

VIA RESS

April 7, 2025

Nancy Marconi
Registrar
Ontario Energy Board
2300 Yonge Street, 27th Floor
Toronto, Ontario M4P 1E4

Dear Nancy Marconi:

**Re: Ontario Energy Board
Generic Proceeding on Cost of Capital
Consumers Council of Canada (CCC) Cost Claim
OEB File No. EB-2024-0063**

Please find attached the cost claim for the Consumers Council of Canada for the above noted proceeding. Please note that the cost claim reflects only the incremental costs incurred after September 6, 2024 as directed in the March 27, 2025 Decision and Order.

Payment should be made directly to the Consumers Council of Canada at the following address:

Consumers Council of Canada
201-1920 Yonge Street
Toronto, ON M4S 3E2

Attention: Ken Whitehurst, Executive Director

Yours truly,



Lawrie Gluck
Consultant for the Consumers Council of Canada

EB-2024-0063 : 2 : Lawrie Gluck

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| COST CLAIM NUMBER 2626 | SUBMISSION DEADLINE DATE April 07, 2025 | CLAIM STATUS Approved by Finance |
| EB# EB-2024-0063: Rates: Policy-Related: Ontario Energy Board | OTHER EB#S | PHASE #* 2 |
| INTERVENOR Gluck, Lawrie; +1 (647) 222-7743 lawrie.gluck@northendconsulting.ca | INTERVENOR COMPANY* Consumers Council of Canada, Toronto: Institution | INTERVENOR TYPE Full Registrant |
| HST RATE ONTARIO 13.00 | EXCHANGE RATE | COUNTRY |
| HST NUMBER 140609165 | LATE SUBMISSION ALLOWED No | EXTENSION DEADLINE DATE |

PARTICIPANTS

| | | | Total (\$) | Total Hours | Participant Claim Status |
|-----|---|---|------------|----------------|--------------------------------|
| New | Non-Filing Participant First, Last Name | Filing Participant | | | |
| No | , | Gluck, Lawrie; +1 (647) 222-7743 lawrie.gluck@northendconsu lting.ca | 59,149.85 | 180.50 | Submitted |

ATTACHMENTS

| Attachment | Document Type | Import Message |
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| CCC_Cost_Claim_Cost_of_Capital_20250407.pdf | Cover Letter | |
| CCC EB-2024-0063 Cost Claim 040720251605.pdf | | |

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| TOTAL LEGAL/CONSULTANT/OTHER FEES 52,345.00 | TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS 0.00 | TOTAL HST 6,804.85 |
| TOTAL CLAIM 59,149.85 | TOTAL AMOUNT AWARDED | |
| TOTAL HOURS CLAIMED 180.50 | TOTAL HOURS DISALLOWED | |
| REASON FOR DISALLOWANCE | REASON FOR DISALLOWANCE - 2 | REASON FOR DISALLOWANCE - 3 |

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Consumers Council of Canada

SEND PAYMENT TO ADDRESS
Consumers Council of Canada
201-1920 Yonge Street
Toronto, ON M4S 3E2

ATTENTION
Ken Whitehurst,
Executive Director

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
Lawrie Gluck

DATE SUBMITTED
April 07, 2025

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| CASE EB-2024-0063: Rates: Policy-Related: Ontario Energy Board | COST CLAIM EB-2024-0063 : 2 : Lawrie Gluck | INTERVENOR NAME Gluck, Lawrie; +1 (647) 222-7743 lawrie.gluck@northendconsul ting.ca | PARTICIPANT CLAIM STATUS Submitted |
| FILING PARTICIPANT Gluck, Lawrie; +1 (647) 222-7743 lawrie.gluck@northendconsulting.c a | NEW PARTICIPANT No | NON-FILING PARTICIPANT F. NAME | NON-FILING PARTICIPANT L. NAME |
| SERVICE PROVIDER TYPE* Consultant | YEAR CALLED TO BAR* | COMPLETED YEARS PRACTICING/YEARS OF RELEVANT EXPERIENCE* 16 | HOURLY RATE 290 |
| HST RATE CHARGED* 13.00 | CV STATUS (FOR CONSULTANT/ANALYST) CV Provided within Previous 24 Months | LAST CV DATE January 21, 2025 | OVERRIDE HOURLY RATE No |
| HST NUMBER 140609165 | HEARINGS Yes | CONSULTATIONS No | DISBURSEMENTS No |

