

# **DECISION AND RATE ORDER**

EB-2022-0048

# London Hydro Inc.

Application for rates and other charges to be effective May 1, 2023

By Delegation, Before: Kevin Mancherjee

Director

**Operations Decision Support** 

March 23, 2023

# 1. OVERVIEW

The Ontario Energy Board is approving changes to the rates that London Hydro Inc. (London Hydro) charges to distribute electricity to its customers, effective May 1, 2023.

As a result of this Decision, there will be a monthly total bill increase of \$3.81 for a residential customer consuming 750 kWh. This change does not factor in applicable taxes or the Ontario Electricity Rebate.

## 2. CONTEXT AND PROCESS

London Hydro filed its application on October 12, 2022 under section 78 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998* and in accordance with Chapter 3 of the OEB's *Filing Requirements for Incentive Rate-Setting Applications* (Filing Requirements). The application was based on the Price Cap Incentive Rate-setting (Price Cap IR) option, with a five-year term.

The Price Cap IR option is one of three incentive rate-setting mechanisms (IRM) approved by the OEB.<sup>1</sup> It involves the setting of rates through a cost-of-service application in the first year and mechanistic price cap adjustments which may be approved through IRM applications in each of the ensuing adjustment years.

The OEB follows a standardized and streamlined process for hearing IRM applications filed under Price Cap IR. In each adjustment year of a Price Cap IR term, the OEB prepares a Rate Generator Model that includes, as a placeholder, information from the distributor's past proceedings and annual reporting requirements. A distributor will then review, complete, and include the model with its application, and may update the model during the proceeding to make any necessary corrections or to incorporate new rate-setting parameters as they become available.

London Hydro serves approximately 165,000 mostly residential and commercial electricity customers in the City of London.

The application was supported by pre-filed written evidence and a completed Rate Generator Model and as required during the proceeding, London Hydro updated and clarified the evidence.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Each of these options is explained in the OEB's *Handbook for Utility Rate Applications*.

## 3. DECISION OUTLINE

Each of the following issues is addressed in this Decision, together with the OEB's findings.

- Annual Adjustment Mechanism
- Retail Transmission Service Rates
- Group 1 Deferral and Variance Accounts
- Lost Revenue Adjustment Mechanism Variance Account

Instructions for implementing London Hydro's new rates and charges are set out in the final section of this Decision.

This Decision does not address rates and charges approved by the OEB in prior proceedings, such as specific service charges<sup>2</sup> and loss factors, which are out of the scope of an IRM proceeding and for which no further approvals are required to continue to include them on the distributor's Tariff of Rates and Charges.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Certain service charges are subject to annual inflationary adjustments to be determined by the OEB through a generic order. For example, the Decision and Order EB-2022-0220, issued November 3, 2022 established the adjustment for energy retailer service charges, effective January 1, 2023; and the Decision and Order EB-2022-0221, issued November 3, 2022, established the 2023 Wireline Pole Attachment Charge, effective January 1, 2023.

## 4. ANNUAL ADJUSTMENT MECHANISM

London Hydro has applied to change its rates, effective May 1, 2023, based on a mechanistic rate adjustment using the OEB-approved **inflation minus X-factor** formula applicable to IRM applications. The adjustment applies to distribution rates (fixed and variable) uniformly across all customer classes.<sup>3</sup>

The components of the Price Cap IR adjustment formula applicable to London Hydro are set out in the table below. Inserting these components into the formula results in a 3.40% increase to London Hydro's rates: 3.40% = 3.70% - (0.00% + 0.30%).

Components		Amount
Inflation factor <sup>4</sup>		3.70%
Less: X-factor	Productivity factor <sup>5</sup>	0.00%
	Stretch factor (0.00% to 0.60%) <sup>6</sup>	0.30%

Table 4.1: Price Cap IR Adjustment Formula

An inflation factor of 3.70% applies to all IRM applications for the 2023 rate year. The X-factor is the sum of the productivity factor and the stretch factor. It is a productivity offset that varies among different groupings of distributors. Subtracting the X-factor from inflation ensures that rates decline in real, constant-dollar terms, providing distributors with a tangible incentive to improve efficiency or else experience declining net income. The productivity component of the X-factor is based on industry conditions over a historical study period and applies to all IRM applications for the 2023 rate year. The stretch factor component of the X-factor is distributor specific. The OEB has established five stretch factor groupings, ranging from 0.00% to 0.60%. The stretch factor assigned to any distributor is based on the distributor's total cost performance as benchmarked against other distributors in Ontario. The stretch factor assigned to London Hydro is 0.30%, resulting in a rate adjustment of 3.40%.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> The adjustment does not apply to the following components of delivery rates: rate riders, rate adders, low voltage service charges, retail transmission service rates, wholesale market service rate, smart metering entity charge, rural or remote electricity rate protection charge, standard supply service – administrative charge, transformation and primary metering allowances, loss factors, specific service charges, microFIT charge, and retail service charges.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> OEB Letter, 2023 Inflation Parameters, issued October 20, 2022

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Report of the Ontario Energy Board – "Rate Setting Parameters and Benchmarking under the Renewed Regulatory Framework for Ontario's Electricity Distributors" EB-2010-0379, December 4, 2013

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> Report to the Ontario Energy Board – "Empirical Research in Support of Incentive Rate-Setting: 2021 Benchmarking Update", prepared by Pacific Economics Group LLC., July 2022

# **Findings**

London Hydro's request for a 3.40% rate adjustment is in accordance with the annually updated parameters set by the OEB. The adjustment is approved, and London Hydro's new rates shall be effective May 1, 2023.

