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OEB Staff Questions

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**Follow-up Questions – December 9, 2021**

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**Ref: LRAMVA Workform, Tab 5 (2015-2020 LRAM)**

The energy savings reported for 2018 in Tab 5 of the LRAMVA Workform were reconciled to the IESO Participation and Cost report (LDC Progress tab). However, the persisting energy savings could not be tied to any reports provided. Please provide the details and calculations used to arrive at the persisting energy savings from 2018.

**RESPONSE:**

The energy savings reported for 2018 in Tab 5 of the LRAMVA Workform reconcile with to the IESO Participation and Cost report (LDC Progress tab) column BD. Atikokan notes that this methodology has been accepted in other application. If Board Staff deems it incorrect, please provide the correct information the utility should be using instead.

**Follow up Question:**

The OEB acknowledges that the energy savings reported for 2018 in Tab 5 of the LRAMVA Workform can be reconciled to the IESO Participation and Cost Report and that this is the accepted methodology. However, please provide the rationale/methodology used to arrive at the persisting energy savings reported in 2019 and 2020.

 **RESPONSE:**

To calculate the persistence for 2019 and 2000, Atikokan used the "persistence to savings" ratio from the last IESO verified report (2017) to determine the ratio for 2019-2020.   This method has been accepted in previous applications.