

Ontario Energy Board  
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Attention Board Secretary

RE proceeding EB-2008-0265

Dear Energy Review Board.

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I am strongly rejecting, contesting, opposing the plan by the weasely Mississauga Hydro of charging back the cost of smart meters to their customers. I never asked for new meters and in fact I believe they are costing me more money as it enables them, Mississauga hydro the ability to charge a premium on hydro. And now they want to turn around and stick it to us the consumer one more time by charging us the cost of these new meters that enable them to charge us more in the first place! I also want to applaud their understanding of public apathy but doing their due diligence in putting the notice in the local news paper requiring the consumer to fill in both a snail mail letter of protest and an electronic one. This will undoubtedly shut out a large percentage of readers who do not like snail mail or those who do not like electronic forms of communication.

I wish these absurd charges would stop - I have, in addition to two usage charges: one at a nominal fee, the other at a premium (now thanks to the smart meters for which you want me to pay for), A deliver charge based on who knows what, and a regulatory charge, and a debt retirement charge and then on top of it all GST!! Would you Mississauga Hydro like a quart of blood? My first born? or enslavement till I keel over from over work and die???

Thank you.... I hope my opposition to the application is noted.

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