Ontario Energy Board Commission de l'énergie de l'Ontario



### EB-2011-0054

**IN THE MATTER OF** the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998*, S.O. 1998, c. 15, (Schedule B);

**AND IN THE MATTER OF** an application by Hydro Ottawa Limited for an order approving or fixing just and reasonable rates and other charges for the distribution of electricity to be effective January 1, 2012.

BEFORE: Marika Hare Presiding Member

> Ken Quesnelle Member

### **RATE ORDER**

Hydro Ottawa Limited ("Hydro Ottawa") filed an application with the Ontario Energy Board (the "Board") on June 17, 2011. The Application was filed under section 78 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998*, S.O 1998, c. 15 (Schedule B) (the "Act"), seeking approval for changes to the rates that Hydro Ottawa charges for electricity distribution to be effective January 1, 2012.

On December 28, 2011, the Board issued its Decision and Order on Hydro Ottawa's application for 2012 electricity rates. The Board approved an effective date of January 1, 2012. Hydro Ottawa filed its draft Rate Order and supporting documentation on January 6, 2012. Additional documentation was filed on January 16, 2012. SEC filed correspondence on January 12, 2012, stating that it had no comments on the draft Rate Order. Board staff filed comments on January 17, 2012 on the draft accounting order provided as Appendix H to the draft Rate Order. No other comments were received. Hydro Ottawa filed its response on January 24, 2012.

In response to the Board staff comments, Hydro Ottawa stated that it will comply with the approach for establishing sub-accounts for Account 1595 as noted in the December 2010 Accounting Procedures Handbook FAQ. Hydro Ottawa agreed that an accounting order was not necessary to establish the 1575 IFRS-CGAAP Transitional PP&E Amounts account, and also agreed with Board staff's comments regarding the description of 1508 Other Regulatory Assets, Sub-account OPEB Deferral Account.

The Board has reviewed the information provided in support of the draft Rate Order, including the additional documentation, and the proposed Tariff of Rates and Charges and is satisfied that the Tariff of Rates and Charges accurately reflects the Board's Decision in this proceeding. The Board approves an implementation date of February 1, 2012.

On December 21, 2011, the Board issued a Decision with Reasons and Rate Order (EB-2011-0405) establishing the Rural or Remote Electricity Rate Protection ("RRRP") benefit and charge for 2012. The Board amended the RRRP charge to be collected by the Independent Electricity System Operator from the current \$0.0013 per kWh to \$0.0011 per kWh effective May 1, 2012. The final Tariff of Rates and Charges reflects the new RRRP charge.

### THE BOARD ORDERS THAT:

- 1. The Tariff of Rates and Charges set out in Appendix A of this Rate Order is approved effective January 1, 2012 for electricity consumed or estimated to have been consumed on and after such date.
- The Tariff of Rates and Charges set out in Appendix A of this Rate Order supersedes all previous Tariff of Rates and Charges approved by the Ontario Energy Board for Hydro Ottawa Limited's service area, and is final in all respects, except for the standby rates which remain interim.
- 3. Hydro Ottawa Limited shall notify its customers of the rate changes no later than with the first bill reflecting the new rates.

- 4. Hydro Ottawa Limited shall establish the following deferral account in accordance with Appendix B, effective January 1, 2012:
  - Account 1508, Other Regulatory Assets, Sub-account OPEB Deferral Account

**DATED** at Toronto, January 26, 2012

### ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

Original Signed By

Kirsten Walli Board Secretary

### APPENDIX A

### TO RATE ORDER

### Hydro Ottawa Limited

# 2012 Electricity Distribution Rates

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### **Hydro Ottawa Limited** TARIFF OF RATES AND CHARGES Effective Date January 1, 2012 Implementation Date February 1, 2012

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### **RESIDENTIAL SERVICE CLASSIFICATION**

This classification includes accounts taking electricity at 120/240 volts single phase where the electricity is used exclusively in a separately metered living accommodation. Customers shall be residing in single-dwelling units that consist of a detached house or one unit of a semi-detached, duplex, triplex or quadruplex house, with a residential zoning. Separately metered dwellings within a town house complex or apartment building also qualify as residential customers. Further servicing details are available in the distributor's Conditions of Service.