## 5. RETAIL TRANSMISSION SERVICE RATES

London Hydro is transmission connected.

To recover its cost of transmission services, London Hydro requests approval to adjust the retail transmission service rates (RTSRs) that it charges its customers in accordance with the Uniform Transmission Rates (UTRs) currently in effect.

## **Findings**

London Hydro's proposed adjustment to its RTSRs is approved. The RTSRs have been adjusted based on the current OEB-approved UTRs.<sup>7</sup>

UTRs and host-RTSRs are typically approved annually by the OEB. If new UTRs take effect during London Hydro's 2023 rate year, any resulting differences (from the priorapproved UTRs) are to be captured in Retail Settlement Variance Accounts 1584 (Retail Transmission Network Charge) and 1586 (Retail Transmission Connection Charge).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup> EB-2022-0250, Decision and Rate Order, December 8, 2022

## 6. GROUP 1 DEFERRAL AND VARIANCE ACCOUNTS

In each year of an IRM term, the OEB will review a distributor's Group 1 deferral and variance accounts to determine whether those balances should be disposed. OEB policy states that Group 1 account balances should be disposed if they exceed, on a net basis (as a debit or credit), a pre-set disposition threshold of \$0.001 per kWh, unless a distributor justifies why balances should not be disposed.<sup>8</sup> If the net balance does not exceed the threshold, a distributor may still request disposition.<sup>9</sup>

In its pre-filed evidence, London Hydro did not specify whether it was requesting the disposition of its Group 1 account balances on either an interim or final basis.

In response to OEB staff questions, London Hydro requested interim disposition of its Group 1 account balances, as it noted an issue with its Accounts 1588 and 1589 balances. <sup>10</sup> At the time of responding to OEB staff's initial questions, London Hydro did not know if any other deferral and variance accounts (DVAs) would be impacted by this issue.

In response to OEB staff follow-up questions, London Hydro confirmed that this issue (Identified Issue) was comprised of two components:<sup>11</sup>

- 1. Embedded generation kWh was allocated global adjustment amounts when it should not have been allocated such amounts
- 2. Class A consumption was under-allocated kWh when it should have been allocated this consumption kWh

London Hydro also provided an update as follows:

- The Identified Issue impacted the periods 2015 to 2022, including some DVAs that were previously disposed on a final basis.<sup>12</sup>
- In addition to Accounts 1588 and 1589 balances being impacted by the Identified Issue, two additional accounts have been impacted, namely Account 1580 and Account 1580, sub-account CBR Class B.<sup>13</sup>
- London Hydro agreed to withdraw its request to dispose of Accounts 1580, 1580
   CBR Class B, 1588, and 1589 balances in the current proceeding.<sup>14</sup>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>8</sup> Report of the OEB – "Electricity Distributors' Deferral and Variance Account Review Initiative (EDDVAR)." EB-2008-0046, July 31, 2009

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>9</sup> OEB letter, "Update to the Electricity Distributors' Deferral and Variance Account Review ("EDDVAR Report"), released July 2009 (EB-2008-0246)", issued July 25, 2014

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>10</sup> Staff Question - 5, December 7, 2022

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>11</sup> Staff Question- 10, February 6, 2023

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>12</sup> Staff Question- 10, Staff Question- 12, February 6, 2023

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>13</sup> Staff Question- 11, February 6, 2023

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>14</sup> Staff Question- 11, February 6, 2023

- London Hydro agreed to the disposition of the remaining Group 1 balances (i.e., Accounts 1551, 1584, 1586, and 1595) on an interim basis.<sup>15</sup>
- London Hydro noted that Account 1568 should be disposed on an interim basis but clarified in an email response that it is instead requesting final disposition of Account 1568 in this proceeding.<sup>16</sup>
- In its next rate application, London Hydro will provide dollar amount adjustments (principal and interest) related to the Identified Issue for each DVA and for each period impacted (2015 to 2022), including those where the DVA was approved on a final basis.<sup>17</sup>
- For both components of the Identified Issue, London Hydro addressed the four factors<sup>18</sup> which the OEB may consider whether to make a retroactive adjustment, in accordance with an OEB letter regarding such adjustments (the Retroactive Letter).<sup>19</sup>

The 2021 year-end net balance for London Hydro's Group 1 accounts eligible for disposition, including interest projected to April 30, 2023, is a debit of \$3,903,970, and pertains to variances accumulated during the 2021 calendar year. This amount represents a total claim of \$0.0013 per kWh which exceeds the disposition threshold. London Hydro has requested the disposition of this amount over a one-year period and on an interim basis.

In accordance with London Hydro's responses to OEB staff follow-up questions, the debit Group 1 balance of \$3,903,970 proposed to be disposed in the current proceeding excludes balances relating to the following accounts:

- Account 1580
- Account 1580, sub-account CBR Class B
- Account 1588
- Account 1589

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>15</sup> Staff Question- 11, February 6, 2023

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>16</sup> Staff Question- 11, February 6, 2023; Email from London Hydro, February 17, 2023

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>17</sup> Staff Question- 12, February 6, 2023

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>18</sup> The four factors are:

<sup>•</sup> Whether the error was within the control of the distributor

<sup>•</sup> The frequency with which the distributor has made the same error

<sup>•</sup> Failure to follow guidance provided by the OEB

<sup>•</sup> The degree to which other distributors are making similar errors

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>19</sup> Staff Question- 12, February 6, 2023; OEB Letter, Adjustments to Correct for Errors in Electricity Distributor "Pass-Through" Variance Accounts After Disposition, October 31, 2019

## **Findings**

The balances proposed for disposition reconcile with the amounts reported as part of the OEB's *Electricity Reporting and Record-Keeping Requirements*.

