

# **EMPOWERING ONTARIO'S ENERGY FUTURE**

We are the Ontario Energy Board (OEB) - Ontario's independent energy regulator. We work to ensure a sustainable, reliable energy sector that helps consumers get value from their natural gas and electricity services – for today and tomorrow.

We are currently seeking an energetic and collaborative individual to join our team as an Expert Regulatory Accountant in the Electricity Distribution - Incentive Rate Setting & Regulatory Accounting department. In this role, you will be responsible providing professional regulatory accounting, financial and technical expertise and advice to the Ontario Energy Board.

Title	Expert Regulatory Accountant
Job ID	#626
Position	Permanent Position
Closing Date	February 19, 2020

This is an exciting opportunity for an individual with knowledge of how utilities are regulated and with an interest in assisting the OEB to achieve its vision of protecting the long-term integrity of the Province's energy system so that Ontarians – today and in the future – have access to reliable energy at a reasonable cost.

### **POSITION OVERVIEW**

- Reviews all regulatory accounting, financial, and tax matters and provides expert advice as an individual or team member
- Acts as subject matter expert relating to accounting related matters in rates, leaves to construct,
  Mergers, Acquisitions, Amalgamations and Divestitures (MAADs) and other cases
- Leads or participates in the settlement of issues with applicants and other stakeholders develops interrogatories, participates in technical conference questioning, prepares briefing notes, staff submissions and cross-examinations in preparation of public hearings
- Leads or participates in the OEB's policy related initiatives and studies
- Maintains and develops regulatory accounting/tax section of the rate application filing guidelines, accounting procedures handbook, and the uniform system of accounts of regulated utilities
- Provides interpretation of OEB rules and procedures to others and works with other groups to develop communication materials
- Leads and/or participates in educational webinars delivered to industry stakeholders
- Provides assistance in responding to Industry Relations Enquires (IREs)
- Establishes personal networks and keeps current with professional publications to maintain professional knowledge and relationships in the industry

## **Qualifications:**

- Undergraduate degree in one of: Finance, Accounting, or Business Administration
- A Chartered Professional Accountant (CPA), Chartered Accountant (CA) designation is strongly preferred
- 5+ years experience as a professional accountant in financial reporting, audit, and/or regulatory accounting
- 5+ years experience performing quantitative and qualitative analysis and providing recommendations,
- Previous experience with accounting, taxation rules pertaining to regulatory accounting, IFRS, USGAAP and Canadian GAAP, and corporate taxation in Canada is required
- Experience working in a rate regulated industry, familiarity with regulatory accounting standards, and the OEB accounting procedures handbook is preferred
- Previous experience being a subject matter expert in: mergers and acquisitions; interpreting external financial reporting standards, regulatory accounting reporting standards; and corporate tax accounting is a definite asset
- Advanced working knowledge of MS Excel and MS Word
- Strong written and verbal communication skills
- Strong collaborative and excellent interpersonal skills

#### **OUR CULTURE**

If you enjoy working with a group of staff dedicated to working cooperatively with stakeholders to help build and sustain public confidence in Ontario's natural gas and electricity sectors, you will enjoy being a member of our team. We offer an environment that provides intellectually challenging work, inspires innovation, creativity and rewards collaboration.

# COME WORK WITH US

## **WE OFFER**

- Competitive salary and benefits
- Comprehensive Health and Dental Plans
- Income Protection Plan
- Progressive Leave Program
- Employee Assistant Program

# **TO APPLY**

If you would like to explore this exciting opportunity, please e-mail your resume, in confidence, by the closing date to <u>careers@oeb.ca</u>. When applying, please quote **Job ID** and the **Position Title** in the subject line of your e-mail.

As Ontario's independent energy regulator, the OEB is proud to be an Equal Opportunity Employer and we are committed to providing barrier-free and accessible employment practices in compliance with the Ontario Human Rights Code (OHRC) and the Accessibility for Ontarians with Disabilities Act (AODA). Should you require any assistance please let us know.

We appreciate the interest of all candidates. We regret that only those candidates under consideration will be contacted.