#### **APPLICATION**

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#### **MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES – Delivery Component**

Standard Supply Service - Administrative Charge (if applicable)

Service Charge	\$	9.32
Rate Rider for Recovery of Residual Historical Smart Meter Costs – effective until December 31, 2012	\$	(0.67)
Rate Rider for Recovery of Late Payment Penalty Litigation Costs – effective until April 30, 2012	\$	0.18
Distribution Volumetric Rate	\$/kWh	0.0226
Low Voltage Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.00006
Rate Rider for Global Adjustment Sub-Account Disposition (2012) – effective until December 31, 2012		
Applicable only for Non-RPP Customers	\$/kWh	0.0026
Rate Rider for Tax Change – effective until April 30, 2012	\$/kWh	(0.0004)
Rate Rider for Lost Revenue Adjustment Mechanism (LRAM) Recovery (2012)		
– effective until December 31, 2012	\$/kWh	0.00032
Rate Rider for Deferral/Variance Account Disposition (2012) – effective until December 31, 2012	\$/kWh	(0.0028)
Rate Rider for Foregone Revenue – effective until December 31, 2012	\$/kWh	0.0003
Retail Transmission Rate – Network Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0074
Retail Transmission Rate – Line and Transformation Connection Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0044
MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES – Regulatory Component		
Wholesale Market Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0052
Rural Rate Protection Charge – effective until April 30, 2012	\$/kWh	0.0013
Rural Rate Protection Charge – effective on and after May 1, 2012	\$/kWh	0.0011

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### **GENERAL SERVICE LESS THAN 50 kW SERVICE CLASSIFICATION**

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#### APPLICATION

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#### **MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES – Delivery Component**

Service Charge	\$	16.11
Rate Rider for Recovery of Residual Historical Smart Meter Costs – effective until December 31, 2012	\$	6.59
Rate Rider for Recovery of Late Payment Penalty Litigation Costs – effective until April 30, 2012	\$	0.46
Distribution Volumetric Rate	\$/kWh	0.0202
Low Voltage Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.00006
Rate Rider for Global Adjustment Sub-Account Disposition (2012) – effective until December 31, 2012		
Applicable only for Non-RPP Customers	\$/kWh	0.0026
Rate Rider for Tax Change – effective until April 30, 2012	\$/kWh	(0.0003)
Rate Rider for Deferral/Variance Account Disposition (2012) – effective until December 31, 2012	\$/kWh	(0.0030)
Rate Rider for Foregone Revenue – effective until December 31, 2012	\$/kWh	0.0002
Retail Transmission Rate – Network Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0067
Retail Transmission Rate – Line and Transformation Connection Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0041

Wholesale Market Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0052
Rural Rate Protection Charge – effective until April 30, 2012	\$/kWh	0.0013
Rural Rate Protection Charge – effective on and after May 1, 2012	\$/kWh	0.0011
Standard Supply Service – Administrative Charge (if applicable)	\$	0.25

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### **GENERAL SERVICE 50 to 1,499 kW SERVICE CLASSIFICATION**

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#### **MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES – Delivery Component**

Service Charge Rate Rider for Recovery of Residual Historical Smart Meter Costs – effective until December 31, 2012 Rate Rider for Recovery of Late Payment Penalty Litigation Costs – effective until April 30, 2012	\$ \$ \$	251.21 35.75 5.68
Distribution Volumetric Rate	\$/kW	3.4376
Low Voltage Service Rate	\$/kW	0.02354
Rate Rider for Global Adjustment Sub-Account Disposition (2012) – effective until December 31, 2012		
Applicable only for Non-RPP Customers	\$/kWh	0.0026
Rate Rider for Tax Change – effective until April 30, 2012	\$/kW	(0.0533)
Rate Rider for Lost Revenue Adjustment Mechanism (LRAM) Recovery (2012)		
– effective until December 31, 2012	\$/kW	0.0213
Rate Rider for Deferral/Variance Account Disposition (2012) – effective until December 31, 2012	\$/kW	(1.2575)
Rate Rider for Foregone Revenue – effective until December 31, 2012	\$/kW	0.0370
Retail Transmission Rate – Network Service Rate	\$/kW	2.7852
Retail Transmission Rate – Line and Transformation Connection Service Rate	\$/kW	1.6536
MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES – Regulatory Component		

Wholesale Market Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0052
Rural Rate Protection Charge – effective until April 30, 2012	\$/kWh	0.0013
Rural Rate Protection Charge – effective on and after May 1, 2012	\$/kWh	0.0011
Standard Supply Service – Administrative Charge (if applicable)	\$	0.25

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### **GENERAL SERVICE 1,500 to 4,999 kW SERVICE CLASSIFICATION**