The OEB approves the disposition of a debit balance of \$3,903,970 as of December 31, 2021, including interest projected to April 30, 2023, for Group 1 accounts on an interim basis. The OEB has determined that interim disposition of these balances (i.e., Accounts 1551, 1584, 1586, and 1595) is appropriate in the event that there are changes required to these balances after resolving the Identified Issue and its impact on the DVA balances. The OEB has also determined that no disposition of Account 1580, Account 1580 sub-account CBR Class B, Account 1588, and Account 1589 is appropriate at this time, as London Hydro has not finished resolving the Identified Issue.

The OEB agrees that London Hydro shall provide the dollar amount adjustments (principal and interest) related to the Identified Issue for each DVA and for each period impacted (2015 to 2022), in its next rate application (for rates effective May 1, 2024). These DVA balances shall include those that were previously approved on a final basis.

Also in its next rate application, London Hydro should confirm that the balances in Account 1580, Account 1580 sub-account CBR Class B, Account 1588, and Account 1589 that will be requested for disposition are accurate and have been adjusted accordingly based on the results of resolving the Identified Issue. London Hydro shall provide supporting explanations for each adjustment. Sufficient detail shall be filed with the OEB to support balances proposed for disposition.

The OEB finds that for both components of the Identified Issue, the distributor shall reiterate in its next rate application how it has addressed the four factors which the OEB may consider whether to make a retroactive adjustment, in accordance with the Retroactive Letter. In the next rate proceeding, the OEB may determine whether to approve any retroactive adjustments based on the particular circumstances of London Hydro's case.

Table 6.1 identifies the principal and interest amounts, which the OEB approves for disposition.

**Table 6.1: Group 1 Deferral and Variance Account Balances** 

Account Name	Account Number	Principal Balance (\$) A	Interest Balance (\$) B	Total Claim (\$) C=A+B
Smart Metering Entity Charge Variance	1551	(91,417)	(3,075)	(94,493)
RSVA - Retail Transmission Network Charge	1584	3,229,644	113,378	3,343,022
RSVA - Retail Transmission Connection Charge	1586	771,463	25,439	796,902
Disposition and Recovery/Refund of Regulatory Balances (2018)	1595	(156,727)	15,267	(141,460)
Total for Group 1 accounts		3,752,963	151,008	3,903,970

The balance of each of the Group 1 accounts approved for disposition shall be transferred to the applicable principal and carrying charge sub-accounts of Account 1595. Such transfer shall be pursuant to the requirements specified in the *Accounting Procedures Handbook for Electricity Distributors*. <sup>20</sup> The date of the transfer must be the same as the effective date for the associated rates, which is generally the start of the rate year.

The OEB approves these balances to be disposed through interim rate riders, charges, or payments, as calculated in the Rate Generator Model. The interim rate riders, charges, and payments, as applicable, will be in effect over a one-year period from May 1, 2023, to April 30, 2024.<sup>21</sup>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>20</sup> Article 220, Account Descriptions, Accounting Procedures Handbook for Electricity Distributors, effective January 1, 2012

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>21</sup> 2023 IRM Rate Generator Model Tab 6.1 GA, Tab 6.1a GA Allocation, Tab 6.2 CBR B, Tab 6.2a CBR B\_Allocation and Tab 7 Calculation of Def-Var RR

# 7. LOST REVENUE ADJUSTMENT MECHANISM VARIANCE ACCOUNT

The OEB has historically utilized a Lost Revenue Adjustment Mechanism Variance Account (LRAMVA) to capture a distributor's revenue implications resulting from differences between actual and forecast conservation and demand management (CDM) savings included in its last OEB-approved load forecast. The use of the LRAMVA is no longer the default approach for CDM activities.<sup>22</sup>

Distributors delivered CDM programs to their customers through the Conservation First Framework (CFF) that began on January 1, 2015, until March 20, 2019, when the CFF was revoked.<sup>23</sup>

Distributors filing an application for 2023 rates are required to seek disposition of all outstanding LRAMVA balances related to program savings related to CFF programs or other conservation programs they delivered unless they do not have complete information on eligible program savings.<sup>24</sup>

London Hydro has applied to dispose of its LRAMVA debit balance of \$1,235,085. The balance consists of lost revenues from 2020 to 2021 from CDM programs delivered during the period from 2011 to 2021 and carrying charges. London Hydro is requesting disposition over a 1-year period and on a final basis.<sup>25</sup> The actual conservation savings claimed by London Hydro under the CFF were validated with reports from the IESO, project-level savings files, or both.

