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Ritchie Murray
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Dear Ritchie Murray:

**Re: Expert Evidence – Christensen Associates Energy Consulting LLC.
(Christensen Associates)
Hydro Ottawa Limited (Hydro Ottawa)
Application for electricity distribution rates and other charges beginning
January 1, 2026
Ontario Energy Board File Number: EB-2024-0115**

On October 14, 2025, OEB staff submitted expert evidence by way of a report prepared by Christensen Associates. On October 21, 2025, OEB staff received interrogatories to this report.

As per Procedural Order No. 3, dated October 7, 2025, OEB staff is filing complete written responses to interrogatories and serving the responses on Hydro Ottawa and intervenors. All interrogatory responses were prepared by Christensen Associates.

The interrogatory responses contain redacted information for which OEB staff are requesting confidential treatment, as outlined in Table 1 below.

Document	Explanation	Basis of Confidentiality
HOL-1a_Custom IR Framework and Benchmarking_Redacted Page 4	Billing Rates	Items in the table are presumptively confidential under category 2. Billing rates of a third party.

Any questions relating to this letter should be directed to Margaret DeFazio at Margaret.DeFazio@oeb.ca.

Yours truly,

Original Signed By

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Senior Advisor

cc: All Intervenors, Hydro Ottawa, Charles Keizer, Daliana Coban, Jonathan Myers