



INNPOWER CORPORATION

Application for electricity distribution rates and other charges effective January 1, 2026

PROCEDURAL ORDER NO. 1 September 24, 2025

INNPOWER CORPORATION (InnPower) filed an incentive rate-setting mechanism application with the Ontario Energy Board (OEB) on August 14, 2025, under section 78 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act*, 1998, seeking approval for changes to its electricity distribution rates to be effective January 1, 2026. InnPower has requested approval to establish four new deferral accounts under Account 1508 to track net incremental revenues, costs, and carrying charges related to small cell wireless attachments which were not included in its approved 2024 revenue requirement. InnPower has also applied to recover operating and capital costs related to restoration work from a Z-Factor event through two rate riders, effective January 1, 2026.

The application will be heard by commissioner: Allison Duff.

A Notice of Hearing was issued on September 2, 2025. The Vulnerable Energy Consumers Coalition (VECC) applied for intervenor status and cost eligibility.

No objection was received from InnPower.

VECC is approved as an intervenor. The list of parties in this proceeding is attached as Schedule A to this Procedural Order. VECC is eligible to apply for an award of costs under the OEB's Practice Direction on Cost Awards.

Cost eligible intervenors should be aware that the OEB will not generally allow the recovery of costs for the attendance of more than one representative of any party unless a compelling reason is provided when cost claims are filed.

The OEB is making provision for the following related to this proceeding. Further procedural orders may be issued by the OEB.

THE ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD ORDERS THAT:

- 1. OEB staff and VECC shall request any relevant information and documentation from InnPower that is in addition to the evidence already filed, by written interrogatories filed with the OEB and served on InnPower, by **October 3, 2025**.
- 2. InnPower shall file with the OEB complete written responses to the interrogatories and serve them on VECC by **October 15, 2025**.
- 3. Any written submissions by OEB staff and VECC shall be filed with the OEB and served on InnPower by **November 4, 2025**.
- 4. Any written reply submissions by InnPower shall be filed with the OEB by **November 17, 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 number, **EB-2025-0027** for all materials filed and submit them in searchable/unrestricted PDF format with a digital signature through the <u>OEB's online</u> filing portal.

- Filings should clearly state the sender's name, postal address, telephone number and e-mail address.
- Please use the document naming conventions and document submission standards outlined in the <u>Regulatory Electronic Submission System (RESS)</u> <u>Document Guidelines</u> found at the <u>File documents online page</u> on the OEB's website.
- Parties are encouraged to use RESS. Those who have not yet <u>set up an account</u>, or require assistance using the online filing portal can contact <u>registrar@oeb.ca</u> for assistance.
- Cost claims are filed through the OEB's online filing portal. Please visit the <u>File</u> documents online page of the OEB's website for more information. All participants shall download a copy of their submitted cost claim and serve it on all required parties as per the <u>Practice Direction on Cost Awards</u>.

All communications should be directed to the attention of the Registrar and be received by 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, Oluwole Bibiresanmi, at Oluwole.Bibiresanmi@oeb.ca.

Email: registrar@oeb.ca

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DATED at Toronto, September 24, 2025

ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

By delegation, before: Ritchie Murray

Ritchie Murray Acting Registrar SCHEDULE A
LIST OF APPLICANT AND INTERVENORS
INNPOWER CORPORATION
EB-2025-0027
SEPTEMBER 24, 2025

InnPower Corporation EB-2025-0027

APPLICANT & LIST OF INTERVENORS

September 24, 2025

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