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#### **MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES – Delivery Component**

Service Charge Rate Rider for Recovery of Residual Historical Smart Meter Costs – effective until December 31, 2012 Rate Rider for Recovery of Late Payment Penalty Litigation Costs – effective until April 30, 2012 Distribution Volumetric Rate	\$ \$ \$/kW	4,039.33 40.64 73.25 3.3601
Low Voltage Service Rate	\$/kW	0.02516
Rate Rider for Global Adjustment Sub-Account Disposition (2012) – effective until December 31, 2012	•	
Applicable only for Non-RPP Customers	\$/kWh	0.0026
Rate Rider for Tax Change – effective until April 30, 2012	\$/kW	(0.0624)
Rate Rider for Lost Revenue Adjustment Mechanism (LRAM) Recovery (2012)		
– effective until December 31, 2012	\$/kW	0.0213
Rate Rider for Deferral/Variance Account Disposition (2012) – effective until December 31, 2012	\$/kW	(1.4910)
Rate Rider for Foregone Revenue – effective until December 31, 2012	\$/kW	0.0392
Retail Transmission Rate – Network Service Rate	\$/kW	2.8920
Retail Transmission Rate – Line and Transformation Connection Service Rate	\$/kW	1.7671

Wholesale Market Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0052
Rural Rate Protection Charge – effective until April 30, 2012	\$/kWh	0.0013
Rural Rate Protection Charge – effective on and after May 1, 2012	\$/kWh	0.0011
Standard Supply Service – Administrative Charge (if applicable)	\$	0.25

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### LARGE USE SERVICE CLASSIFICATION

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#### **MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES – Delivery Component**

Service Charge	\$	14,669.82
Rate Rider for Recovery of Residual Historical Smart Meter Costs – effective until December 31, 2012	\$	50.80
Rate Rider for Recovery of Late Payment Penalty Litigation Costs – effective until April 30, 2012	\$	212.88
Distribution Volumetric Rate	\$/kW	3.1907
Low Voltage Service Rate	\$/kW	0.02833
Rate Rider for Global Adjustment Sub-Account Disposition (2012) – effective until December 31, 2012		
Applicable only for Non-RPP Customers	\$/kWh	0.0026
Rate Rider for Tax Change – effective until April 30, 2012	\$/kW	(0.0539)
Rate Rider for Lost Revenue Adjustment Mechanism (LRAM) Recovery – effective until December 31, 2012	\$/kW	0.0213
Rate Rider for Deferral/Variance Account Disposition (2012) – effective until December 31, 2012	\$/kW	(1.7416)
Rate Rider for Foregone Revenue – effective until December 31, 2012	\$/kW	0.0350
Retail Transmission Rate – Network Service Rate	\$/kW	3.2058
Retail Transmission Rate – Line and Transformation Connection Service Rate	\$/kW	1.9900

Wholesale Market Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0052
Rural Rate Protection Charge – effective until April 30, 2012	\$/kWh	0.0013
Rural Rate Protection Charge – effective on and after May 1, 2012	\$/kWh	0.0011
Standard Supply Service – Administrative Charge (if applicable)	\$	0.25

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### UNMETERED SCATTERED LOAD SERVICE CLASSIFICATION

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#### **MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES – Delivery Component**

Service Charge (per connection)	\$	4.26
Rate Rider for Recovery of Late Payment Penalty Litigation Costs – effective until April 30, 2012	\$	0.11
Distribution Volumetric Rate	\$/kWh	0.0211
Low Voltage Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.00006
Rate Rider for Tax Change – effective until April 30, 2012	\$/kWh	(0.0003)
Rate Rider for Deferral/Variance Account Disposition (2012) – effective until December 31, 2012	\$/kWh	(0.0030)
Rate Rider for Foregone Revenue – effective until December 31, 2012	\$/kWh	0.0001
Retail Transmission Rate – Network Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0067
Retail Transmission Rate – Line and Transformation Connection Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0041

Wholesale Market Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0052
Rural Rate Protection Charge – effective until April 30, 2012	\$/kWh	0.0013
Rural Rate Protection Charge – effective on and after May 1, 2012	\$/kWh	0.0011
Standard Supply Service – Administrative Charge (if applicable)	\$	0.25

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### STANDBY POWER SERVICE CLASSIFICATION

This classification refers to an account that has Load Displacement Generation equal to or greater than 500 kW and requires the distributor to provide back-up service. Further servicing details are available in the distributor's Conditions of Service.

