per visit to a maximum 20 visits per person, per benefit year, per specialty |
| • Podiatrists | Up to a maximum of \$15 per visit to a maximum of 20 visits per person in a benefit year | Up to a maximum of \$15 per visit to a maximum of 20 visits per person in a benefit year | Up to a maximum of \$15 per visit to a maximum of 20 visits per person in a benefit year | \$15 per visit to a maximum 20 visits per person, per benefit year, per specialty |
| • Chiropodists | Up to a maximum of \$15 per visit to a maximum of 20 visits per person in a benefit year | Up to a maximum of \$15 per visit to a maximum of 20 visits per person in a benefit year | Up to a maximum of \$15 per visit to a maximum of 20 visits per person in a benefit year | \$15 per visit to a maximum 20 visits per person, per benefit year, per specialty |
| • Dieticians | No | No | No | No |
| • Audiologists | No | No | No | No |
| • Occupational therapists | No | No | No | No |
| Emergency Travel Assistance | No | No | No | No |
| Vision Care | | | | |
| Eye exams | No | No | No | No |
| Glasses | 100% up to a maximum of \$225 in any 24 month period | 100% up to a maximum of \$225 in any 24 month period | 100% up to a maximum of \$225 in any 24 month period | 100% up to a maximum of \$225 in any 24 month period |
| Eyewear following surgery | 100% to a maximum of \$250 per person in a 24 month period | 100% to a maximum of \$250 per person in a 24 month period | 100% to a maximum of \$250 per person in a 24 month period | 100% to a maximum of \$250 per person in a 24 month period |

| | CLASS C | CLASS C1 | CLASS C2 | CLASS I |
|-------------------|---|---|---|---|
| Employee Group | Retired Employees of Canadian Niagara Power | Retired Employees of Canadian Niagara Power w/Surviving Spouse Benefits | Canadian Niagara Power Employees who retired on or after January 1, 2008 | Retired Union and Non-Union Employees of Eastern Ontario Power |
| Dental | | | | |
| Fee Guide | Current | Current | Current | Current |
| Deductible | No | No | No | No |
| Yearly Maximum | \$1,000 per benefit year for major dental procedures | \$1,000 per benefit year for major dental procedures | \$1,000 per benefit year for major dental procedures | \$1,000 per benefit year for major dental procedures |
| Lifetime Maximum | No | No | No | No |
| Oral Examinations | 1 complete exam every 24 months | 1 complete exam every 24 months | 1 complete exam every 24 months | 1 complete exam every 24 months |
| | 1 recall exam every 6 months for children under 18 or every 9 months for any other person | 1 recall exam every 6 months for children under 18 or every 9 months for any other person | 1 recall exam every 6 months for children under 18 or every 9 months for any other person | 1 recall exam every 6 months for children under 18 or every 9 months for any other person |
| X-rays | 1 complete series every 24 months, 1 set of bitewing x-rays every 6 months for children under 18 or every 9 months for any other person, x-rays to diagnose a symptom or examine a progress of a particular course of treatment | 1 complete series every 24 months, 1 set of bitewing x-rays every 6 months for children under 18 or every 9 months for any other person, x-rays to diagnose a symptom or examine a progress of a particular course of treatment | 1 complete series every 24 months, 1 set of bitewing x-rays every 6 months for children under 18 or every 9 months for any other person, x-rays to diagnose a symptom or examine a progress of a particular course of treatment | 1 complete series every 24 months, 1 set of bitewing x-rays every 6 months for children under 18 or every 9 months for any other person, x-rays to diagnose a symptom or examine a progress of a particular course of treatment |

| | CLASS C | CLASS C1 | CLASS C2 | CLASS I |
|-------------------------|---|--|---|--|
| Employee Group | Retired Employees of Canadian Niagara Power | Retired Employees of Canadian Niagara Power w/Surviving Spouse Benefits | Canadian Niagara Power Employees who retired on or after January 1, 2008 | Retired Union and Non-Union Employees of Eastern Ontario Power |
| Basic dental procedures | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% |
| Major dental procedures | 50% | 50% | 50% | 50% |
| Orthodontic procedures | No | No | No | No |
| Life Coverage | | | | |
| Basic ⁴ | No | No | No | No |
| Optional | No | No | No | No |
| Dependent | No | No | No | No |

⁴ Basic Life coverage is grandfathered for select members in classes C, C1 and I. It is set at preretirement salary to age 65 decreasing 10% per year for the next 5 years.

