



Intergovernmental Affairs
The Public Utilities Board
400 - 330 Portage

"APPENDIX I"

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INTERVENOR REQUEST FORM

1. Application Re Hearing:		
MPI 2016 General Rate Application		
2. Name of Requesting Party:		
Consumers' Association of Canada (Manitoba Branch)		
3. Address of Requesting Party:		
c/o Public Interest Law Centre		
4. Phone Number:	Business:	Residence
	204.985.8540	
	Fax Number:	E-mail:
	204.985.8544	bywil@pilc.mb.ca , sukno@pilc.mb.ca
5. Contact Person(s):		
Byron Williams		
6. Address:		
Same		
7. Phone Number:	Business:	Residence:
	Fax Number:	E-mail:
8. State reasons for the proposed intervention (please be specific).		
<p>To determine whether proposed rates are just and reasonable. Please see Attachment A for preliminary issues list. Please see Attachment B for comments on proposed issues list of PUB and MPI.</p>		

9. State nature of proposed intervention.		
a) Do you intend	Yes	No
(i) to appear throughout the hearing:	X	
(ii) to participate in the production of evidence:	X	
(iii) to participate in the testing of evidence:	X	
(iv) to present final argument:	X	
b) Do you intend to call witnesses:	Yes	No
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c) If yes to No. 9b), please provide witness':		
(i) Name:		
(ii) Address:		
(iii) Qualifications:		
(iv) Subject of submission (please note date for filing submission):		
<p>CAC MB has not determined whether it will seek to call a witness. It is considering calling a witness on the implication for risk and opportunity cost of the ALM study. However, the study requires further review. CAC MB does not expect to file DCAT evidence but will not form a final opinion until reviewing the study.</p>		
10. Will you be applying for costs under Board Order No. 163/87:	Yes	No
	X	
<p>If yes: Refer to Section 41 of Rules of Practice and Procedure. Provide detailed budget as per the attached Appendix II.</p>		
11. Comments and other information:		

In terms of schedule, CAC MB expects to be able to file most information requests by July 6, 2015 (it hopes to file some on July 3, 2015). However, CAC MB may request until July 8, 2015 for a small number of IRs.

Consideration might be given to a half day or whole day technical conference on the DCAT and model in order to reduce the number of information requests and cross examination time during the hearing. The technical conference could be scheduled in August at least one week prior to second round IRs.



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INTERVENER BUDGET AND COST SUMMARY SHEET

To be used to prepare a budget for the Intervener Request
Form, Item 10, and to make a claim for an Award of Costs.

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Prepared by:		Date:
Byron Williams		June 22, 2015
Hearing:		
MPI 2016 GRA		
Period Covered:		
June – October, 2015		
Intervener's Name:		
Consumers' Association of Canada (Manitoba Branch)		
Contact Person or Persons:		
Byron Williams, Public Interest Law Centre of Legal Aid Manitoba		
Address:		
200 – 393 Portage Avenue, Winnipeg R3B 3H6		
Phone Number:	Business:	Residence:
	204.985.8540	
Phone Number:	Fax Number:	E-mail:
	204.985.8544	bywil@pilc.mb.ca , sukno@pilc.mb.ca

See Costs on Page 2.

FEES – to be completed for legal counsel or experts

Byron Williams, legal counsel				COSTS
PREPARATION:	Hours 154	Days	Rate \$224	\$34,496
APPEARANCE:	Hours 66	Days	Rate \$224	\$14,784
ARGUMENT & REPLY	Hours	Days	Rate	
FEES TOTAL	Hours 220	Days	\$224	\$49,280

DISBURSEMENTS

				COSTS
TRAVEL (AUTO)	Miles	Rates		
TRAVEL (OTHER)				
ACCOMMODATION	Nights	Rates		
MEALS	Number			
MISCELLANEOUS	Taxis	Telephone	Supplies -photocopies	\$2,000
DISBURSEMENTS TOTAL				

TOTAL FEES AND DISBURSEMENTS	\$51,280
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NOTE: Receipts must be attached for all disbursements.

FEES – to be completed for legal counsel or experts

Andrea Sherry, Consultant				COSTS
PREPARATION:	Hours 137.75	Days	Rate \$250.00 *	\$34,437.50
APPEARANCE:	Hours	Days	Rate	
ARGUMENT & REPLY	Hours	Days	Rate	
FEES TOTAL	Hours	Days	Rate	\$34,437.50

DISBURSEMENTS

				COSTS
TRAVEL (AUTO)	Miles	Rates		
TRAVEL (OTHER)				
ACCOMMODATION	Nights	Rates		
MEALS	Number			
MISCELLANEOUS	Taxis	Telephone	Supplies	
DISBURSEMENTS TOTAL				0.00

TOTAL FEES AND DISBURSEMENTS	\$34,437.50
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NOTE: Receipts must be attached for all disbursements.

* Below market rates, previously approved in prior PUB hearings.

FEES – to be completed for legal counsel or experts

Oakwood Strategy Group Inc., Peter Dyck, Consultant				COSTS
PREPARATION:	Hours 195	Days	Rate \$210.00	\$40,950.00
APPEARANCE:	Hours	Days	Rate	
ARGUMENT & REPLY	Hours	Days	Rate	
FEES TOTAL	Hours	Days	Rate	\$40,950.00

DISBURSEMENTS

				COSTS
TRAVEL (AUTO)	Miles	Rates		
TRAVEL (OTHER)				
ACCOMMODATION	Nights	Rates		
MEALS	Number			
MISCELLANEOUS	Taxis	Telephone	Supplies	
DISBURSEMENTS TOTAL				0.00

TOTAL FEES AND DISBURSEMENTS	\$40,950.00
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