Actual conservation savings were compared against London Hydro's forecasted conservation savings of 45,191,286 kWh for 2013 to 2016<sup>26</sup> and 70,113,851 kWh for 2017 to 2021 as included in its OEB-approved load forecasts.<sup>27</sup>

Distributors are also eligible under the LRAM for persisting impacts of conservation programs until their next rebasing. The OEB provided direction for distributors to seek approval of LRAM-eligible amounts for 2023 onwards on a prospective basis, and a rate

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>22</sup> Conservation and Demand Management Guidelines for Electricity Distributors, December 20, 2021, chapter 8.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>23</sup> On March 20, 2019 the Minister of Energy, Northern Development and Mines issued separate Directives to the OEB and the IESO.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>24</sup> Chapter 3 Filing Requirements, section 3.2.6.1

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>25</sup> Email from London Hydro, February 17, 2023

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>26</sup> EB-2012-0146, Decision and Order, April 11, 2013

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>27</sup> EB-2016-0091, Decision and Rate Order, March 23, 2017

rider in the corresponding rate year, to address amounts that would otherwise be recorded in the LRAMVA for all years until their next rebasing application.<sup>28</sup>

London Hydro did not apply for approval of any LRAM-eligible amounts on a prospective basis, arising from persisting savings from completed CDM programs. London Hydro confirms they are not aware of any material LRAM-eligible CDM activity impacts that would result from CDM activities funded through the Conservation First Framework or Interim Framework that was not built into its 2022 Cost of Service filing. As such, London Hydro confirms they will not be seeking any further disposition of LRAMVA for any year beyond 2021.

## **Findings**

The OEB finds that London Hydro's LRAMVA balance has been calculated in accordance with the OEB's CDM-related guidelines and updated LRAMVA policy. The OEB approves the disposition of London Hydro's LRAMVA debit balance of \$1,235,085 on a final basis, as set out in Table 7.1 below.

Actual **Forecasted** Carrying CDM Total Account Account **CDM Savings** Savings Charges (\$) Claim (\$) **Name** Number (\$) C D=(A-B)+C (\$) В 2,359,138 1,169,687 45,635 1,235,085 1568 **LRAMVA** 

Table 7.1 LRAMVA Balance for Disposition

The balance in the LRAMVA is now zero, and no further entries to the LRAMVA are permitted at this time. The LRAMVA will not be discontinued, in the event that London Hydro requests the use of the LRAMVA for a CDM activity in a future application, which the OEB will consider on a case-by-case basis.<sup>29</sup>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>28</sup> <u>Guidance on Prospective Lost Revenue Adjustment Mechanism (LRAM) Amounts – 2023 Rates, June</u> 16, 2022

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>29</sup> Conservation and Demand Management Guidelines for Electricity Distributors, December 20, 2021, p. 28

## 8. IMPLEMENTATION

This Decision is accompanied by a Rate Generator Model, applicable supporting models, and a Tariff of Rates and Charges (Schedule A). The Rate Generator Model also incorporates the rates set out in Table 8.1.

**Table 8.1: Regulatory Charges** 

Rate	per kWh
Rural or Remote Electricity Rate Protection (RRRP)	\$0.0007
Wholesale Market Service (WMS) billed to Class A and B Customers	\$0.0041
Capacity Based Recovery (CBR) billed to Class B Customers	\$0.0004

Each of these rates is a component of the "Regulatory Charge" on a customer's bill, established annually by the OEB through a separate, generic order. The RRRP and WMS rates were set by the OEB on December 8, 2022. 30

The Smart Metering Entity Charge is a component of the "Distribution Charge" on a customer's bill, established by the OEB through a separate order. The Smart Metering Entity Charge was set by the OEB at \$0.42 on September 8, 2022.<sup>31</sup>

In the *Report of the Board: Review of Electricity Distribution Cost Allocation Policy*,<sup>32</sup> the OEB indicated that it will review the default province-wide microFIT charge annually to ensure it continues to reflect actual costs in accordance with the established methodology. On December 8, 2022, the OEB issued a letter advising electricity distributors that the microFIT charge shall remain at \$4.55 for the duration of the 2023 calendar year.<sup>33</sup>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>30</sup> EB-2022-0269, Decision and Order, December 8, 2022

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>31</sup> EB-2022-0137, Decision and Order, September 8, 2022

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>32</sup> EB-2010-0219, Report of the Board "Review of Electricity Distribution Cost Allocation Policy", March 31, 2011

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>33</sup> OEB Letter, issued December 8, 2022

# 9. ORDER

## THE ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD ORDERS THAT

The Tariff of Rates and Charges set out in Schedule A of this Decision and Rate
Order is approved effective May 1, 2023, for electricity consumed or estimated to
have been consumed on and after such date. London Hydro Inc. shall notify its
customers of the rate changes no later than the delivery of the first bill reflecting the
new rates.

**DATED** at Toronto, March 23, 2023

**ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD** 

Nancy Marconi Registrar

# SCHEDULE A DECISION AND RATE ORDER LONDON HYDRO INC. TARIFF OF RATES AND CHARGES EB-2022-0048 MARCH 23, 2023

Effective and Implementation Date May 1, 2023
This schedule supersedes and replaces all previously approved schedules of Rates, Charges and Loss Factors

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#### RESIDENTIAL SERVICE CLASSIFICATION

This classification applies to an account taking electricity at 750 volts or less where the electricity is used exclusively in a separate metered living accommodation. Separately metered dwellings within a town house complex or apartment building also qualify as residential customers. Multi-unit residential establishments such as apartment buildings supplied through one service (bulk meter) shall be classified as General Service. Where electricity service is provided to combined residential and business (including agricultural) usage and the wiring does not provide for separate metering, the classification shall be at the discretion of London Hydro and should be based on such considerations as the estimated predominant consumption. Non IESO generation accounts, primarily net-metered accounts taking electricity at 750 volts or less where the electricity is used exclusively in a separate metered living accommodation shall be classified as residential. Class B consumers are defined in accordance with O. Reg. 429/04. Further servicing details are available in London Hydro's Conditions of Service.