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| | CLASS E1 | CLASS F1 | CLASS F | CLASS F2 | CLASS D1 |
|-----------------------------|----------|----------|---------|----------|----------|
| Employee Group | | | | | |
| Air ambulance | | | | | |
| Wigs following chemotherapy | | | | | |
| Orthotic inserts | | | | | |
| Orthopedic shoes | | | | | |
| Hearing aids | | | | | |
| Paramedical Services | | | | | |
| • Massage therapist | | | | | |
| • Psychologists | | | | | |
| • Speech therapist | | | | | |
| • Physiotherapist | | | | | |
| • Naturopaths | | | | | |
| • Acupuncturists | | | | | |
| • Osteopaths | | | | | |

| | CLASS E1 | CLASS F1 | CLASS F | CLASS F2 | CLASS D1 |
|-----------------------------|----------|----------|---------|----------|----------|
| Employee Group | | | | | |
| • Chiropractors | | | | | |
| • Podiatrists | | | | | |
| • Chiropodists | | | | | |
| • Dieticians | | | | | |
| • Audiologists | | | | | |
| • Occupational therapists | | | | | |
| Emergency Travel Assistance | | | | | |
| Vision Care | | | | | |
| Eye exams | | | | | |
| Glasses | | | | | |
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| | CLASS E1 | CLASS F1 | CLASS F | CLASS F2 | CLASS D1 |
|-------------------------|----------|----------|---------|----------|----------|
| Employee Group | | | | | |
| Basic dental procedures | | | | | |
| Major dental procedures | | | | | |
| Orthodontic procedures | | | | | |
| Life Coverage | | | | | |
| Basic | | | | | |
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APPENDIX F

MEMBERSHIP DATA

The actuarial valuation for [REDACTED], CNPI [REDACTED] is based on membership data as at June 1, 2018, provided by FortisOntario.

Plan membership data are summarized below. For comparison, we have also summarized corresponding data from the previous valuation.

ANALYSIS OF MEMBERSHIP DATA

| [REDACTED] | 01.06.18 | 01.07.15 |
|-----------------------|------------|------------|
| Grandfathered Actives | | |
| [REDACTED] | [REDACTED] | [REDACTED] |
| [REDACTED] | [REDACTED] | [REDACTED] |
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| CNPI | 01.06.18 | 01.07.15 |
|---|----------|----------|
| Grandfathered Actives | | |
| Number | 33 | 39 |
| Average years of service | 24.4 | 22.0 |
| Average age | 53.2 | 50.6 |
| Non-Grandfathered Actives | | |
| Number | 44 | 41 |
| Average years of service | 6.7 | 5.4 |
| Average age | 39.8 | 38.2 |
| Grandfathered Retirees and Surviving Spouses | | |
| Number | 55 | 57 |
| Average age | 72.4 | 70.6 |
| Grandfathered Retiree Spouses | | |
| Number | 46 | 47 |
| Average age | 70.2 | 69.2 |