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#### **MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES – APPROVED ON AN INTERIM BASIS**

Service Charge Standby Charge – for a month where standby power is not provided. The charge is applied to the	\$	117.90
contracted amount (e.g. nameplate rating of generation facility):		
General Service 50 to 1,499 kW customer	\$/kW	1.5734
General Service 1,500 to 4,999 kW customer	\$/kW	1.4433
General Service Large Use customer	\$/kW	1.6016
Rate Rider for Tax Change – effective until April 30, 2012		
General Service 50 to 1,499 kW customer	\$/kW	(0.0207)
General Service 1,500 to 4,999 kW customer	\$/kW	(0.0166)
General Service Large Use customer	\$/kW	(0.0211)
Rate Rider for Foregone Revenue – effective until December 31, 2012		· · · ·
General Service 1,500 to 4,999 kW customer	\$/kW	0.0112

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### SENTINEL LIGHTING SERVICE CLASSIFICATION

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#### **MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES – Delivery Component**

Service Charge (per connection)	\$	2.52
Rate Rider for Recovery of Late Payment Penalty Litigation Costs – effective until April 30, 2012	\$	0.01
Distribution Volumetric Rate	\$/kW	9.6661
Low Voltage Service Rate	\$/kW	0.01785
Rate Rider for Tax Change – effective until April 30, 2012	\$/kW	(0.1900)
Rate Rider for Deferral/Variance Account Disposition (2012) – effective until December 31, 2012	\$/kW	(1.0640)
Rate Rider for Foregone Revenue – effective until December 31, 2012	\$/kW	0.4400
Retail Transmission Rate – Network Service Rate	\$/kW	2.0560
Retail Transmission Rate – Line and Transformation Connection Service Rate	\$/kW	1.2284

Wholesale Market Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0052
Rural Rate Protection Charge – effective until April 30, 2012	\$/kWh	0.0013
Rural Rate Protection Charge – effective on and after May 1, 2012	\$/kWh	0.0011
Standard Supply Service – Administrative Charge (if applicable)	\$	0.25

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### STREET LIGHTING SERVICE CLASSIFICATION

This classification refers to an account for roadway lighting with a Municipality, Regional Municipality, Ministry of Transportation and private roadway lighting controlled by photocells. The consumption for these customers is based on the calculated connected load times the required lighting times established in the approved OEB street lighting load shape template. Further servicing details are available in the distributor's Conditions of Service.

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#### **MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES – Delivery Component**

Service Charge (per connection)	\$	0.54
Rate Rider for Recovery of Late Payment Penalty Litigation Costs – effective until April 30, 2012	\$	0.01
Distribution Volumetric Rate	\$/kW	3.8523
Low Voltage Service Rate	\$/kW	0.01749
Rate Rider for Global Adjustment Sub-Account Disposition (2012) – effective until December 31, 2012		
Applicable only for Non-RPP Customers	\$/kWh	0.0026
Rate Rider for Tax Change – effective until April 30, 2012	\$/kW	(0.0735)
Rate Rider for Deferral/Variance Account Disposition (2012) – effective until December 31, 2012	\$/kW	(1.0094)
Rate Rider for Foregone Revenue – effective until December 31, 2012	\$/kW	0.0602
Retail Transmission Rate – Network Service Rate	\$/kW	2.0665
Retail Transmission Rate – Line and Transformation Connection Service Rate	\$/kW	1.2540

Wholesale Market Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0052
Rural Rate Protection Charge – effective until April 30, 2012	\$/kWh	0.0013
Rural Rate Protection Charge – effective on and after May 1, 2012	\$/kWh	0.0011
Standard Supply Service – Administrative Charge (if applicable)	\$	0.25

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### microFIT GENERATOR SERVICE CLASSIFICATION

This classification applies to an electricity generation facility contracted under the Ontario Power Authority's microFIT program and connected to the distributor's distribution system. Further servicing details are available in the distributor's Conditions of Service.

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#### **MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES – Delivery Component**

Service Charge

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### ALLOWANCES

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Transformer Allowance for Ownership - per kW of billing demand/month	\$	(0.45)
Primary Metering Allowance for transformer losses – applied to measured demand and energy	%	(1.00)

### SPECIFIC SERVICE CHARGES

#### APPLICATION

The application of these rates and charges shall be in accordance with the Licence of the Distributor and any Code or Order of the Board, and amendments thereto as approved by the Board, which may be applicable to the administration of this schedule.

