Board Staff Interrogatory #6

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Ref: (1) Application for an Accounting Order, p. 11
(2) Chapter 2 Filing Requirements for Electricity Distribution Rate Applications – 2022 Edition for 2023 Rate Applications, April 18, 2022, p. 65

Preamble:

OPG has indicated in Reference 1 that, "the prudence of any costs recorded would be determined in a separate process, are appropriate to be recorded in a variance account pending the consideration of prudence since these compensation costs reflect costs necessary for the continued operation of OPG's nuclear facilities".

Question(s):

a) Please clarify the "separate process" mentioned in the statement of "the prudence of any costs recorded would be determined in a separate process".

Response

a) The reference to the "separate process" means a future OPG application in which OPG would provide a proposal for the disposition of amounts recorded in the proposed variance account.