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| CNPI - DISTRIBUTION OF ACTIVE MEMBERS BY AGE GROUP AND COMPLETED YEARS OF SERVICE AS AT 01.06.18 | | | | | | | | |
|---|----------------------------|-----------|-----------|----------|----------|-----------|----------|-----------|
| AGE | YEARS OF COMPLETED SERVICE | | | | | | | TOTAL |
| | 0-4 | 5-9 | 10-14 | 15-19 | 20-24 | 25-29 | 30+ | |
| Under 20 | | | | | | | | 0 |
| 20 - 24 | 1 | | | | | | | 1 |
| 25 - 29 | 6 | 1 | | | | | | 7 |
| 30 - 34 | | 3 | 2 | | | | | 5 |
| 35 - 39 | 3 | 5 | 2 | 1 | | | | 11 |
| 40 - 44 | 3 | 3 | 4 | 3 | 1 | 1 | | 15 |
| 45 - 49 | 2 | 1 | 2 | | 2 | 3 | | 10 |
| 50 - 54 | | 1 | 2 | | 4 | 5 | | 12 |
| 55 - 59 | 1 | | 2 | 3 | | 1 | 2 | 9 |
| 60 - 64 | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 6 |
| 65+ | | | | | | 1 | | 1 |
| Total | 16 | 14 | 14 | 8 | 8 | 12 | 5 | 77 |

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The distribution of inactive members by age is as follows:

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| CNPI - DISTRIBUTION OF INACTIVE MEMBERS BY AGE GROUP AS AT 01.06.18 | | | |
|--|--------------------------------------|-----------|------------|
| AGE | RETIREES AND SURVIVING SPOUSES | SPOUSES | TOTAL |
| Under 50 | | | 0 |
| 50 - 54 | | | 0 |
| 55 - 59 | 1 | 5 | 6 |
| 60 - 64 | 9 | 10 | 19 |
| 65 - 69 | 12 | 12 | 24 |
| 70 - 74 | 19 | 9 | 28 |
| 75 - 79 | 3 | 3 | 6 |
| 80 - 84 | 5 | 5 | 10 |
| 85 - 89 | 5 | | 5 |
| 90 + | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| Total | 55 | 46 | 101 |

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| Case 1 | | | | | |
|--------|----|----|----|----|----|
| Case | CR | EC | NP | MR | IR |
| Case 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Case 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |

| Case 2 | | | | | |
|--------|----|----|----|----|----|
| Case | CR | EC | NP | MR | IR |
| Case 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Case 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |

| DISTRIBUTION OF MEMBERS - CNPI BY PROVINCE AS AT 01.06.18 | | | | | |
|--|----|----|----|----|-------|
| | ON | BC | NF | PQ | Total |
| Actives | 77 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 77 |
| Retirees and Surviving Spouses | 55 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 55 |

| | ON | PC | NI | PO | Other |
|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------|
| ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |

The following tables represent the breakdown of benefit obligation by benefit.

| Category | Item | Value | Value | Value | Value |
|------------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Category 1 | Item 1 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 |
| | Item 2 | 200 | 200 | 200 | 200 |
| | Item 3 | 300 | 300 | 300 | 300 |
| | Item 4 | 400 | 400 | 400 | 400 |
| | Item 5 | 500 | 500 | 500 | 500 |
| | Item 6 | 600 | 600 | 600 | 600 |
| | Item 7 | 700 | 700 | 700 | 700 |
| | Item 8 | 800 | 800 | 800 | 800 |
| Category 2 | Item 1 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 |
| | Item 2 | 200 | 200 | 200 | 200 |
| | Item 3 | 300 | 300 | 300 | 300 |
| | Item 4 | 400 | 400 | 400 | 400 |
| | Item 5 | 500 | 500 | 500 | 500 |
| | Item 6 | 600 | 600 | 600 | 600 |
| | Item 7 | 700 | 700 | 700 | 700 |
| | Item 8 | 800 | 800 | 800 | 800 |
| Category 3 | Item 1 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 |
| | Item 2 | 200 | 200 | 200 | 200 |
| | Item 3 | 300 | 300 | 300 | 300 |
| | Item 4 | 400 | 400 | 400 | 400 |
| | Item 5 | 500 | 500 | 500 | 500 |
| | Item 6 | 600 | 600 | 600 | 600 |
| | Item 7 | 700 | 700 | 700 | 700 |
| | Item 8 | 800 | 800 | 800 | 800 |
| Category 4 | Item 1 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 |
| | Item 2 | 200 | 200 | 200 | 200 |
| | Item 3 | 300 | 300 | 300 | 300 |
| | Item 4 | 400 | 400 | 400 | 400 |
| | Item 5 | 500 | 500 | 500 | 500 |
| | Item 6 | 600 | 600 | 600 | 600 |
| | Item 7 | 700 | 700 | 700 | 700 |
| | Item 8 | 800 | 800 | 800 | 800 |
| Category 5 | Item 1 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 |
| | Item 2 | 200 | 200 | 200 | 200 |
| | Item 3 | 300 | 300 | 300 | 300 |
| | Item 4 | 400 | 400 | 400 | 400 |
| | Item 5 | 500 | 500 | 500 | 500 |
| | Item 6 | 600 | 600 | 600 | 600 |
| | Item 7 | 700 | 700 | 700 | 700 |
| | Item 8 | 800 | 800 | 800 | 800 |