No charges to meet the costs of any work or service done or furnished for the purpose of the distribution of electricity shall be made except as permitted by this schedule, unless required by the Distributor's Licence or a Code or Order of the Board, and amendments thereto as approved by the Board, or as specified herein.

It should be noted that this schedule does not list any charges, assessments or credits that are required by law to be invoiced by a distributor and that are not subject to Board approval, such as the Debt Retirement Charge, the Global Adjustment, the Ontario Clean Energy Benefit and the HST.

Customer Administration		
Arrears Certificate	\$	15.00
Duplicate invoices for previous billing	\$	15.00
Request for other billing information	\$	15.00
Credit reference/credit check (plus credit agency costs)	\$	15.00
Unprocessed Payment Charge (plus bank charges)	\$	15.00
Account set up charge/change of occupancy charge (plus credit agency costs if applicable)	\$	30.00
Non-Payment of Account		
Late Payment - per month	%	1.50
Late Payment - per annum	%	19.56
Collection of account charge – no disconnection	\$	30.00
Disconnect/Reconnect at meter – during regular hours	\$	65.00
Disconnect/Reconnect at Meter - after regular hours	\$	185.00
Disconnect/Reconnect at Pole – during regular hours	\$	185.00
Disconnect/Reconnect at Pole – after regular hours	\$	415.00
Temporary Service install & remove – overhead – no transformer	\$	500.00
Specific Charge for Access to the Power Poles – per pole/year	\$	22.35
Dry core transformer distribution charge	As per	Attached Table

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### **RETAIL SERVICE CHARGES (if applicable)**

#### APPLICATION

The application of these rates and charges shall be in accordance with the Licence of the Distributor and any Code or Order of the Board, and amendments thereto as approved by the Board, which may be applicable to the administration of this schedule.

No rates and charges for the distribution of electricity and charges to meet the costs of any work or service done or furnished for the purpose of the distribution of electricity shall be made except as permitted by this schedule, unless required by the Distributor's Licence or a Code or Order of the Board, and amendments thereto as approved by the Board, or as specified herein.

Unless specifically noted, this schedule does not contain any charges for the electricity commodity, be it under the Regulated Price Plan, a contract with a retailer or the wholesale market price, as applicable.

It should be noted that this schedule does not list any charges, assessments or credits that are required by law to be invoiced by a distributor and that are not subject to Board approval, such as the Debt Retirement Charge, the Global Adjustment, the Ontario Clean Energy Benefit and the HST.

Retail Service Charges refer to services provided by a distributor to retailers or customers related to the supply of competitive electricity

One-time charge, per retailer, to establish the service agreement between the distributor and the retailer Monthly Fixed Charge, per retailer	\$ \$	100.00 20.00
Monthly Variable Charge, per customer, per retailer	\$/cust.	0.50
Distributor-consolidated billing monthly charge, per customer, per retailer	\$/cust.	0.30
Retailer-consolidated billing monthly credit, per customer, per retailer	\$/cust.	(0.30)
Service Transaction Requests (STR)		
Request fee, per request, applied to the requesting party	\$	0.25
Processing fee, per request, applied to the requesting party	\$	0.50
Request for customer information as outlined in Section 10.6.3 and Chapter 11 of the Retail		
Settlement Code directly to retailers and customers, if not delivered electronically through the		
Electronic Business Transaction (EBT) system, applied to the requesting party		
Up to twice a year		no charge
More than twice a year, per request (plus incremental delivery costs)	\$	2.00

### LOSS FACTORS

If the distributor is not capable of prorating changed loss factors jointly with distribution rates, the revised loss factors will be implemented upon the first subsequent billing for each billing cycle.

Total Loss Factor – Secondary Metered Customer < 5,000 kW	1.0358
Total Loss Factor – Secondary Metered Customer > 5,000 kW	1.0170
Total Loss Factor – Primary Metered Customer < 5,000 kW	1.0254
Total Loss Factor – Primary Metered Customer > 5,000 kW	1.0069

