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Re: EB-2008-0187, re: Hydro One seeking approval for rate increases....

Do Hydro deserve any rate increases..... absolutely not!!!!

Ontario Hydro have been charging me / us a "Debt Retirement Charge" for probably the better part of ten years.

Through their mismanagement and lucrative executive bonus / payouts and waste, they have brought their financial situation upon themselves.

Every month, on my payment / cheque to Hydro I include the verbage, "Debt Retirement Charge Paid Under Protest".

I have been paying hydro bills for forty years. I have paid the amounts as per their request.

Not only do they want to go back retroactive and suck the consumer into paying for their mismanagement etc... but now they want more.

No one has ever paid my bills, nor especially has anyone ever helped me pay my debts.

Hydro wants more money.... No way!!!

"Cut the fat and the waste"!

Make due with what they are getting.

I intend to go self sufficient on hydro on my new property up north, when I retire, then Goodbye Ontario Hydro!

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