

ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

IN THE MATTER OF the Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998, being
Schedule B to the Energy Competition Act, 1998, S.O. 1998, c.15;

AND IN THE MATTER OF an Application by Milton Hydro
Distribution Inc. to the Ontario Energy Board for an Order or
Orders approving or fixing just and reasonable rates and other
service charges for the distribution of electricity as of January 1,
2027.

AFFIDAVIT OF SERVICE

I, **Daniel Smith**, of the City of Hamilton, in the Province of Ontario, **MAKE OATH AND SAY:**

1. I am an employee of Milton Hydro Distribution Inc. ("Milton Hydro"). In my role as Director, Regulatory Affairs with Milton Hydro, I have been responsible for the development of Milton Hydro's application to the Ontario Energy Board (the "OEB") and in that capacity have overseen the service of the Notice of Hearing issued by the OEB on August 31, 2026 in proceeding EB-2026-0057 (the "Notice") and, as such, have personal knowledge of the matters herein deposed.
2. Further to section 1 of the OEB's Letter of Direction dated August 31, 2026 (the "Letter") (a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit "A"), I arranged for and confirm that as of August 31, 2026, Milton Hydro has posted the Notice, as well as the application and the evidence, on Milton Hydro's website at the following link: <https://www.miltonhydro.com/News/2027-IRM-Rate-Application>. A screenshot of Milton Hydro's website showing where the material has been posted is attached hereto as Exhibit "B".
3. Further to section 2 of the Letter, I confirm that on September 1, 2026, I did arrange a copy of the Notice, along with a direct link to the application and the evidence on the OEB's website, by electronic mail directly on all intervenors of record in Milton Hydro's previous cost of service rate proceeding (EB-2022-0049). I further depose that Ms. Shewchun, an individual who participated as a party in EB-2022-0049, is deceased. Accordingly, service could not be effected upon her, and she has been omitted from the service list described above for that reason. A copy of the correspondence is attached

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hereto as Exhibit "C". A copy of Ms. Shewchun's Death Certificate is attached hereto as Exhibit "D". The address on the Death Certification is consistent with the address provided by Ms. Shewchun in the Confidentiality Undertaking in EB-2022-0049.

4. Further to section 3 of the Letter, Milton Hydro is prepared to provide a copy of the Notice, the application and the evidence, and any amendments thereto, to anyone requesting the material.
5. I make this Affidavit pursuant to Paragraph 3 of the Letter of Direction and for no other or improper purpose.



DANIEL SMITH, CPA

Affirmed remotely by Daniel Smith stated as
being located in the Town of Milton, Ontario,
before me in the City of Toronto, Ontario, on the
4th day of September, 2026, in accordance with O.
Reg. 431/20: Administering Oath or Declaration
Remotely.



John Vellone
A Commissioner for taking Affidavits



EXHIBIT A

This is Exhibit A referred to in the affidavit of Daniel Smith sworn/affirmed before me this 4th day of September, 2026.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'J. Vellone'.

MILTON HYDRO DISTRIBUTION INC.

Exhibit A

EB-2026-0057
SEPTEMBER 4, 2026

Handwritten initials 'JV' above the initials 'DS' in black ink.



BY E-MAIL

August 31, 2026

Daniel Smith
Director, Regulatory Affairs
Milton Hydro Distribution Inc.
200 Chisholm Drive
Milton ON L9T 3G9
smithd@miltonhydro.com

LETTER OF DIRECTION

Dear Daniel Smith:

**Re: Milton Hydro Distribution Inc. (Milton Hydro Distribution)
2027 Distribution Rates
Ontario Energy Board File Number: EB-2026-0057**

The Ontario Energy Board (OEB) has now issued its Notice of Hearing for Milton Hydro Distribution's application for 2027 Distribution Rates (Notice). Please note that you must comply with the directions in paragraphs 1 and 2 below by **September 4, 2026**. If you are unable to comply with the directions within this timeframe, you must inform the Registrar immediately at registrar@oeb.ca.

You are directed:

1. To immediately post the Notice, the application and the evidence, and any amendments thereto, on Milton Hydro Distribution's website.
2. To arrange for the service of the enclosed Notice, the application, and the evidence, directly on all intervenors of record in Milton Hydro Distribution's previous application, **EB-2022-0049**.
3. To file with the OEB an affidavit proving completion of the matters in paragraphs 1 and 2 above immediately thereafter.
4. To provide a copy of the Notice, the application and the evidence, and any amendments thereto, to anyone requesting the material.

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You are further directed not to include any documents or materials when serving the Notice other than documents or materials expressly required by this letter of direction to be served.

Yours truly,

Ritchie Murray
Registrar

Enclosed:

- Notice

- c: Troy Hare, Milton Hydro Distribution inc.
Cynthia Chan, Milton Hydro Distribution Inc.
John Vellone, Borden Ladner Gervais LLP

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EXHIBIT B

This is Exhibit B referred to in the affidavit of Daniel Smith sworn/affirmed before me this 4th day of September, 2026. *J. Vellone*

MILTON HYDRO DISTRIBUTION INC.

Exhibit B

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SEPTEMBER 4, 2026

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2027 IRM Rate Application

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2027 IRM Rate Application

🕒 August 31, 2026



As Milton Hydro continues to invest in infrastructure to support Milton's growth and maintain reliable service, the company has applied to the Ontario Energy Board (OEB) for a rate adjustment effective January 1, 2027.

