

EB-2024-0198 : 1 : Michael Brophy

COST CLAIM NUMBER
2917

SUBMISSION DEADLINE DATE
November 20, 2025

CLAIM STATUS
Submitted

EB#
EB-2024-0198: Rates: Distribution: Enbridge Gas
Inc.

OTHER EB#S

PHASE #*
1

INTERVENOR
Brophy, Michael; +1 (647) 330-1217
michael.brophy@rogers.com

INTERVENOR COMPANY*
Pollution Probe, Toronto:
Institution

INTERVENOR TYPE
Other

HST RATE ONTARIO
13.00

EXCHANGE RATE

COUNTRY

HST NUMBER
108092701 RT0001

LATE SUBMISSION ALLOWED
No

EXTENSION DEADLINE DATE

PARTICIPANTS

New	Non-Filing Participant First, Last Name	Filing Participant	Total (\$)	Total Hours	Participant Claim Status
No	,	Brophy, Michael; +1 (647) 330-1217 michael.brophy@rogers.com	15,922.56	39.25	Submitted

TOTAL LEGAL/CONSULTANT/OTHER FEES
14,090.75

TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS
0.00

TOTAL HST
1,831.81

TOTAL CLAIM
15,922.56

TOTAL AMOUNT AWARDED

TOTAL HOURS CLAIMED
39.25

TOTAL HOURS DISALLOWED

REASON FOR
DISALLOWANCE

REASON FOR
DISALLOWANCE - 2

REASON FOR
DISALLOWANCE - 3

MAKE CHEQUE PAYABLE TO
Pollution Probe

SEND PAYMENT TO ADDRESS
130 Queens Quay East
Suite 902
Toronto, ON
M5A 0P6

ATTENTION
Jason Taylor

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
Michael Brophy

DATE SUBMITTED
November 20, 2025

CASE EB-2024-0198: Rates: Distribution: Enbridge Gas Inc.	COST CLAIM EB-2024-0198 : 1 : Michael Brophy	INTERVENOR NAME Brophy, Michael; +1 (647) 330-1217 michael.brophy@rogers.com	PARTICIPANT CLAIM STATUS Submitted
FILING PARTICIPANT Brophy, Michael; +1 (647) 330-1217 michael.brophy@rogers.com	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* 28	HOURLY RATE 359
HST RATE CHARGED* 13.00	CV STATUS (FOR CONSULTANT/ANALYST) CV Provided within Previous 24 Months	LAST CV DATE March 18, 2024	OVERRIDE HOURLY RATE No
HST NUMBER 108092701 RT0001	HEARINGS Yes	CONSULTATIONS No	DISBURSEMENTS No

HEARINGS

Hearings Hours 39.25	Hearings Subtotal (\$) 14,090.75	Hearings Total Tax (\$) 1,831.81	Hearings Total (\$) 15,922.56
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<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	14.00	359	5,026.00	13.00	653.38	5,679.38
Preparation of Interrogatories	9.50	359	3,410.50	13.00	443.37	3,853.87
Review Interrogatory Responses		359		13.00		
Technical Conference Preparation	1.00	359	359.00	13.00	46.67	405.67
Technical Conference Attendance	5.00	359	1,795.00	13.00	233.35	2,028.35
Technical Conference Follow-up		359		13.00		
Subtotal of DISCOVERY	29.50		10,590.50		1,376.77	11,967.27
PROCEDURAL						
Preparation of Issues List Submission	2.00	359	718.00	13.00	93.34	811.34
Attendance at Issues List Conference		359		13.00		
Preparation for a Confidentiality Request		359		13.00		
Prepare Submissions on Confidentiality	2.75	359	987.25	13.00	128.34	1,115.59
Preparation of Motion(s) Materials		359		13.00		
Prepare Submissions on the Motion(s)		359		13.00		
Attendance at Hearing on Motion(s)		359		13.00		
Review Procedural Documents	0.50	359	179.50	13.00	23.34	202.84

<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	5.25		1,884.75		245.02	2,129.77
INTERVENOR EVIDENCE						
Preparation of Intervenor Evidence		359		13.00		
Interrogatory Responses		359		13.00		
Preparation of Witness(es) for Attendance at Hearing		359		13.00		
Subtotal of INTERVENOR EVIDENCE	0.00		0.00		0.00	0.00
SETTLEMENT CONFERENCE						
Preparation for Settlement Conference		359		13.00		
Attendance at Settlement Conference		359		13.00		
Preparation of Settlement Proposal		359		13.00		
Attendance at Presentation to Panel		359		13.00		
Subtotal of SETTLEMENT CONFERENCE	0.00		0.00		0.00	0.00
WRITTEN ARGUMENT						
Written Submissions	4.00	359	1,436.00	13.00	186.68	1,622.68
Subtotal of WRITTEN ARGUMENT	4.00		1,436.00		186.68	1,622.68
ORAL ARGUMENT						
Preparation for Oral Hearing		359		13.00		
Attendance at Oral Hearing		359		13.00		
Oral Submissions		359		13.00		
Attendance at Oral Submissions		359		13.00		
Subtotal of ORAL ARGUMENT	0.00		0.00		0.00	0.00
DECISION						
Review Decision	0.50	359	179.50	13.00	23.34	202.84
Review Rate/Accounting Order		359		13.00		
Prepare Submission on Rate Order		359		13.00		
Subtotal of DECISION	0.50		179.50		23.34	202.84
OTHER						
Other Attendance (e.g., Intervenor Conferences)		359		13.00		
Subtotal of OTHER	0.00		0.00		0.00	0.00
TOTAL SERVICE PROVIDER FEES						
Total Service Provider Fees	39.25		14,090.75		1,831.81	15,922.56