⁵ Includes benefit obligation of \$252,400 for an individual with alternate benefits

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| Category | Item | Value | Value | Value |
|----------|--------|-------|-------|-------|
| Total | Item 1 | 100 | 100 | 100 |
| | Item 2 | 200 | 200 | 200 |
| | Item 3 | 300 | 300 | 300 |
| | Item 4 | 400 | 400 | 400 |
| | Item 5 | 500 | 500 | 500 |
| | Item 6 | 600 | 600 | 600 |
| | Item 7 | 700 | 700 | 700 |
| Total | Item 1 | 100 | 100 | 100 |
| | Item 2 | 200 | 200 | 200 |
| | Item 3 | 300 | 300 | 300 |
| | Item 4 | 400 | 400 | 400 |
| | Item 5 | 500 | 500 | 500 |
| | Item 6 | 600 | 600 | 600 |
| | Item 7 | 700 | 700 | 700 |

The following table shows the breakdown of fiscal 2018 actuarial (gain)/loss.

| (GAINS)/LOSSES DUE TO: | DUE TO REMEASUREMENT AS OF 31.12.2018 | | | | |
|---|---------------------------------------|--|---------------|--|--|
| | | | CNPI | | |
| 1. Difference between actual and expected benefit payments | | | \$102,500 | | |
| 2. Impact of calculation of interest cost under CPA Section 3462 | | | (7,400) | | |
| 3. Impact of actual demographic changes | | | (106,500) | | |
| 4. Impact of claim cost change | | | (900,700) | | |
| 5. Impact of discount rate change | | | (262,700) | | |
| 6. Impact of health care cost trend rate changes | | | (255,100) | | |
| 7. Impact of administrative expense changes | | | (47,900) | | |
| 8. Impact of eligibility update for future retirees effective January 1, 2017 | | | 0 | | |
| 9. Total | | | (\$1,477,800) | | |

APPENDIX H

EMPLOYER CERTIFICATION

With respect to the Actuarial Valuation Report for fiscal year ending December 31, 2018 and estimated defined benefit cost for December 31, 2019 under Part II of the Chartered Professional Accountants of Canada Handbook – Accounting Standards for Private Enterprises of FortisOntario Inc.'s Non-Pension Post-Retirement Benefit Plans ("the Plans"), I hereby certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief:

- The membership data supplied to the actuary provides a complete and accurate description of all persons who are entitled to benefits under the terms of the Plans for service up to the date of the valuation.
- Copies of the official plan documents and of all amendments made up to December 31, 2018 have been supplied to the actuary.
- All substantive commitments (as defined under Part II of the Chartered Professional accountants of Canada handbook – Accounting Standards for Private Enterprises) have been communicated to the actuary.
- Accounting policies as adopted by FortisOntario Inc. are those described in this report.
- The actuarial methods to be used for the purposes of the valuation are those described in this report.