#### **APPLICATION**

The application of these rates and charges shall be in accordance with the Licence of the Distributor and any Code or Order of the Ontario Energy Board, and amendments thereto as approved by the Ontario Energy Board, which may be applicable to the administration of this schedule.

No rates and charges for the distribution of electricity and charges to meet the costs of any work or service done or furnished for the purpose of the distribution of electricity shall be made except as permitted by this schedule, unless required by the Distributor's Licence or a Code or Order of the Ontario Energy Board, and amendments thereto as approved by the Ontario Energy Board, or as specified herein.

Unless specifically noted, this schedule does not contain any charges for the electricity commodity, be it under the Regulated Price Plan, a contract with a retailer or the wholesale market price, as applicable. In addition, the charges in the MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES - Regulatory Component of this schedule do not apply to a customer that is an embedded wholesale market participant.

It should be noted that this schedule does not list any charges, assessments, or credits that are required by law to be invoiced by a distributor and that are not subject to Ontario Energy Board approval, such as the Global Adjustment and the HST.

#### **MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES - Delivery Component**

Standard Supply Service - Administrative Charge (if applicable)

Service Charge	\$	28.39		
Smart Metering Entity Charge - effective until December 31, 2027	\$	0.42		
Rate Rider for Disposition of Deferral/Variance Accounts (2023) - effective until April 30, 2024 - Approved on an interim basis	\$/kWh	0.0012		
Retail Transmission Rate - Network Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0102		
Retail Transmission Rate - Line and Transformation Connection Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0076		
MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES - Regulatory Component				
Wholesale Market Service Rate (WMS) - not including CBR	\$/kWh	0.0041		
Capacity Based Recovery (CBR) - Applicable for Class B Customers	\$/kWh	0.0004		
Rural or Remote Electricity Rate Protection Charge (RRRP)	\$/kWh	0.0007		

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#### GENERAL SERVICE LESS THAN 50 KW SERVICE CLASSIFICATION

This classification applies to a non-residential account taking electricity at 750 volts or less whose average monthly maximum demand is less than, or is forecast to be less than, 50 kW. Multi-unit residential establishments such as apartment buildings supplied through one service (bulk meter) shall be classified as General Service. Where electricity service is provided to combined residential and business (including agricultural) usage and the wiring does not provide for separate metering, the classification shall be at the discretion of London Hydro and should be based on such considerations as the estimated predominant consumption. Class B consumers are defined in accordance with O. Reg. 429/04. Further servicing details are available in London Hydro's Conditions of Service.

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Service Charge	\$	32.52			
Smart Metering Entity Charge - effective until December 31, 2027	\$	0.42			
Distribution Volumetric Rate	\$/kWh	0.0140			
Rate Rider for Disposition of Lost Revenue Adjustment Mechanism Variance Account (LRAMVA) (2023)					
- effective until April 30, 2024	\$/kWh	0.0008			
Rate Rider for Disposition of Deferral/Variance Accounts (2023) - effective until April 30, 2024					
- Approved on an interim basis	\$/kWh	0.0013			
Retail Transmission Rate - Network Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0095			
Retail Transmission Rate - Line and Transformation Connection Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0068			
MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES - Regulatory Component					
Wholesale Market Service Rate (WMS) - not including CBR	\$/kWh	0.0041			
Capacity Based Recovery (CBR) - Applicable for Class B Customers	\$/kWh	0.0004			
Rural or Remote Electricity Rate Protection Charge (RRRP)	\$/kWh	0.0007			
Standard Supply Service - Administrative Charge (if applicable)	\$	0.25			

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#### **GENERAL SERVICE 50 TO 4,999 KW SERVICE CLASSIFICATION**

This classification applies to a non residential account whose average monthly maximum demand used for billing purposes is equal to or greater than, or is forecast to be equal to or greater than, 50 kW but less than 5,000 kW. Note that for the determination of the billing demand and the application of the Retail Transmission Rate - Network Service Rate and the Retail Transmission Rate - Line and Transformation Connection Service Rate the following sub-classifications apply:

General Service 50 to 199 kW non-interval metered

General Service 50 to 4,999 kW interval metered.

Class A and Class B consumers are defined in accordance with O. Reg. 429/04. Further servicing details are available in London Hydro's Conditions of Service.

#### **APPLICATION**

The application of these rates and charges shall be in accordance with the Licence of the Distributor and any Code or Order of the Ontario Energy Board, and amendments thereto as approved by the Ontario Energy Board, which may be applicable to the administration of this schedule.

No rates and charges for the distribution of electricity and charges to meet the costs of any work or service done or furnished for the purpose of the distribution of electricity shall be made except as permitted by this schedule, unless required by the Distributor's Licence or a Code or Order of the Ontario Energy Board, and amendments thereto as approved by the Ontario Energy Board, or as specified herein.

Unless specifically noted, this schedule does not contain any charges for the electricity commodity, be it under the Regulated Price Plan, a contract with a retailer or the wholesale market price, as applicable. In addition, the charges in the MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES - Regulatory Component of this schedule do not apply to a customer that is an embedded wholesale market participant.

