

# Elson Advocacy

October 6, 2023

**BY RESS**

**Nancy Marconi**

Registrar

Ontario Energy Board

2300 Yonge Street, Suite 2700, P.O. Box 2319

Toronto, Ontario M4P 1E4

Dear Ms. Marconi:

**Re: EB-2022-0156 – Enbridge Gas Inc. – Selwyn Pipeline Project**  
**EB-2022-0248 – Enbridge Gas Inc. – Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte First**  
**Nation Pipeline Project**  
**EB-2022-0249 – Enbridge Gas Inc. – Hidden Valley Pipeline Project**

Enclosed please find the cost claims of Environmental Defence in the above matters.

Yours truly,



Kent Elson

cc: Applicant

# EB-2022-0248 : 1 : Kent Elson

COST CLAIM NUMBER  
1654

SUBMISSION DEADLINE DATE  
October 06, 2023

CLAIM STATUS  
Approved by Finance

EB#  
EB-2022-0248: Facilities: Leave to Construct  
(New): Enbridge Gas Inc.

OTHER EB#S

PHASE #\*  
1

INTERVENOR  
Elson, Kent; +1 (416) 906-7305  
kent@elsonadvocacy.ca

INTERVENOR COMPANY\*  
Environmental Defence Canada  
Inc., Toronto: Corporation

INTERVENOR TYPE  
Full Registrant

HST RATE ONTARIO  
13.00

EXCHANGE RATE

COUNTRY

HST NUMBER  
872151923RT0001

LATE SUBMISSION ALLOWED  
No

EXTENSION DEADLINE DATE

## PARTICIPANTS

<u>New</u>	<u>Non-Filing Participant First, Last Name</u>	<u>Filing Participant</u>	<u>Total (\$)</u>	<u>Total Hours</u>	<u>Participant Claim Status</u>
No	,	Montgomery, Amanda; +1 (416) 906-7305 amanda@elsonadvocacy.ca	57.63	0.30	Submitted
No	,	Elson, Kent; +1 (416) 906-7305 kent@elsonadvocacy.ca	5,210.43	15.90	Submitted

## ATTACHMENTS

<u>Attachment</u>	<u>Document Type</u>	<u>Import Message</u>
ED_CvrLtrCosts_20231006.pdf	Cover Letter	
ED EB-2022-0248 Cost Claim 100620231426.pdf		

TOTAL LEGAL/CONSULTANT/OTHER FEES  
4,662.00

TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS  
0.00

TOTAL HST  
606.06

TOTAL CLAIM  
5,268.06

TOTAL AMOUNT AWARDED

TOTAL HOURS CLAIMED  
16.20

TOTAL HOURS DISALLOWED

REASON FOR  
DISALLOWANCE

REASON FOR  
DISALLOWANCE - 2

REASON FOR  
DISALLOWANCE - 3

MAKE CHEQUE PAYABLE TO  
Elson Advocacy

SEND PAYMENT TO ADDRESS  
1062 College Street  
Toronto, Ontario  
M6H1A9

ATTENTION

**SUBMIT SECTION**

I am a representative of the Party. I have examined all of the documentation in support of this cost claim. The costs incurred and time spent are directly related to the Party's participation in the OEB Process referred to above.

This cost claim does not include any costs for work done, or time spent, by a person that is an employee or officer of the Party as described in section 6.05 and 6.09 of the OEB's Practice Direction on Cost Awards.

The information (fees and disbursements) filed in this cost claim is complete and accurate and in accordance with the OEB's Practice Direction for Cost Awards and Appendix A, the Cost Awards Tariff.

