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OEB Registrar  
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2300 Yonge Street  
Toronto, ON M4P 1E4

August 3, 2021

**EB-2020-0133 Consultation on the Deferral Account  
Pollution Probe Cost Claim**

Dear Ms. Long:

In accordance with the Notice of Hearing for Cost Awards dated July 22, 2021, please find attached the Cost Claim for Pollution Probe. Please reach out should you have any questions.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of Pollution Probe.

Michael Brophy, P.Eng., M.Eng., MBA  
Michael Brophy Consulting Inc.  
Consultant to Pollution Probe  
Phone: 647-330-1217  
Email: [Michael.brophy@rogers.com](mailto:Michael.brophy@rogers.com)

cc: Parties to the Consultation (via email)  
Richard Carlson, Pollution Probe (via email)

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- <b>2020-0133</b>	Process: <b>Consultation on the Deferral Account – Impacts</b> <sup>COVID</sup>
Party: <b>Pollution Probe</b>	Affiant's Name: <b>Michael Brophy</b>
HST Number: <b>108092701 RT0001</b>	HST Rate Ontario: <b>13.0%</b>
Full Registrant <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Qualifying Non-Profit <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Unregistered <input type="checkbox"/>	Tax Exempt <input type="checkbox"/>
Other <input type="checkbox"/>	

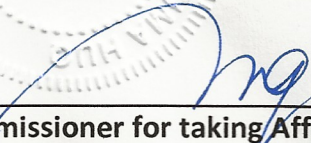
Affidavit

I, **Michael Brophy**, of the City/Town of **Toronto**  
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 **Toronto**,  
in the Province/State of **Ontario**, on **July 30, 2021** (date)

  
Commissioner for taking Affidavits

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



File # **EB- 2020-0133** Process: **Consultation on the Deferral Account – Impacts A**

Party: **Pollution Probe**

**Summary of Fees and Disbursements Being Claimed**

Legal/consultant fees	\$7,507.50
Disbursements	\$0.00
HST	\$975.98
<b>Total Cost Claim</b>	<b>\$8,483.48</b>

**Payment Information**

Make cheque payable to: **Pollution Probe**

Send payment to this address: **c/o Richard Carlson**  
**150 Ferrand Drive, Suite 208**  
**Toronto, Ontario**  
**M3C 3E5**

**Detail of Fees and Disbursements Being Claimed**

**Statement of Fees Being Claimed**

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

**Statement(s) of Disbursements Being Claimed**

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





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

Individual Whose Costs are Being Claimed

<b>Name:</b> Michael Brophy		
	<b>Year Called to Bar</b>	<b>Completed Years Practicing/Years of Relevant Experience</b>
<b>Counsel/Articling Student/Paralegal:</b> <input type="checkbox"/>	[ ]	27
<b>Analyst/Consultant:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
<b>CV attached:</b> <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>CV not required:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	

<b>Name:</b> [ ]		
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**Ontario Energy Board  
 COST CLAIM FOR CONSULTATIONS  
 Statement of Fees Being Claimed**



File # EB- 2020-0133

Consultation on the Deferral Account –  
 Impacts Arising from the COVID-19  
 Emergency

Process Emergency

Party Pollution Probe

HST Rate: 13%

	Activity	Preparation for, and attendance at, the preliminary May 28, 2020 stakeholder meeting	Written comments on Draft Issues List	Written comments on the form of consultation to be adopted	Preparation for and attendance at the January 14, 2021 webinar; Written comments on the Staff Proposal; Reply comments on other stakeholders' comments			
	Hours	1.5 times actual meeting time, up to a total of 3.75 hours	Up to 18 hours	Up to 0.5 hours	Combined up to 45 hours			
Individual Whose Fees are Being Claimed	Hourly rate					Subtotal	HST	Total
Michael Brophy	\$330.00	3.00	4.00	0.50	15.25	\$7,507.50	\$975.98	\$8,483.48
						\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
						\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
						\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
						\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
						<b>\$7,507.50</b>	<b>\$975.98</b>	
						<b>Total legal/consultant fees:</b>		<b>\$8,483.48</b>

# Michael Brophy Consulting Inc.

# INVOICE

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Toronto, Ontario, M4G 3H4  
Phone 647-330-1217 email: michael.brophy@rogers.com

**DATE:** July 26, 2021  
**INVOICE #** OEB-14-2021  
**FOR:** EB-2020-0133  
COVID Accounts

**Bill To:**

Richard Carlson  
Director Energy Policy  
Pollution Probe  
150 Ferrand Drive  
Toronto, Ontario  
M3C 3E5

DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT
Consulting - OEB EB-2020-0133 COVID Accounts Detailed timesheet for Michael Brophy attached	7,507.50
Total: 22.75 hours @ \$330 per hour	
HST (HST #: 75225 9333 RT0001)	975.98
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 8,483.48</b>

Make all cheques payable to **Michael Brophy Consulting Inc.**

If you have any questions concerning this invoice, contact:  
Michael Brophy, President, Michael Brophy Consulting Inc.  
Phone: 647-330-1217, email: michael.brophy@rogers.com  
Business Number: 75225 9333

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR BUSINESS!**

EB-2020-0133 COVID Deferral Account

M. Brophy

Date	hours	Activity	Description
5/27/2020	0.50	Prep & attend May 28 meeting	Draft Issues List
5/28/2020	2.50	Prep & attend May 28 meeting	Preliminary Stakeholder Meeting - Webex
6/11/2020	2.50	Draft Issues List	Submission on Draft Issue List and comments on issues as requested by the OEB. Correspondence with R. Carlson (Pollution Probe) and file with OEB.
6/18/2020	1.50	Draft Issues List	Review stakeholder submissions. Complete Reply submission and file.
8/17/2020	0.50	Process Comments	Review Issues List and submit letter of comment on process
1/13/2021	6.00	Jan 14 webinar; Staff Proposal; other stakeholders' comments	Review materials, LEI reports and Staff Proposal
1/14/2021	3.50	Jan 14 webinar; Staff Proposal; other stakeholders' comments	Prep and attend Janaury 14 Zoom presentations and stakeholder session
1/25/2021	2.75	Jan 14 webinar; Staff Proposal; other stakeholders' comments	Review materials, complete submission on OEB Staff Proposal and file
2/1/2021	3.00	Jan 14 webinar; Staff Proposal; other stakeholders' comments	Review Submissions
total	22.75		