

# DECISION AND ORDER ON COST AWARDS EB-2021-0052

# **OTTAWA RIVER POWER CORPORATION**

Application for electricity distribution rates and other charges beginning May 1, 2022

BEFORE: Robert Dodds Presiding Commissioner

> Emad Elsayed Commissioner

April 22, 2022

### OVERVIEW

Ottawa River Power Corporation (Ottawa River Power) filed a cost of service application with the Ontario Energy Board (OEB) on September 30, 2021, seeking approval for changes to the rates that Ottawa River Power charges for electricity distribution, beginning May 1, 2022. The OEB granted School Energy Coalition (SEC) and Vulnerable Energy Consumers Coalition (VECC) intervenor status and cost award eligibility.

On March 24, 2022, the OEB issued its Decision and Rate Order in which it set out the process for cost claims.

The OEB received cost claims from SEC and VECC. No objections were received from Ottawa River Power.

#### Findings

The OEB has reviewed the cost claims to ensure that they are compliant with the OEB's *Practice Direction on Cost Awards*.

The OEB finds that the cost claims of SEC and VECC are reasonable and shall be reimbursed by Ottawa River Power.

# THE ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD ORDERS THAT:

1. Pursuant to section 30 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998*, Ottawa River Power Corporation shall immediately pay the following amounts to the intervenors for their costs:

٠	School Energy Coalition	\$17,111.59
٠	Vulnerable Energy Consumers Coalition	\$15,092.09

**DATED** at Toronto April 22, 2022

# **ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD**

Nancy Marconi Registrar