HEARINGS

| Hearings Hours | Hearings Subtotal (\$) | Hearings Total Tax (\$) | Hearings Total (\$) | | | |
|--|------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|------------|--------------|
| 180.50 | 52,345.00 | 6,804.85 | 59,149.85 | | | |
| <u>Name</u> | <u>Hours</u> | <u>Hourly Rate</u> | <u>Sub Total</u> | <u>HST Rate</u> | <u>HST</u> | <u>Total</u> |
| DISCOVERY | | | | | | |
| Read and Research Application and Evidence | | 290 | | 13.00 | | |
| Preparation of Interrogatories | | 290 | | 13.00 | | |
| Review Interrogatory Responses | 4.00 | 290 | 1,160.00 | 13.00 | 150.80 | 1,310.80 |
| Technical Conference Preparation | | 290 | | 13.00 | | |
| Technical Conference Attendance | | 290 | | 13.00 | | |
| Technical Conference Follow-up | | 290 | | 13.00 | | |
| Subtotal of DISCOVERY | 4.00 | | 1,160.00 | | 150.80 | 1,310.80 |
| PROCEDURAL | | | | | | |
| Preparation of Issues List Submission | | 290 | | 13.00 | | |
| Attendance at Issues List Conference | | 290 | | 13.00 | | |
| Preparation for a Confidentiality Request | | 290 | | 13.00 | | |
| Prepare Submissions on Confidentiality | | 290 | | 13.00 | | |
| Preparation of Motion(s) Materials | | 290 | | 13.00 | | |
| Prepare Submissions on the Motion(s) | | 290 | | 13.00 | | |
| Attendance at Hearing on Motion(s) | | 290 | | 13.00 | | |
| Review Procedural Documents | | 290 | | 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> |
|--|---------------|------------------------|------------------|---------------------|-----------------|------------------|
| Subtotal of PROCEDURAL | 0.00 | | 0.00 | | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| INTERVENOR EVIDENCE | | | | | | |
| Preparation of Intervenor Evidence | | 290 | | 13.00 | | |
| Interrogatory Responses | | 290 | | 13.00 | | |
| Preparation of Witness(es) for Attendance at Hearing | | 290 | | 13.00 | | |
| Subtotal of INTERVENOR EVIDENCE | 0.00 | | 0.00 | | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| SETTLEMENT CONFERENCE | | | | | | |
| Preparation for Settlement Conference | | 290 | | 13.00 | | |
| Attendance at Settlement Conference | | 290 | | 13.00 | | |
| Preparation of Settlement Proposal | | 290 | | 13.00 | | |
| Attendance at Presentation to Panel | | 290 | | 13.00 | | |
| Subtotal of SETTLEMENT CONFERENCE | 0.00 | | 0.00 | | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| WRITTEN ARGUMENT | | | | | | |
| Written Submissions | 107.00 | 290 | 31,030.00 | 13.00 | 4,033.90 | 35,063.90 |
| Subtotal of WRITTEN ARGUMENT | 107.00 | | 31,030.00 | | 4,033.90 | 35,063.90 |
| ORAL ARGUMENT | | | | | | |
| Preparation for Oral Hearing | 32.50 | 290 | 9,425.00 | 13.00 | 1,225.25 | 10,650.25 |
| Attendance at Oral Hearing | 35.00 | 290 | 10,150.00 | 13.00 | 1,319.50 | 11,469.50 |
| Oral Submissions | | 290 | | 13.00 | | |
| Attendance at Oral Submissions | | 290 | | 13.00 | | |
| Subtotal of ORAL ARGUMENT | 67.50 | | 19,575.00 | | 2,544.75 | 22,119.75 |
| DECISION | | | | | | |
| Review Decision | 2.00 | 290 | 580.00 | 13.00 | 75.40 | 655.40 |
| Review Rate/Accounting Order | | 290 | | 13.00 | | |
| Prepare Submission on Rate Order | | 290 | | 13.00 | | |
| Subtotal of DECISION | 2.00 | | 580.00 | | 75.40 | 655.40 |
| OTHER | | | | | | |
| Other Attendance (e.g., Intervenor Conferences) | | 290 | | 13.00 | | |
| Subtotal of OTHER | 0.00 | | 0.00 | | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| TOTAL SERVICE PROVIDER FEES | | | | | | |
| Total Service Provider Fees | 180.50 | | 52,345.00 | | 6,804.85 | 59,149.85 |

Attachments

| <u>Attachment</u> | <u>Document Type</u> | <u>Import Message</u> |
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| LG_Invoice_20250407.pdf | Time Docket and Invoice | |