Attachments

<u>Attachment</u>	<u>Document Type</u>	<u>Import Message</u>
M Brophy Time Docket.pdf	Time Docket	
Invoice_OEB_16 2025.pdf	Invoice	
Cover Letter.pdf	Cover Letter	

Hearings, Consultations, Disbursements Attachments

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OEB Cost Claim Categories	Discovery						Procedural						Intervenor Evidence	Settlement				Written Argument	Oral Hearing				Decision		Other								
	Sub Category	Evidence	IRs	Technical Conference			Issues List	Confidentiality		Motions		POs	Intervenor Evidence	Settlement Conference /ADR				Written Argument	Oral Hearing				Decision	Rate Order	Other								
Date	Review Application and Evidence	Prepare IRs	Review IR Responses	TC Prep	TC Attend	TC Follow up	Preparation of Issue List Submission	Attend Conference	Prepare Application	Prepare Submissions	Attend Hearing	Materials Prep	Submissions Prep	Attend Hearing	Review Procedural Documents	Prep	IR Responses	Witness Prep for Hearing	Conference Prep	Conference Attend	Prepare Settlement proposal	Attend Presentation to Panel	Written Argument	Hearing Prep	Attend Hearing	Oral Submissions	Attend Oral Submissions	Review Decision	Review Rate Order	Prepare Submission	Other Attendance (e.g. Intervenor Conference)	Total	Summary/Comments
3/4/2025	3.00														0.50																	3.50	Review PO, evidence and send ED & GEC coordination emails based on OEB direction. Discussion with Kent Elson related to OEB pilot.
3/7/2025	2.00																															2.00	Review Enbridge evidence
3/7/2025							0.50																									0.50	Issues List Submission
3/12/2025							1.00																									1.00	Review Draft Issues List submissions and draft reply submission
3/13/2025							0.50																									0.50	Finalise and file Reply Submission on Draft Issues List
3/14/2025	5.00	2.50																														7.50	Review Enbridge evidence and residential program analysis. Draft interrogatories.
3/16/2025		3.00																														3.00	Draft IRs, Comparison with ED/GEC IRs and correspondence with ED/GEC.
3/19/2025		4.00																														4.00	Finalize interrogatories in coordination with ED/GEC. Note: Not filed since Enbridge requested an Abeyance March 25th and there was a change of focus to a new 1 year roll-over in 2026 based on an updated application filed July 9th.
7/10/2025	3.00																															3.00	Review new Enbridge 1 year roll-over evidence
7/21/2025																																1.00	Stakeholder coordination and development of estimate for July Technical Conference.
7/23/2025				1.00																												3.00	Preparation for Technical Conference and correspondence
7/24/2025					2.00																											3.00	Technical Conference
8/12/2025																																0.75	Review confidential agreement, prepare and submit comments
8/19/2025																																1.00	Review unredacted partnership agreement and draft submission
8/20/2025																																1.00	Finalise and file submission on Enbridge confidentiality request for JT1.6
8/29/2025																																3.00	Draft submission and intervenor/ draft coordination review. Review OEB Decision on confidentiality.
9/2/2025																							2.50					0.50				1.50	Finalise and file submission
Total	14.00	9.50	0.00	1.00	5.00	0.00	2.00	0.00	0.00	2.75	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.50	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	4.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.50	0.00	0.00	39.25	

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DATE: November 19, 2025
INVOICE # OEB-16-2025
FOR: EB-2024-0198
Enbridge 2026 DSM

Bill To:

Richard Carlson
Director Energy Policy
Pollution Probe
130 Queens Quay East, Suite 902
Toronto, Ontario
M5A 0P6

DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT
Consulting - EB-2024-0198 Enbridge 2026 DSM Application	14,090.75
Detailed timesheet for Michael Brophy attached	
Total: 39.25 hours @ \$359 per hour	
HST (HST #: 75225 9333 RT0001)	1,831.80
TOTAL	\$ 15,922.55

Make all cheques payable to **Michael Brophy Consulting Inc.**

If you have any questions concerning this invoice, contact:
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THANK YOU FOR YOUR BUSINESS!

Mr. Ritchie Murray
Acting Registrar
Ontario Energy Board
P.O. Box 2319, 27th Floor
2300 Yonge Street
Toronto, ON M4P 1E4

November 20, 2025

**EB-2024-0198 – Enbridge 2026-2030 DSM Application
Pollution Probe Cost Claim**

Dear Mr. Murray:

In accordance with OEB direction, please find attached Pollution Probe's Cost Claim for the above-noted proceeding. The Cost Claim was created via RESS which includes the information in the attached time docket. Activities and related costs included in this Cost Claim are for the period of the application commencement to the final submission on September 2, 2025. Some additional activities occurred (including incremental coordination with industry partners) that have not been included in the attached Cost Claim. Therefore, this Cost Claim pertains only to the specific activities (and related RESS categories) associated with the defined procedural categories documented in the attached time docket.

Pollution Probe participated in all aspects of the proceeding, including working with intervenors (including but not limited to Environmental Defence (ED)/Green Energy Coalition (GEC) as requested in Procedural Order #1 as part of the OEB Pilot). The instructions provided for the OEB Pilot required additional administration related to consolidated drafts prior to the submission of interrogatories for the original five year plan. Portions of this effort was stranded due to the abeyance request very close to the deadline for interrogatories and eventual filing of a new one year DSM Plan, replacing the original application. The OEB confirmed in its Decision that providing detailed feedback on the OEB Pilot is outside the scope of this proceeding and therefore detailed feedback can be provided at a later time should the OEB request it. All other details included in the Cost Claim are referenced in the attached documentation.

All of which is respectfully submitted on behalf of Pollution Probe.



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