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Ontario Energy Board

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## RE: EB-2020-0091 Integrated Resource Planning FRPO Clarification of Cost Claim Category

We are writing on behalf of the Federation of Rental-housing Providers of Ontario (FRPO) in regard to a request from staff to clarify the allocation of hours to the Other Conferences in our Cost Claim of August  $26^{\rm th}$  in the Integrated Resource Planning proceeding.

From the outset of the proceeding, FRPO strived to assist the Board with an understanding of how Supply-Side alternatives could have great efficacy in meeting natural gas demand and how the Framework could be developed to ensure the inclusion of Supply-side IRPA's.

FRPO had invested hours in the preliminary stages of the proceeding in submitting our views on the need for a comprehensive issues list that incorporated the Supply-side and the potential for our evidence to be of assistance to the Board. Those hours were allocated to Prehearing Conference. The complexity of the proceeding resulted in both a Technical Conference and the opportunity for stakeholders to present views directly to the Board in a Presentation Day. Desiring to separate our hours appropriately, we used the Other Conferences category for hours associated with developing and presenting our views in the IRP Framework Presentation Day.

We trust that the above clarifies our use of the Other Conferences category.

Respectfully Submitted on Behalf of FRPO,

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