



#### INNPOWER CORPORATION

# Application for electricity distribution rates beginning January 1, 2023

# PROCEDURAL ORDER NO. 1 September 8, 2022

INNPOWER CORPORATION (InnPower) filed an incentive rate-setting mechanism application with the Ontario Energy Board (OEB) on August 3, 2022 under section 78 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act*, 1998, S.O. 1998, c. 15, (Schedule B) seeking approval for changes to the rates that InnPower charges for electricity distribution beginning January 1, 2023.

The OEB issued a Notice of Hearing on August 18, 2022. Each of Small Business Utility Alliance (SBUA) and Vulnerable Energy Consumers Coalition (VECC) applied for intervenor status and cost eligibility. SBUA and VECC are approved as intervenors and are eligible to apply for cost awards that are in accordance with the <a href="Practice Direction">Practice Direction</a> on Cost Awards and only in relation to InnPower Corporation's request to dispose of Group 2 Account balances. The list of parties in this proceeding is attached as Schedule A to this Procedural Order.

Cost eligible intervenors should be aware that the OEB will not generally allow the recovery of costs for the attendance of more than one representative of any party unless a compelling reason is provided when cost claims are filed.

Being eligible to apply for recovery of costs is not a guarantee of recovery of any costs claimed. Cost awards are made by way of OEB order at the end of a hearing.

At this time the OEB is making provision for the filing of interrogatories, interrogatory responses and submissions. Further procedural orders may be issued by the OEB.

## THE ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD ORDERS THAT:

 OEB staff shall request any relevant information and documentation from InnPower that is in addition to the evidence already filed, by written interrogatories filed with the OEB and served on InnPower by September 29, 2022.

- 2. InnPower shall file with the OEB complete written responses to the interrogatories by **October 13, 2022**.
- 3. Any written submissions by OEB staff shall be filed with the OEB and served on InnPower by **October 27, 2022**.
- Any reply submissions by InnPower shall be filed with the OEB by November 10, 2022.

Parties are responsible for ensuring that any documents they file with the OEB, such as applicant and intervenor evidence, interrogatories and responses to interrogatories or any other type of document, **do not include personal information** (as that phrase is defined in the *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act*), unless filed in accordance with rule 9A of the OEB's Rules of Practice and Procedure.

Please quote file number, **EB-2022-0043** for all materials filed and submit them in searchable/unrestricted PDF format with a digital signature through the <u>OEB's online filing portal</u>.

- Filings should clearly state the sender's name, postal address, telephone number and e-mail address.
- Please use the document naming conventions and document submission standards outlined in the <u>Regulatory Electronic Submission System (RESS)</u> <u>Document Guidelines</u> found at the <u>File documents online page</u> on the OEB's website.
- Parties are encouraged to use RESS. Those who have not yet <u>set up an account</u>, or require assistance using the online filing portal can contact registrar@oeb.ca for assistance.
- Cost claims if any are filed through the OEB's online filing portal. Please visit the
   <u>File documents online page</u> of the OEB's website for more information. All
   participants shall download a copy of their submitted cost claim and serve it on
   all required parties as per the <u>Practice Direction on Cost Awards</u>.

All communications should be directed to the attention of the Registrar and be received by end of business, 4:45 p.m., on the required date.

With respect to distribution lists for all electronic correspondence and materials related to this proceeding, parties must include the Case Manager, Kelli Benincasa at <a href="Melli.Benincasa@oeb.ca">Kelli.Benincasa@oeb.ca</a> and OEB Counsel, Ljuba Djurdjevic at Ljuba.Djurdjevic@oeb.ca.

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**DATED** at Toronto, **September 8, 2022** 

**ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD** 

By delegation, before: Nancy Marconi

Nancy Marconi Registrar

# SCHEDULE A PROCEDURAL ORDER NO. 1 INNPOWER CORPORATION EB-2022-0043

**APPLICANT & LIST OF INTERVENORS** 

# **Innpower Corporation** EB-2022-0043

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