- Management's best estimate assumptions, other than the funding going-concern valuation assumptions used (discount rate, mortality, salary scale) for purposes of the valuations and the extrapolation of the financial position of the Plans as of December 31, 2018 are those described in this report.
- All events subsequent to the valuation that may have an impact on the results of the valuation or of a future valuation have been communicated to the actuary.

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| | | CNP | |
|---|--|------------|--|
| Change in benefit obligation | | | |
| Benefit obligation - end of prior period | | 17,653,695 | |
| Current service cost (employer) | | 227,828 | |
| Interest cost | | 674,626 | |
| Employee contributions | | - | |
| Plan amendments | | - | |
| Benefits paid | | (640,437) | |
| Net transfer in (out) | | - | |
| Acquisitions (divestitures) | | - | |
| Increase (decrease) in obligation due to curtailment | | - | |
| Obligation being settled | | - | |
| Special termination benefits | | - | |
| Actuarial loss (gain) | | 1,101,669 | |
| Foreign exchange rate changes | | - | |
| Benefit obligation - end | | 19,017,381 | |
| Change in plan assets | | | |
| Market value of plan assets - end of prior period | | 20,896,386 | |
| Actual return on plan assets | | 2,359,716 | |
| Employer contributions | | - | |
| Employee contributions | | - | |
| Benefits paid | | (640,437) | |
| Surplus paid out to employer | | - | |
| Settlement payments | | - | |
| Net transfer in (out) | | - | |
| Acquisitions (divestitures) | | - | |
| Actual plan expenses | | (108,617) | |
| Foreign exchange rate changes | | - | |
| Market value of plan assets - end | | 22,507,048 | |
| Reconciliation of funded status | | | |
| Funded status - surplus (deficit) | | 3,489,667 | |
| Employer contributions after measurement date | | - | |
| Unamortized transitional obligation (asset) | | - | |
| Unamortized past service costs | | 26,345 | |
| Unamortized net actuarial loss (gain) | | 191,419 | |
| Accrued benefit asset (liability) | | 3,707,431 | |
| Unamortized transitional increase (decrease) in valuation | | - | |
| Valuation allowance | | - | |
| Accrued benefit asset (liability), net of valuation allowance | | 3,707,431 | |

Components of expense

Current service cost (including provision for plan expenses)

Interest cost

Expected return on plan assets

Amortization of transitional obligation (asset)

Amortization of past service costs

Amortization of net actuarial loss (gain)

Curtailment loss (gain)

Settlement loss (gain)

Amortization of transitional increase (decrease) in VA

Increase (decrease) in valuation allowance

Special termination benefits

Net expense (income)

| | | |
|--|-------------|--|
| | 521,828 | |
| | 674,626 | |
| | (1,024,063) | |
| | - | |
| | 23,068 | |
| | - | |
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| | - | |
| | 195,459 | |