SUBMITTED BY  
Kent Elson

DATE SUBMITTED  
October 06, 2023

<b>CASE</b> EB-2022-0248: Facilities: Leave to Construct (New): Enbridge Gas Inc.	<b>COST CLAIM</b> EB-2022-0248 : 1 : Kent Elson	<b>INTERVENOR NAME</b> Elson, Kent; +1 (416) 906-7305 kent@elsonadvocacy.ca	<b>PARTICIPANT CLAIM STATUS</b> Submitted
<b>FILING PARTICIPANT</b> Montgomery, Amanda; +1 (416) 906-7305 amanda@elsonadvocacy.ca	<b>NEW PARTICIPANT</b> No	<b>NON-FILING PARTICIPANT F. NAME</b>	<b>NON-FILING PARTICIPANT L. NAME</b>
<b>SERVICE PROVIDER TYPE*</b> Legal Counsel	<b>YEAR CALLED TO BAR*</b> 2020	<b>COMPLETED YEARS PRACTICING/YEARS OF RELEVANT EXPERIENCE*</b> 3	<b>HOURLY RATE</b> 170
<b>HST RATE CHARGED*</b> 13.00	<b>CV STATUS (FOR CONSULTANT/ANALYST)</b> CV Required	<b>LAST CV DATE</b>	<b>OVERRIDE HOURLY RATE</b> No
<b>HST NUMBER</b> 872151923RT0001	<b>HEARINGS</b> Yes	<b>CONSULTATIONS</b> No	<b>DISBURSEMENTS</b> No

**HEARINGS**

<b>Hearings Hours</b> 0.30	<b>Hearings Subtotal (\$)</b> 51.00	<b>Hearings Total Tax (\$)</b> 6.63	<b>Hearings Total (\$)</b> 57.63
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<u>Name</u>	<u>Hours</u>	<u>Hourly Rate</u>	<u>Sub Total</u>	<u>HST Rate</u>	<u>HST</u>	<u>Total</u>
<b>REVIEW APPLICATION AND EVIDENCE</b>						
Review Application and Evidence	0.30	170	51.00	13.00	6.63	57.63
<b>DISCOVERY</b>						
Preparation of Interrogatories		170		13.00		
Review Interrogatory Responses		170		13.00		
Technical Conference Preparation		170		13.00		
Technical Conference Attendance		170		13.00		
Technical Conference Follow Up		170		13.00		
<b>ISSUES LIST</b>						
Preparation		170		13.00		
Attendance at Issues Conference		170		13.00		
<b>INTERVENOR EVIDENCE</b>						
Preparation		170		13.00		
Interrogatory Responses		170		13.00		
Preparation of Witness(es) for Attendance at Hearing		170		13.00		
<b>SETTELEMENT CONFERENCE / ADR</b>						
Preparation		170		13.00		
Attendance		170		13.00		

<u>Name</u>	<u>Hours</u>	<u>Hourly Rate</u>	<u>Sub Total</u>	<u>HST Rate</u>	<u>HST</u>	<u>Total</u>
Preparation of Settlement Proposal		170		13.00		
Attendance at Presentation to Panel		170		13.00		
<b>ORAL HEARING</b>						
Preparation		170		13.00		
Attendance at Oral Hearing		170		13.00		
<b>SUBMISSIONS</b>						
Written Submissions		170		13.00		
Oral Submissions		170		13.00		
Attendance at Oral Submissions		170		13.00		
<b>OTHER ATTENDANCE</b>						
Other Attendance		170		13.00		
<b>COMMUNICATION</b>						
With Client		170		13.00		
With Other Parties		170		13.00		
<b>MOTIONS</b>						
Preparation of Motion(s) Materials		170		13.00		
Prepare Submissions on the Motion(s)		170		13.00		
Attendance at Hearing on Motion(s)		170		13.00		
<b>CONFIDENTIALITY</b>						
Preparation of Application for Confidentiality		170		13.00		
Prepare Submissions on Confidentiality		170		13.00		
Attendance at Hearing on Confidentiality		170		13.00		
<b>DECISION</b>						
Review		170		13.00		
<b>RATE ORDER</b>						
Review		170		13.00		
Prepare Submission on Rate Order		170		13.00		
<b>TOTAL SERVICE PROVIDER FEES</b>						
<b>Total Service Provider Fees:</b>		<b>0.30</b>		<b>51.00</b>	<b>6.63</b>	<b>57.63</b>