If included in the following listing of monthly rates and charges, the rate rider for the disposition of WMS - Sub-account CBR Class B is not applicable to wholesale market participants (WMP), customers that transitioned between Class A and Class B during the variance account accumulation period, or to customers that were in Class A for the entire period. Customers who transitioned are to be charged or refunded their share of the variance disposed through customer specific billing adjustments. This rate rider is to be consistently applied for the entire period to the sunset date of the rate rider. In addition, this rate rider is applicable to all new Class B customers.

If included in the following listing of monthly rates and charges, the rate rider for the disposition of Global Adjustment is only applicable to non-RPP Class B customers. It is not applicable to wholesale market participants (WMP), customers that transitioned between Class A and Class B during the variance account accumulation period, or to customers that were in Class A for the entire period. Customers who transitioned are to be charged or refunded their share of the variance disposed through customer specific billing adjustments. This rate rider is to be consistently applied for the entire period to the sunset date of the rate rider. In addition, this rate rider is applicable to all new non-RPP Class B customers.

It should be noted that this schedule does not list any charges, assessments, or credits that are required by law to be invoiced by a distributor and that are not subject to Ontario Energy Board approval, such as the Global Adjustment and the HST.

Service Charge	\$	158.82
Distribution Volumetric Rate	\$/kW	3.3456
Rate Rider for Disposition of Lost Revenue Adjustment Mechanism Variance Account (LRAMVA) (2023)		
- effective until April 30, 2024	\$/kW	0.3615
Rate Rider for Disposition of Deferral/Variance Accounts (2023) - effective until April 30, 2024		
- Approved on an interim basis	\$/kW	0.4762
Retail Transmission Rate - Network Service Rate	\$/kW	4.2744
Retail Transmission Rate - Line and Transformation Connection Service Rate	\$/kW	3.4156
MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES - Regulatory Component		
Wholesale Market Service Rate (WMS) - not including CBR	\$/kWh	0.0041
Capacity Based Recovery (CBR) - Applicable for Class B Customers	\$/kWh	0.0004
Rural or Remote Electricity Rate Protection Charge (RRRP)	\$/kWh	0.0007
Standard Supply Service - Administrative Charge (if applicable)	\$	0.25

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#### GENERAL SERVICE 1,000 TO 4,999 KW (CO-GENERATION) SERVICE

Embedded generation, co-generation or load displacement customers have the option to reserve demand capacity on the London Hydro distribution system for import load through mutual agreement/contract. For the embedded generation customers with a gross peak demand annual average of less than 1,000 kW and equal to or greater than 50 kW per month, the General Service 50 to 4,999 kW distribution rates will be applied, as long as there is no requirement for reserve capacity from the customer. For the embedded generation customers with a gross peak demand annual average of less than 50 kW per month, the General Service Less Than 50 kW distribution rates will be applied, as long as there is no requirement for reserve capacity from the customer. Class A and Class B consumers are defined in accordance with O. Reg. 429/04. Further servicing details are available in London Hydro's Conditions of Service.

#### **APPLICATION**

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If included in the following listing of monthly rates and charges, the rate rider for the disposition of WMS - Sub-account CBR Class B is not applicable to wholesale market participants (WMP), customers that transitioned between Class A and Class B during the variance account accumulation period, or to customers that were in Class A for the entire period. Customers who transitioned are to be charged or refunded their share of the variance disposed through customer specific billing adjustments. This rate rider is to be consistently applied for the entire period to the sunset date of the rate rider. In addition, this rate rider is applicable to all new Class B customers.

If included in the following listing of monthly rates and charges, the rate rider for the disposition of Global Adjustment is only applicable to non-RPP Class B customers. It is not applicable to wholesale market participants (WMP), customers that transitioned between Class A and Class B during the variance account accumulation period, or to customers that were in Class A for the entire period. Customers who transitioned are to be charged or refunded their share of the variance disposed through customer specific billing adjustments. This rate rider is to be consistently applied for the entire period to the sunset date of the rate rider. In addition, this rate rider is applicable to all new non-RPP Class B customers.

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Service Charge	\$	933.18
Distribution Volumetric Rate is applied to billed demand in excess of contracted amount (e.g. nameplate rating of the generation facility)	\$/kW	2.2399
Rate Rider for Disposition of Lost Revenue Adjustment Mechanism Variance Account (LRAMVA) (2023) - effective until April 30, 2024	\$/kW	0.2441
Rate Rider for Disposition of Deferral/Variance Accounts (2023) - effective until April 30, 2024 - Approved on an interim basis	\$/kW	0.1813
Retail Transmission Rate - Network Service Rate	\$/kW	4.9344
Retail Transmission Rate - Line and Transformation Connection Service Rate	\$/kW	3.6130
MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES - Regulatory Component		
Wholesale Market Service Rate (WMS) - not including CBR	\$/kWh	0.0041
Capacity Based Recovery (CBR) - Applicable for Class B Customers	\$/kWh	0.0004
Rural or Remote Electricity Rate Protection Charge (RRRP)	\$/kWh	0.0007
Standard Supply Service - Administrative Charge (if applicable)	\$	0.25

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#### STANDBY POWER SERVICE CLASSIFICATION

This classification refers to an account that has Load Displacement Generation and requires London Hydro to provide backup service. The distribution Standby Power rate will be applied to all monthly kW's reserved. Further servicing details are available in London Hydro's Conditions of Service.