- **August 31, 2026** - Letter of Notice ([/getattachment/News/2027-IRM-Rate-Application/Notice_Milton-Hydro_2027-IRM_20260831-\(1\).pdf.aspx?lang=en-US](/getattachment/News/2027-IRM-Rate-Application/Notice_Milton-Hydro_2027-IRM_20260831-(1).pdf.aspx?lang=en-US))
- **August 10, 2026** - 2027 Incentive Regulation Mechanism (IRM) Application ([/getattachment/News/Major-Event-Reports-for-July-1-and-July-9,-202-\(1\)/MILTON_HYDRO_EB-2026-0057_IRM_APPL.pdf.aspx?lang=en-US](/getattachment/News/Major-Event-Reports-for-July-1-and-July-9,-202-(1)/MILTON_HYDRO_EB-2026-0057_IRM_APPL.pdf.aspx?lang=en-US)) (EB-2026-0057)

The Application includes a rate adjustment determined using the OEB's approved inflation-based formula and a request for incremental capital funding related to the Palermo Transformer Station (TS) Upgrade and Feeder Expansion Project.

If approved as filed, the Application would result in the following estimated total bill impacts:

Rate Class	Total Bill Impact
Residential 750 kWh	\$2.16 per month
General Service less than 50kW (2,000 kWh)	\$3.74 per month

My Account

SIGN IN TO YOUR ACCOUNT OR SIGN UP TODAY TO VIEW YOUR ACCOUNT DETAILS

- ▶ Sign up for online access to your account (<https://engage360.miltonhydro.com/login/email>)
- ▶ Forgot Password (<https://engage360.miltonhydro.com/login/email>)

GO → ([HTTPS://ENGAGE360.MILTONHYDRO.COM/LOGIN/EMAIL](https://engage360.miltonhydro.com/login/email))

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(<https://ipn.paymentus.com/otp/stde/mth>)

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**10 Smart
Meter Lane**

(<https://ontarioelectricitysupport.ca/>)

(<http://www.ieso.ca/house/miltonhydro/default.htm>)



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Milton Hydro has been providing safe, reliable, and affordable electricity service for nearly a century.

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Outages: 1 (844) NOHYDRO

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OFFICE HOURS

🕒 8:30 A.M. to 4:30 P.M.

Monday to Friday, holidays excepted

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(<http://www.airwhistle.com>)

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EXHIBIT C

This is Exhibit C referred to in the affidavit of Daniel Smith sworn/affirmed before me this 4th day of September, 2026. *J. Vellone*

MILTON HYDRO DISTRIBUTION INC.

Exhibit C

EB-2026-0057
SEPTEMBER 4, 2026

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Milton Hydro Distribution Inc. – 2027 IRM Application (EB-2026-0057) – Service of Notice and Application Materials

From Sara Penny <pennys@miltonhydro.com>

Date Tue 2026-09-01 1:37 PM

To lawrie.gluck@northendconsulting.ca <lawrie.gluck@northendconsulting.ca>; mark@shepherdrubenstein.com <mark@shepherdrubenstein.com>; Bharper.consultant@bell.net <Bharper.consultant@bell.net>; Shelley.grice@rogers.com <Shelley.grice@rogers.com>; Dbrady@piac.ca <Dbrady@piac.ca>

Cc Daniel Smith <smithd@miltonhydro.com>; Waqas Latif <latifw@miltonhydro.com>

 1 attachment (248 KB)

Notice_Milton Hydro_2027 IRM_20260831.pdf;

Good afternoon,

Pursuant to the Ontario Energy Board's Letter of Direction dated August 31, 2026, Milton Hydro Distribution Inc. ("Milton Hydro") is serving the enclosed Notice of Hearing and the application and supporting evidence for its 2027 Incentive Rate Mechanism ("IRM") Application (EB-2026-0057) to all intervenors from Milton Hydro's previous Cost of Service proceeding (EB-2022-0049), namely:

- Consumer Council of Canada (CCC)
- School Energy Coalition (SEC)
- Vulnerable Energy Consumers Coalition (VECC)

Attached please find the Notice of Hearing for Milton Hydro's 2027 IRM Application.

The application, including supporting models and evidence, is available here:

<https://www.rds.oeb.ca/CMWebDrawer/Record?q=casenum:EB-2026-0057&sortBy=recRegisteredOn-&pageLength=400#form1>

Should you have any questions about this information, please reach out to Daniel Smith, Director of Regulatory Affairs at Milton Hydro, at smithd@miltonhydro.com.

Kind regards,
Sara Penny

Sara Penny (she/her)

Manager, Communications

Handwritten initials 'SV' and 'DS' in black ink.

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EXHIBIT D

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MILTON HYDRO DISTRIBUTION INC.

Exhibit D

**EB-2026-0057
SEPTEMBER 4, 2026**

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MCKERSIE & EARLY FUNERAL HOME

FUNERAL DIRECTOR'S PROOF OF DEATH CERTIFICATE

Name of Deceased	Olga Lily SHEWCHUN
Place of Death	8300 McArthur Drive Milton (Campbellville), Ontario
Date of Death	June 27, 2025
Date of Birth	July 24, 1941
Place of Birth	Toronto, Ontario
Marital Status	Single
Arrangements By	Jim Shewchun 59 Heathcliffe Square Brampton, Ontario L6S 5R3
Relationship	Brother
Attending Physician	Dr. Jeffrey Martin, Coroner 25 Morton Shulman Avenue Toronto, Ontario M3M 0B1
Place of Disposition	Evergreen Crematorium 230 Ontario St. S. Milton, Ontario L9T 2M9

We hereby certify that this information has been taken
From our records and we believe it to be true and correct.

Dated in the Town of Milton, Ontario
This 6th day of July, 2025



For McKersie & Early Funeral Home

114 Main Street East | Milton, Ontario L9T 1N5 | Phone: 905-878-4452 | Fax: 905-875-1760

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