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1263.pdf	Time Docket and Invoice	

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## Hearings, Consultations, Disbursements Attachments

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## Invoice

Environmental Defence  
33 Cecil Street  
Toronto, ON  
M5T 1N1

October 6, 2023

File #: 0172  
Inv #: 1263

**RE:** EB-2022-0248 - Mohawks of Bay of Quinte Community Expansion Project

<b>DATE</b>	<b>DESCRIPTION</b>	<b>HOURS</b>	<b>LAWYER</b>
Feb 14, 2023	Review materials re MBQ community expansion project; correspond with client; correspond with potential expert	0.50	KE
Feb 15, 2023	Draft and file intervention request	0.30	AM
Feb 17, 2023	Various correspondence with potential expert re MBQ case	0.20	KE
Mar 9, 2023	Finalize and submit evidence request letter	0.20	KE
Mar 10, 2023	Various correspondence	0.40	KE
Mar 28, 2023	Review EG submissions re evidence; prepare response	0.50	KE
Apr 4, 2023	Review application and prepare interrogatories	1.00	KE
Apr 17, 2023	Review procedural order; various correspondence	0.30	KE
Apr 19, 2023	Various communications	0.10	KE
Apr 24, 2023	Prepare notice of motion; prepare correspondence to the OEB re supplemental discovery, etc.	0.80	KE
Apr 25, 2023	Review, finalize, and file correspondence to the OEB and Notice of Motion	0.20	KE

Apr 27, 2023	Prepare supplementary IRs	0.20	KE
Apr 28, 2023	Draft, finalize, serve, and file supplementary IRs	0.90	KE
May 4, 2023	Review interrogatory responses; draft correspondence to Enbridge requesting further and better responses	1.40	KE
May 23, 2023	Review procedural order and diarize deadlines	0.10	KE
May 31, 2023	Review updated IRs	0.20	KE
Jun 7, 2023	Prepare submissions requesting supplementary IRs	1.10	KE
Jun 8, 2023	Various correspondence	0.10	KE
Jun 14, 2023	Prepare submissions re need for further IRs	0.70	KE
Jun 28, 2023	Review procedural order and plan next steps	0.30	KE
Jun 30, 2023	Legal research re review motion; draft correspondence to the OEB re review motion	0.60	KE
Jul 6, 2023	Review Enbridge submissions re summary dismissal of motion; draft response	0.30	KE
Jul 26, 2023	Review procedural order and diarize dates	0.10	KE
Aug 8, 2023	Draft submissions	2.50	KE
Aug 9, 2023	Draft submissions	3.00	KE
Aug 24, 2023	Review reply	0.20	KE
	Total Hours and Fees	16.20	\$4,662.00
	Total HST on Fees		\$606.06
<b>TOTALS</b>			
	Total Fees & Disbursements		\$4,662.00
	Total HST		\$606.06
	Total Fees, Disbursements, & HST		\$5,268.06
	<b>Amount Now Due</b>		<b>\$5,268.06</b>

HST #	75532 3078 RT0001
Total HST	\$606.06



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<b>REVIEW APPLICATION AND EVIDENCE</b>						
Review Application and Evidence	0.50	290	145.00	13.00	18.85	163.85
<b>DISCOVERY</b>						
Preparation of Interrogatories	6.30	290	1,827.00	13.00	237.51	2,064.51
Review Interrogatory Responses		290		13.00		
Technical Conference Preparation		290		13.00		
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Oral Submissions		290		13.00		
Attendance at Oral Submissions		290		13.00		
<b>OTHER ATTENDANCE</b>						
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With Client		290		13.00		
With Other Parties	1.50	290	435.00	13.00	56.55	491.55
<b>MOTIONS</b>						
Preparation of Motion(s) Materials	1.90	290	551.00	13.00	71.63	622.63
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