Assumptions

At beginning of period

Discount rate

Rate of compensation increase

Expected rate of return on plan assets

At end of period

Discount rate

Rate of compensation increase

| | |
|-------|--|
| 3.90% | |
| 3.50% | |
| 5.00% | |
| 3.50% | |
| 3.50% | |

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| | | CNP | |
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| Change in benefit obligation | | | |
| Benefit obligation - end of prior period | | 19,017,381.00 | |
| Current service cost (employer) | | 442,687.00 | |
| Interest cost | | 652,939.00 | |
| Employee contributions | | - | |
| Plan amendments | | - | |
| Benefits paid | | (740,754.00) | |
| Net transfer in (out) | | - | |
| Acquisitions (divestitures) | | - | |
| Increase (decrease) in obligation due to curtailment | | - | |
| Obligation being settled | | - | |
| Special termination benefits | | - | |
| Actuarial loss (gain) | | (929,635.00) | |
| Foreign exchange rate changes | | - | |
| Benefit obligation - end | | <u>18,442,618.00</u> | |
| Change in plan assets | | | |
| Market value of plan assets - end of prior period | | 22,507,048.00 | |
| Actual return on plan assets | | 207,472.00 | |
| Employer contributions | | - | |
| Employee contributions | | - | |
| Benefits paid | | (740,754.00) | |
| Surplus paid out to employer | | - | |
| Settlement payments | | - | |
| Net transfer in (out) | | - | |
| Acquisitions (divestitures) | | - | |
| Actual plan expenses | | (132,665.00) | |
| Foreign exchange rate changes | | - | |
| Market value of plan assets - end | | <u>21,841,101.00</u> | |
| Reconciliation of funded status | | | |
| Funded status - surplus (deficit) | | 3,398,483.00 | |
| Employer contributions after measurement date | | - | |
| Unamortized transitional obligation (asset) | | - | |
| Unamortized past service costs | | 6,751.00 | |
| Unamortized net actuarial loss (gain) | | 168,667.00 | |
| Accrued benefit asset (liability) | | 3,573,901.00 | |
| Unamortized transitional increase (decrease) in valuation | | - | |
| Valuation allowance | | - | |
| Accrued benefit asset (liability), net of valuation allowance | | <u>3,573,901.00</u> | |
| Components of expense | | | |
| Current service cost (including provision for plan expenses) | | 565,187.00 | |
| Interest cost | | 652,939.00 | |
| Expected return on plan assets | | (1,104,190.00) | |
| Amortization of transitional obligation (asset) | | - | |
| Amortization of past service costs | | 19,594.00 | |
| Amortization of net actuarial loss (gain) | | - | |
| Curtailment loss (gain) | | - | |
| Settlement loss (gain) | | - | |
| Amortization of transitional increase (decrease) in VA | | - | |
| Increase (decrease) in valuation allowance | | - | |
| Special termination benefits | | - | |
| Net expense (income) | | <u>133,530.00</u> | |
| Assumptions | | | |
| At beginning of period | | | |
| Discount rate | | 3.50% | |
| Rate of compensation increase | | 3.50% | |
| Expected rate of return on plan assets | | 5.00% | |
| At end of period | | | |
| Discount rate | | 3.70% | |
| Rate of compensation increase | | 3.50% | |

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| | | CNP | |
|---|--|-------------|--|
| Change in benefit obligation | | | |
| Benefit obligation - end of prior period | | 18,442,618 | |
| Current service cost (employer) | | 335,103 | |
| Interest cost | | 667,208 | |
| Employee contributions | | - | |
| Plan amendments | | - | |
| Benefits paid | | (710,169) | |
| Net transfer in (out) | | - | |
| Acquisitions (divestitures) | | - | |
| Increase (decrease) in obligation due to curtailment | | - | |
| Obligation being settled | | - | |
| Special termination benefits | | - | |
| Actuarial loss (gain) | | 1,443,490 | |
| Foreign exchange rate changes | | - | |
| Benefit obligation - end | | 20,178,250 | |
| Change in plan assets | | | |
| Market value of plan assets - end of prior period | | 21,841,101 | |
| Actual return on plan assets | | 3,431,759 | |
| Employer contributions | | - | |
| Employee contributions | | - | |
| Benefits paid | | (710,169) | |
| Surplus paid out to employer | | - | |
| Settlement payments | | - | |
| Net transfer in (out) | | - | |
| Acquisitions (divestitures) | | - | |
| Actual plan expenses | | (49,688) | |
| Foreign exchange rate changes | | - | |
| Market value of plan assets - end | | 24,513,003 | |
| Reconciliation of funded status | | | |
| Funded status - surplus (deficit) | | 4,334,753 | |
| Employer contributions after measurement date | | - | |
| Unamortized transitional obligation (asset) | | - | |
| Unamortized past service costs | | - | |
| Unamortized net actuarial loss (gain) | | (827,031) | |
| Accrued benefit asset (liability) | | 3,507,722 | |
| Unamortized transitional increase (decrease) in valuation | | - | |
| Valuation allowance | | - | |
| Accrued benefit asset (liability), net of valuation allowance | | 3,507,722 | |
| Components of expense | | | |
| Current service cost (including provision for plan expenses) | | 460,621 | |
| Interest cost | | 667,208 | |
| Expected return on plan assets | | (1,068,419) | |
| Amortization of transitional obligation (asset) | | - | |
| Amortization of past service costs | | 6,769 | |
| Amortization of net actuarial loss (gain) | | - | |
| Curtailment loss (gain) | | - | |
| Settlement loss (gain) | | - | |
| Amortization of transitional increase (decrease) in VA | | - | |
| Increase (decrease) in valuation allowance | | - | |
| Special termination benefits | | - | |
| Net expense (income) | | 66,179 | |
| Assumptions | | | |
| At beginning of period | | | |
| Discount rate | | 3.70% | |
| Rate of compensation increase | | 3.50% | |
| Expected rate of return on plan assets | | 5.00% | |
| At end of period | | | |
| Discount rate | | 3.10% | |
| Rate of compensation increase | | 3.50% | |