Hearings, Consultations, Disbursements Attachments

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| LG_Invoice_20250407.pdf | Time Docket and Invoice | Hearings | |

Invoice

April 7, 2025

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Consumers Council of Canada
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Toronto, Ontario, M4S 3E2

For: OEB Generic Hearing on Cost of Capital (EB-2024-0063) - FINAL

| Date | Description of Activity | Hours | Category |
|-----------|---|-------|----------------|
| 09-Sep-24 | IRR Review | 4 | Discovery |
| 11-Sep-24 | Oral Hearing Prep / Peer Group Research | 2 | Hearing |
| 14-Sep-24 | Oral Hearing Prep / Peer Group Research | 4 | Hearing |
| 16-Sep-24 | Oral Hearing Prep / Peer Group Research | 2 | Hearing |
| 17-Sep-24 | Oral Hearing Prep / Peer Group Research | 2.5 | Hearing |
| 18-Sep-24 | Oral Hearing Prep / Peer Group Research | 2 | Hearing |
| 19-Sep-24 | Oral Hearing Prep / Peer Group Research | 2 | Hearing |
| 21-Sep-24 | Oral Hearing Prep | 5 | Hearing |
| 24-Sep-24 | Oral Hearing Prep | 4.5 | Hearing |
| 25-Sep-24 | Oral Hearing Attendance | 5.5 | Hearing Attend |
| 25-Sep-24 | Oral Hearing Prep | 2.5 | Hearing |
| 26-Sep-24 | Oral Hearing Attendance | 6 | Hearing Attend |
| 26-Sep-24 | Oral Hearing Prep | 2 | Hearing |
| 27-Sep-24 | Oral Hearing Attendance | 6 | Hearing Attend |
| 28-Sep-24 | Oral Hearing Prep | 4 | Hearing |
| 01-Oct-24 | Oral Hearing Attendance | 6 | Hearing Attend |
| 02-Oct-24 | Oral Hearing Attendance | 6 | Hearing Attend |
| 11-Oct-24 | Oral Hearing Attendance | 5.5 | Hearing Attend |
| 17-Oct-24 | Submission Drafting | 3 | Submission |
| 18-Oct-24 | Submission Drafting | 2 | Submission |
| 21-Oct-24 | Submission Drafting | 4 | Submission |
| 22-Oct-24 | Submission Drafting | 5.5 | Submission |
| 23-Oct-24 | Submission Drafting | 7.5 | Submission |
| 24-Oct-24 | Submission Drafting | 2.5 | Submission |
| 25-Oct-24 | Submission Drafting | 5.5 | Submission |

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| 26-Oct-24 | Submission Drafting | 3.5 | Submission |
| 27-Oct-24 | Submission Drafting | 3.5 | Submission |
| 30-Oct-24 | Submission Drafting | 1.5 | Submission |
| 31-Oct-24 | Submission Drafting | 4 | Submission |
| 01-Nov-24 | Submission Drafting | 7 | Submission |
| 03-Nov-24 | Submission Drafting | 3.5 | Submission |
| 04-Nov-24 | Submission Drafting | 5 | Submission |
| 05-Nov-24 | Submission Drafting | 6.5 | Submission |
| 06-Nov-24 | Submission Drafting | 3 | Submission |
| 07-Nov-24 | Submission Drafting | 3.5 | Submission |
| 13-Nov-24 | Reply Submission Drafting | 4.5 | Submission |
| 14-Nov-24 | Reply Submission Drafting | 5.5 | Submission |
| 15-Nov-24 | Reply Submission Drafting | 5 | Submission |
| 16-Nov-24 | Reply Submission Drafting | 3 | Submission |
| 17-Nov-24 | Reply Submission Drafting | 2.5 | Submission |
| 18-Nov-24 | Reply Submission Drafting | 6 | Submission |
| 19-Nov-24 | Reply Submission Drafting | 5 | Submission |
| 24-Nov-24 | Reply Submission Drafting | 2.5 | Submission |
| 26-Nov-24 | Reply Submission Drafting | 1 | Submission |
| 28-Nov-24 | Reply Submission Drafting | 1 | Submission |
| 27-Mar-25 | Decision Review | 2 | Decision Review |
| | | | |
| Total Hours | | 180.5 | |
| Sub-Total (\$290/hour) | | \$ 52,345.00 | |
| HST (13%) | | \$ 6,804.85 | |
| Total | | \$ 59,149.85 | |