

EB-2023-0345 : 1 : Swaberene Baksh

COST CLAIM NUMBER
2718

SUBMISSION DEADLINE DATE
May 15, 2025

CLAIM STATUS
Submitted

EB#
EB-2023-0345: Initiatives: Regulatory Direction
and Oversight: Ontario Energy Board

OTHER EB#S

PHASE #*
1

INTERVENOR
Baksh, Swaberene; +1 (416) 863-0711
sbaksh@willmsshier.com

INTERVENOR COMPANY*
Advocacy Centre for Tenants
Ontario, Toronto:

INTERVENOR TYPE
Tax Exempt

HST RATE ONTARIO
0.00

EXCHANGE RATE

COUNTRY

HST NUMBER

LATE SUBMISSION ALLOWED
No

EXTENSION DEADLINE DATE

PARTICIPANTS

New	Non-Filing Participant First, Last Name	Filing Participant	Total (\$)	Total Hours	Participant Claim Status
No	,	Kwan, Douglas; +1 (416) 597-5855 x.5163 douglas.kwan@acto.clcj.ca	1,485.00	4.50	Submitted

ATTACHMENTS

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InvoiceACTO Cost Claim USMP Framework Discussion EB-2023-0345.pdf	Time Docket and Invoice	

TOTAL LEGAL/CONSULTANT/OTHER FEES
1,485.00

TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS
0.00

TOTAL HST
0.00

TOTAL CLAIM
1,485.00

TOTAL AMOUNT AWARDED

TOTAL HOURS CLAIMED
4.50

TOTAL HOURS DISALLOWED

REASON FOR
DISALLOWANCE

REASON FOR
DISALLOWANCE - 2

REASON FOR
DISALLOWANCE - 3

MAKE CHEQUE PAYABLE TO
Advocacy Centre for Tenants Ontario

SEND PAYMENT TO ADDRESS

1500-55 University Avenue
Toronto, ON M5J 2H7

ATTENTION
Douglas Kwan

SUBMIT SECTION

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SUBMITTED BY
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SERVICE PROVIDER TYPE* Legal Counsel	YEAR CALLED TO BAR* 2002	COMPLETED YEARS PRACTICING/YEARS OF RELEVANT EXPERIENCE* 23	HOURLY RATE 330
HST RATE CHARGED* 0.00	CV STATUS (FOR CONSULTANT/ANALYST) CV Required	LAST CV DATE	OVERRIDE HOURLY RATE No
HST NUMBER	HEARINGS No	CONSULTATIONS Yes	DISBURSEMENTS No

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Time Docket and Invoice

Time Docket

CONSULTATION

Consultation		Consultations		Consultations		Consultations	
Hours		Subtotal (\$)		Total Tax (\$)		Total (\$)	
4.50		1,485.00		0.00		1,485.00	

<u>Description</u>	<u>Maximum</u> <u>Hours</u>	<u>Hours</u>	<u>Hourly</u> <u>Rate</u>	<u>Sub Total</u>	<u>HST Rate</u>	<u>HST</u>	<u>Total</u>
1 Groupn 2 - Preparation and Meeting - May 16, 2024	8.00	4.50	330	1,485.00	0.00		1,485.00
2 Group 3 - Preparation and Meeting - May 23, 2024	8.00		330		0.00		
3 Written Comments on the Proposed USM Code Amendments - December 5, 2024	8.00		330		0.00		
Total Legal/Consultant Fees		4.50		1,485.00		0.00	1,485.00

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Douglas Kwan	Called to the Bar in 2002	\$405 per hour

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