#### **APPLICATION**

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If included in the following listing of monthly rates and charges, the rate rider for the disposition of WMS - Sub-account CBR Class B is not applicable to wholesale market participants (WMP), customers that transitioned between Class A and Class B during the variance account accumulation period, or to customers that were in Class A for the entire period. Customers who transitioned are to be charged or refunded their share of the variance disposed through customer specific billing adjustments. This rate rider is to be consistently applied for the entire period to the sunset date of the rate rider. In addition, this rate rider is applicable to all new Class B customers.

If included in the following listing of monthly rates and charges, the rate rider for the disposition of Global Adjustment is only applicable to non-RPP Class B customers. It is not applicable to wholesale market participants (WMP), customers that transitioned between Class A and Class B during the variance account accumulation period, or to customers that were in Class A for the entire period. Customers who transitioned are to be charged or refunded their share of the variance disposed through customer specific billing adjustments. This rate rider is to be consistently applied for the entire period to the sunset date of the rate rider. In addition, this rate rider is applicable to all new non-RPP Class B customers.

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Standby Charge is applied to the contracted amount (e.g. nameplate rating of the generation facility).	\$/kW	3.6305
Rate Rider for Disposition of Lost Revenue Adjustment Mechanism Variance Account (LRAMVA) (2023) - effective until April 30, 2024	\$/kW	0.2441
Rate Rider for Disposition of Deferral/Variance Accounts (2023) - effective until April 30, 2024 - Approved on an interim basis	\$/kW	0.2605

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#### LARGE USE SERVICE CLASSIFICATION

This classification applies to an account whose average monthly maximum demand used for billing purposes is equal to or greater than, or is forecast to be equal to or greater than, 5,000 kW. Class A and Class B consumers are defined in accordance with O. Reg. 429/04. Further servicing details are available in London Hydro's Conditions of Service.

#### **APPLICATION**

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If included in the following listing of monthly rates and charges, the rate rider for the disposition of WMS - Sub-account CBR Class B is not applicable to wholesale market participants (WMP), customers that transitioned between Class A and Class B during the variance account accumulation period, or to customers that were in Class A for the entire period. Customers who transitioned are to be charged or refunded their share of the variance disposed through customer specific billing adjustments. This rate rider is to be consistently applied for the entire period to the sunset date of the rate rider. In addition, this rate rider is applicable to all new Class B customers.

If included in the following listing of monthly rates and charges, the rate rider for the disposition of Global Adjustment is only applicable to non-RPP Class B customers. It is not applicable to wholesale market participants (WMP), customers that transitioned between Class A and Class B during the variance account accumulation period, or to customers that were in Class A for the entire period. Customers who transitioned are to be charged or refunded their share of the variance disposed through customer specific billing adjustments. This rate rider is to be consistently applied for the entire period to the sunset date of the rate rider. In addition, this rate rider is applicable to all new non-RPP Class B customers.

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Service Charge	\$	20,472.43
Distribution Volumetric Rate	\$/kW	2.8258
Rate Rider for Disposition of Lost Revenue Adjustment Mechanism Variance Account (LRAMVA) (2023) - effective until April 30, 2024	\$/kW	(0.8241)
Rate Rider for Disposition of Deferral/Variance Accounts (2023) - effective until April 30, 2024	0.111	
- Approved on an interim basis	\$/kW	0.7047
Retail Transmission Rate - Network Service Rate - Interval Metered	\$/kW	4.3786
Retail Transmission Rate - Line and Transformation Connection Service Rate - Interval Metered	\$/kW	3.4156
MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES - Regulatory Component		
Wholesale Market Service Rate (WMS) - not including CBR	\$/kWh	0.0041
Capacity Based Recovery (CBR) - Applicable for Class B Customers	\$/kWh	0.0004
Rural or Remote Electricity Rate Protection Charge (RRRP)	\$/kWh	0.0007
Standard Supply Service - Administrative Charge (if applicable)	\$	0.25

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## STREET LIGHTING SERVICE CLASSIFICATION

This classification applies to an account for roadway lighting with a Municipality, Regional Municipality, Ministry of Transportation and private roadway lighting, controlled by photo cells. The consumption for these customers will be based on the calculated connected load times the required lighting times established in the approved Ontaro Energy Board street lighting load shape template. Further servicing details are available in London Hydro's Conditions of Service.

#### **APPLICATION**

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Service Charge (per connection)	\$	1.80
Distribution Volumetric Rate	\$/kW	10.7919
Rate Rider for Disposition of Lost Revenue Adjustment Mechanism Variance Account (LRAMVA) (2023) - effective until April 30, 2024	\$/kW	(5.9629)
Rate Rider for Disposition of Deferral/Variance Accounts (2023) - effective until April 30, 2024 - Approved on an interim basis	\$/kW	0.4474
Retail Transmission Rate - Network Service Rate	\$/kW	2.9349
Retail Transmission Rate - Line and Transformation Connection Service Rate	\$/kW	2.1582
MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES - Regulatory Component		
Wholesale Market Service Rate (WMS) - not including CBR	\$/kWh	0.0041
Capacity Based Recovery (CBR) - Applicable for Class B Customers	\$/kWh	0.0004
Rural or Remote Electricity Rate Protection Charge (RRRP)	\$/kWh	0.0007
Standard Supply Service - Administrative Charge (if applicable)	\$	0.25

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#### SENTINEL LIGHTING SERVICE CLASSIFICATION

This classification refers to accounts that are an unmetered lighting load supplied to a sentinel light. Further servicing details are available in London Hydro's Conditions of Service.

