



July 19, 2022

Nancy Marconi  
Registrar  
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Dear Ms. Marconi,

**RE: EB-2022-0079 Stakeholder Meeting on Non-RPP Class B Pilot Program  
CCMBC Participation and Cost Eligibility Request Letter**

The Coalition of Concerned Manufacturers and Business of Canada (CCMBC, the Coalition) hereby applies to participate and be eligible for costs in the EB-2022-0079 Non-RPP Class B Pilot Program consultation.

**Statement of Interest**

The CCMBC was formed in 2016 with a mandate to advocate for proactive and innovative policies that are conducive to manufacturing and business retention and safeguarding job growth in Canada. The creation of the organization was sparked by the high cost of electricity in Ontario and the negative impact it was having on business competitiveness in the province. The CCMBC was formed by former members of the Canadian Manufacturers and Exporters association who left that organization over their differing view and approaches towards issues facing the manufacturing community. The Coalition has over 400 members, most but not all of which are manufacturers in Ontario. Although the Coalition is active on a range of business issues, energy-related matters are of particular importance.

The interest of the CCMBC in this consultation is the potential impact on its Non-RPP Class B members of the of the pricing models that are being considered.

**Costs**

The CCMBC is a non-profit organization which relies on membership fees and individual donations to help protect the interests of its 418 member manufacturers and other businesses who are all electricity consumers. CCMBC will be requesting an award of costs for its participation in this consultation and believes that, as a coalition representing the direct interests of electricity consumers, it meets the eligibility criteria set out in the Ontario Energy Board's Rules of Practice and Procedure and its' Practice Direction on Cost Awards.

## **Representation**

In this consultation CCMBC will be represented by

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Respectfully submitted on behalf of CCMBC,

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