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| | | CNP | |
|---|--|-------------|--|
| Change in benefit obligation | | | |
| Benefit obligation - end of prior period | | 20,178,250 | |
| Current service cost (employer) | | 378,586 | |
| Interest cost | | 612,714 | |
| Employee contributions | | - | |
| Plan amendments | | - | |
| Benefits paid | | (768,793) | |
| Net transfer in (out) | | - | |
| Acquisitions (divestitures) | | - | |
| Increase (decrease) in obligation due to curtailment | | - | |
| Obligation being settled | | - | |
| Special termination benefits | | - | |
| Actuarial loss (gain) | | 1,452,184 | |
| Foreign exchange rate changes | | - | |
| Benefit obligation - end | | 21,852,941 | |
| Change in plan assets | | | |
| Market value of plan assets - end of prior period | | 24,513,003 | |
| Actual return on plan assets | | 3,166,505 | |
| Employer contributions | | - | |
| Employee contributions | | - | |
| Benefits paid | | (768,793) | |
| Surplus paid out to employer | | - | |
| Settlement payments | | - | |
| Net transfer in (out) | | - | |
| Acquisitions (divestitures) | | - | |
| Actual plan expenses | | (105,983) | |
| Foreign exchange rate changes | | - | |
| Market value of plan assets - end | | 26,804,732 | |
| Reconciliation of funded status | | | |
| Funded status - surplus (deficit) | | 4,951,791 | |
| Employer contributions after measurement date | | - | |
| Unamortized transitional obligation (asset) | | - | |
| Unamortized past service costs | | - | |
| Unamortized net actuarial loss (gain) | | (1,481,505) | |
| Accrued benefit asset (liability) | | 3,470,286 | |
| Unamortized transitional increase (decrease) in valuation allowance | | - | |
| Accrued benefit asset (liability), net of valuation | | 3,470,286 | |
| Components of expense | | | |
| Current service cost (including provision for plan experience) | | 506,336 | |
| Interest cost | | 612,714 | |
| Expected return on plan assets | | (1,081,614) | |
| Amortization of transitional obligation (asset) | | - | |
| Amortization of past service costs | | - | |
| Amortization of net actuarial loss (gain) | | - | |
| Curtailment loss (gain) | | - | |
| Settlement loss (gain) | | - | |
| Amortization of transitional increase (decrease) in valuation allowance | | - | |
| Special termination benefits | | - | |
| Net expense (income) | | 37,436 | |
| Assumptions | | | |
| At beginning of period | | | |
| Discount rate | | 3.10% | |
| Rate of compensation increase | | 3.50% | |
| Expected rate of return on plan assets | | 4.50% | |

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