#### **APPLICATION**

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#### **MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES - Delivery Component**

Standard Supply Service - Administrative Charge (if applicable)

Service Charge (per connection)	\$	5.07		
Distribution Volumetric Rate	\$/kW	19.8194		
Rate Rider for Disposition of Deferral/Variance Accounts (2023) - effective until April 30, 2024 - Approved on an interim basis	\$/kW	0.4713		
Retail Transmission Rate - Network Service Rate	\$/kW	2.9387		
Retail Transmission Rate - Line and Transformation Connection Service Rate	\$/kW	2.1612		
MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES - Regulatory Component				
Wholesale Market Service Rate (WMS) - not including CBR	\$/kWh	0.0041		
Capacity Based Recovery (CBR) - Applicable for Class B Customers	\$/kWh	0.0004		
Rural or Remote Electricity Rate Protection Charge (RRRP)	\$/kWh	0.0070		

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#### UNMETERED SCATTERED LOAD SERVICE CLASSIFICATION

This classification applies to an account taking electricity at 750 volts or less whose average monthly maximum demand is less than, or is forecast to be less than, 50 kW and the consumption is unmetered. Such connections include cable TV power packs, bus shelters, telephone booths, traffic lights, railway crossings, etc. The level of the consumption will be agreed to by the distributor and the customer, based on detailed manufacturer information/documentation with regard to electrical consumption of the unmetered load or periodic monitoring of actual consumption. Class B consumers are defined in accordance with O. Reg. 429/04. Further servicing details are available in London Hydro's Conditions of Service.

#### **APPLICATION**

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\$	2.54
\$/kWh	0.0267
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\$/kWh	0.0068
\$/kWh	0.0041
\$/kWh	0.0004
\$/kWh	0.0007
\$	0.25
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#### microFIT SERVICE CLASSIFICATION

This classification applies to an electricity generation facility contracted under the Independent Electricity System Operator's microFIT program and connected to the distributor's distribution system. Further servicing details are available in London Hydro's Conditions of Service.

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#### **MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES - Delivery Component**

Service Charge \$ 4.55

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#### **ALLOWANCES**

Transformer Allowance for Ownership - per kW of billing demand/month	\$/kW	(0.60)
Primary Metering Allowance for Transformer Losses - applied to measured demand & energy	%	(1.00)

#### SPECIFIC SERVICE CHARGES

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CUSTOMER	<b>ADMINISTRATION</b>
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Easement letter	\$	15.00
Special meter reads	\$	30.00
Account set up charge/change of occupancy charge (plus credit agency costs if applicable)	\$	30.00
Returned cheque (plus bank charges)	\$	15.00
Cellular meter read charge	\$	15.00
NON-PAYMENT OF ACCOUNT		
Late payment - per month		
(effective annual rate 19.56% per annum or 0.04896% compounded daily rate)	%	1.50
Reconnection at meter - during regular hours	\$	35.00
Reconnection at meter - after regular hours	\$	185.00
Reconnection at pole - during regular hours	\$	185.00
Reconnection at pole - after regular hours	\$	415.00
OTHER		
Meter interrogation charge	\$	5.50
Temporary service - install & remove - overhead - no transformer	\$	500.00
Temporary service - install & remove - underground - no transformer	\$	300.00
Service call - after regular hours	\$	165.00
Specific charge for access to the power poles - \$/pole/year		
(with the exception of wireless attachments)	\$	36.05

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## **RETAIL SERVICE CHARGES (if applicable)**

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Retail Service Charges refer to services provided by a distributor to retailers or customers related to the supply of competitive electricity.

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One-time charge, per retailer, to establish the service agreement between the distributor and the retailer	\$	111.66
Monthly Fixed Charge, per retailer	\$	44.67
Monthly Variable Charge, per customer, per retailer	\$/cust.	1.11
Distributor-consolidated billing monthly charge, per customer, per retailer	\$/cust.	0.66
Retailer-consolidated billing monthly credit, per customer, per retailer	\$/cust.	(0.66)
Service Transaction Requests (STR)		
Request fee, per request, applied to the requesting party	\$	0.56
Processing fee, per request, applied to the requesting party	\$	1.11
Request for customer information as outlined in Section 10.6.3 and Chapter 11 of the Retail		
Settlement Code directly to retailers and customers, if not delivered electronically through the		
Electronic Business Transaction (EBT) system, applied to the requesting party		
Up to twice a year	\$	no charge
More than twice a year, per request (plus incremental delivery costs)	\$	4.47
Notice of switch letter charge, per letter (unless the distributor has opted out of applying the charge as per the		
Ontario Energy Board's Decision and Order EB-2015-0304, issued on February 14, 2019)	\$	2.23

#### **LOSS FACTORS**

If the distributor is not capable of prorating changed loss factors jointly with distribution rates, the revised loss factors will be implemented upon the first subsequent billing for each billing cycle.

Total Loss Factor - Secondary Metered Customer < 5,000 kW	1.0288
Total Loss Factor - Secondary Metered Customer > 5,000 kW	1.0119
Total Loss Factor - Primary Metered Customer < 5,000 kW	1.0185
Total Loss Factor - Primary Metered Customer > 5,000 kW	1.0016