



Greater Sudbury Hydro Inc.

**Application for electricity distribution rates beginning
May 1, 2025**

**PROCEDURAL ORDER NO. 3
June 6, 2025**

Greater Sudbury Hydro filed a cost of service application with the Ontario Energy Board (OEB) on October 30, 2024, under section 78 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998*, seeking approval for changes to the rates that Greater Sudbury Hydro charges for electricity distribution, beginning May 1, 2025.

In Procedural Order No. 2 dated April 24, 2025, the OEB established the timetable for additional procedural steps relating to the unsettled elements in this proceeding.^{1, 2} The unsettled elements relate to Greater Sudbury Hydro's transition from cash-based accounting to accrual-based accounting for Other Post-Employment Benefits.

On June 2, 2025, Greater Sudbury Hydro filed a letter requesting a one-week extension for the filing of its interrogatory responses to June 13, 2025, for the reasons set out in the letter.³ Greater Sudbury Hydro notes there would be a consequential one-week extension for the remaining procedural steps that have been scheduled.

The OEB grants the Applicant's request for an extension. As a result, it is necessary to adjust the dates for other steps in this proceeding due to the requested extension.

The OEB finds it is necessary to make provision for the matters set out below related to this proceeding. Further procedural orders may be issued by the OEB.

¹ The unsettled matters are part of Issue 6.1 of the OEB-approved Issues List. The Issues List was approved in the [OEB's Decision on Issues List](#), dated December 19, 2025.

² EB-2024-0026, [Procedural Order No. 2](#), April 24, 2025

³ EB-2024-0026, [Extension Request Letter](#), June 2, 2025

THE ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD THEREFORE ORDERS THAT:

1. Greater Sudbury Hydro Inc. shall file with the OEB complete written responses to all interrogatories on the supplemental evidence on OPEBs and serve them on all parties by **June 13, 2025**.
2. With respect to the unsettled issues, Greater Sudbury Hydro Inc. shall file its argument-in-chief with the OEB and serve it on all parties by **June 27, 2025**.
3. Intervenor and OEB staff shall file their written submissions on the unsettled issues with the OEB and serve them on all other parties by **July 11, 2025**.
4. Greater Sudbury Hydro Inc. shall file its reply submission with the OEB and serve it on all parties by **July 25, 2025**.

Parties are responsible for ensuring that any documents they file with the OEB, such as applicant and intervenor evidence, interrogatories and responses to interrogatories or any other type of document, **do not include personal information** (as that phrase is defined in the *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act*), unless filed in accordance with rule 9A of the OEB's [Rules of Practice and Procedure](#).

Please quote file numbers, **EB-2024-0026** for all materials filed and submit them in searchable/unrestricted PDF format with a digital signature through the [OEB's online filing portal](#).

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All communications should be directed to the attention of the Registrar at the address below and be received by end of business, 4:45 p.m., on the required date.

With respect to distribution lists for all electronic correspondence and materials related to this proceeding, parties must include the Case Manager, Georgette Vlahos at georgette.vlahos@oeb.ca and OEB Counsel, Ljuba Djurdjevic at ljuba.djurdjevic@oeb.ca.

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DATED at Toronto, **June 6, 2025**

ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

Ritchie Murray
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