



Quinte Manufacturers Association

April 7, 2022

Ms. Nancy Marconi
Registrar
Ontario Energy Board
2300 Yonge Street
Suite 2700
Toronto, Ontario M4P 1E4
Via Email registrar@oeb.ca

Re: EB-2022-0011 – Framework for Review of Intervenor Processes and Cost Awards

Dear Ms. Marconi:

Pursuant to the letter of invitation to interested parties dated March 31, 2022 from Ms. Zagar and Ms. Anderson regarding the above-noted matter, the Quinte Manufacturers Association ("QMA" or "Association") would be pleased to submit comments and provide appropriate feedback. The QMA requests a determination of its eligibility for costs to retain Michael McLeod, the Association's qualified consultant. Mr. McLeod's current resume is filed with the Board. The Association believes that it meets the eligibility requirements set out in the Ontario Energy Board's *Rules of Practice and Procedure* and the *Practice Direction on Cost Awards*.

The QMA is an organization of small and medium manufacturers and processors located in the greater Bay of Quinte region which includes the cities of Belleville and Quinte West and the Municipality of Brighton. The Association is an unfunded industry collaborative that represents the interests of its members. It provides a forum for members to discuss issues and matters of common concern including energy costs related to the supply, service and distribution of natural gas and electricity. The QMA is led by a volunteer steering committee with members drawn from local manufacturers.

Our Association values its participation in the Ontario Energy Board's proceedings on matters that are of concern to its members. Although the QMA is a relatively new intervenor in Ontario Energy Board proceedings, the Association believes it can provide helpful comments and feedback on the *Framework* report from the manufacturers' perspective which will assist the Board in its effort to enhance the efficiency and effectiveness of its adjudicative processes.



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For communications purposes, the QMA requests that correspondence and documentation related to the proceeding be sent by e-mail to:

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If you require further information, please contact the undersigned. I look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Chandy Davis", is written over a light blue horizontal line.

Chandy Davis
Chair, QMA Steering Committee