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Transformers	No Load Loss (W)	Load Loss (W)	Cost of Transmission and LV per kW	Cost of Energy and Wholesale Market per kWh	Total Monthly cost of power	Cost of Distribution per kW	Total
Rates			\$4.4386	\$0.0874		\$2.8491	
25 KVA 1 PH	150	900	\$0.71	\$7.95	\$8.66	\$0.46	\$9.12
37.5 KVA 1 PH	200	1200	\$0.95	\$10.60	\$11.55	\$0.61	\$12.16
50 KVA 1 PH	250	1600	\$1.21	\$13.33	\$14.54	\$0.78	\$15.32
75 KVA 1 PH	350	1900	\$1.62	\$18.37	\$19.99	\$1.04	\$21.03
100 KVA 1 PH	400	2600	\$1.95	\$21.36	\$23.31	\$1.25	\$24.56
150 KVA 1 PH	525	3500	\$2.58	\$28.11	\$30.69	\$1.66	\$32.35
167 KVA 1 PH	650	4400	\$3.21	\$34.86	\$38.07	\$2.06	\$40.13
200 KVA 1 PH	696	4700	\$3.43	\$37.32	\$40.75	\$2.20	\$42.96
225 KVA 1 PH	748	5050	\$3.69	\$40.11	\$43.80	\$2.37	\$46.16
250 KVA 1 PH	800	5400	\$3.95	\$42.89	\$46.84	\$2.53	\$49.37
*15 KVA 3 PH	125	650	\$0.57	\$6.54	\$7.11	\$0.37	\$7.47
*45 KVA 3 PH	300	1800	\$1.43	\$15.89	\$17.32	\$0.92	\$18.24
*75 KVA 3 PH	400	2400	\$1.90	\$21.19	\$23.09	\$1.22	\$24.31
*112.5 KVA 3 PH	600	3400	\$2.81	\$31.62	\$34.42	\$1.80	\$36.22
*150 KVA 3 PH	700	4500	\$3.40	\$37.34	\$40.74	\$2.18	\$42.92
*225 KVA 3 PH	900	5300	\$4.26	\$47.60	\$51.85	\$2.73	\$54.58
*300 KVA 3 PH	1100	6300	\$5.16	\$58.02	\$63.18	\$3.31	\$66.49
*500 KVA 3 PH	1500	9700	\$7.30	\$80.06	\$87.36	\$4.69	\$92.05
*750 KVA 3 PH	2100	12000	\$9.84	\$110.74	\$120.59	\$6.32	\$126.90
*1000 KVA 3 PH	2600	15000	\$12.22	\$137.23	\$149.45	\$7.84	\$157.30
*1500 KVA 3 PH	4000	22000	\$18.54	\$210.21	\$228.76	\$11.90	\$240.66
*2000 KVA 3 PH	4800	24000	\$21.68	\$250.21	\$271.89	\$13.92	\$285.81
*2500 KVA 3 PH	5700	26000	\$25.15	\$295.00	\$320.15	\$16.15	\$336.30

#### **Dry Core Transformer Charges**

No Load and Load Losses from CSA standard C802-94 Maximum losses for distribution power and dry-type transformers commercial use

Average load factor = 0.46 average loss factor = 0.2489

\* For non-preferred KVA ratings no load and load losses are interpolated as per CSA standard

**APPENDIX B** 

### TO RATE ORDER

# Hydro Ottawa Limited

# 2012 Electricity Distribution Rates

### EB-2011-0054

January 26, 2012

#### Hydro Ottawa Limited Accounting Order EB-2011-0054 January 26, 2012

Hydro Ottawa Limited ("Hydro Ottawa") shall establish the following deferral account effective January 1, 2012:

#### 1508 Other Regulatory Assets, Sub-account OPEB Deferral Account

Hydro Ottawa shall establish the Other Post Employment Benefits ("OPEB") Deferral Account to record the cumulative actuarial gains or losses in Hydro Ottawa's post-retirement benefits in Account 1508, Other Regulatory Assets, Sub-account OPEB Deferral Account. Hydro Ottawa shall capture the one-time adjustment of approximately \$2.8 million to the post-retirement liability on the date of transition to IFRS. This amount shall result from an election applied under IFRS 1 that would otherwise result in a charge to Hydro Ottawa's retained earnings. The amount of the one-time adjustment that will be recorded in this account shall be supported by an actuarial valuation when disposition of the deferral account is sought by Hydro Ottawa.

The deferral account shall be adjusted as required to record changes in the cumulative actuarial gains or losses in Hydro Ottawa's post retirement benefits as supported by updated actuarial valuations prepared for Hydro Ottawa. The adjustments to the deferral account shall be made to offset the effect on Hydro Ottawa's income that would otherwise result from the actuarial adjustments made to the cumulative actuarial gains or losses.

No carrying charges shall be recorded on this account.