ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD NOTICE

The Independent Electricity System Operator, in its capacity as the Smart Metering Entity, has applied for approval to provide access to deidentified electricity consumption data to third parties that are Canadian Governmental Entities.

Learn more. Have your say.

The Independent Electricity System Operator (IESO), in its capacity as the Smart Metering Entity, has applied to the Ontario Energy Board for approval to:

- Expand third party access to de-identified electricity consumption data beyond the IESO and Ontario Energy Board to Canadian Governmental Entities
- Provide access to de-identified consumption data under a no-fee model for standard requests, with costs covered by the Smart Metering Charge
- Provide access to de-identified consumption data under a cost recovery model of \$145.00 per hour for complex requests
- Use basic terms of the Data Use Agreement and the provision to tailor the Data Use Agreement to suit specific circumstances

Please review the application carefully for the approvals requested.

THE ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD WILL HOLD A PUBLIC HEARING

The OEB will hold a public hearing to consider the IESO's application. At the end of this hearing, the OEB will decide whether to grant the IESO's requests.

The OEB is an independent and impartial public agency. We make decisions that serve the public interest. Our goal is to promote a financially viable and efficient energy sector that provides you with reliable energy services at a reasonable cost.

BE INFORMED AND HAVE YOUR SAY

You have the right to information regarding this application and to be involved in the process.

- You can review the application on the OEB's website now
- You can file a letter with your comments, which will be considered during the hearing
- You can become an intervenor. As an intervenor, you can ask questions about the application and make arguments on whether the OEB should approve the requests. Apply by **December 3, 2021** or the hearing will go ahead without you and you will not receive any further notice of the proceeding
- At the end of the process, you can review the OEB's decision and its reasons on our website

LEARN MORE

Our file number for this case is **EB-2021-0292**. To learn more about this hearing, find instructions on how to file a letter with your comments or become an intervenor, or to access any document related to this case, select the file number **EB-2021-0292** from the list on the OEB website: <u>www.oeb.ca/notice</u>. You can also phone our Public Information Centre at 1-877-632-2727 with any questions.

ORAL VS. WRITTEN HEARING

There are two types of OEB hearings – oral and written. The OEB will determine at a later date whether to proceed by way of a written or oral hearing. If you think an oral hearing is needed, you can write to the OEB to explain why by **December 3, 2021**.

PRIVACY

If you write a letter of comment, your name and the content of your letter will be put on the public record and the OEB website. However, your personal telephone number, home address and email address will be removed. If you are a business, all your information will remain public. If you apply to become an intervenor, all information will be public.

This rate hearing will be held under section 78 of the Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998, S.O. 1998, c.15, Schedule B, Ontario Regulation 453/06 made under the Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998 and subsections 53.8 of the Electricity Act, 1998.



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