

# DECISION AND ORDER ON COST AWARDS EB-2023-0033

# INNPOWER CORPORATION

Application for electricity distribution rates and other charges beginning January 1, 2024

**BEFORE:** Allison Duff

**Presiding Commissioner** 

Fred Cass
Commissioner

**February 8, 2024** 

### **OVERVIEW**

InnPower Corporation (InnPower) filed a cost of service application with the Ontario Energy Board (OEB) on May 12, 2023, under section 78 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998*, seeking approval for changes to the rates it charges for electricity distribution, beginning January 1, 2024.

The OEB granted Hydro One Networks Inc., School Energy Coalition (SEC) and Vulnerable Energy Consumers Coalition (VECC) intervenor status. Cost award eligibility was granted to SEC and VECC.

On November 23, 2023, the OEB issued its Decision and Order which among other matters, set out the cost award process.

The OEB received cost claims from SEC and VECC. No objections to the cost claims were received from InnPower.

# **Findings**

The OEB has reviewed the claims filed to ensure that they are compliant with the OEB's *Practice Direction on Cost Awards*.

The OEB finds that the cost claims are reasonable and shall be reimbursed by InnPower.

#### THE ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD ORDERS THAT:

- 1. Pursuant to section 30 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998*, InnPower shall promptly pay the following amounts to the intervenors for their costs:
  - School Energy Coalition

\$29,499.81

• Vulnerable Energy Consumers Coalition

\$22,466.62

**DATED** at Toronto February 8, 2024

## **ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD**

Nancy Marconi Registrar