

ENERGY Media Calls | Tuesday, June 13

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Hi all – one ministry inquiry and two to the OEB. Note the second OEB inquiry was from Allison Jones, asking about when the remainder of Fair Hydro Plan reductions will be hitting bills.

Have a good night.

James

Ministry: 1 inquiry

Topic : Hydro One rates

Reporter & Outlet : André Fauteux (Editor/Publisher), La Maison du 21e siècle Magazine

Response Type : Ministry spokesperson

Reporter's Questions:

Can you please detail the present residential rate in cents/kWh and how much they will be after your law on equitable rates will be adopted?

Response:

TBD.

Agencies: 2 inquiries

Agency: OEB

Topic: HON1 Rate Application

Reporter & Outlet: Alan Haberstadt (Editor), Biz X Magazine

Response Type: OEB Spokesperson

Reporter's Questions:

1. How does this process relate to the Fair Hydro Plan in terms of impact for the promised 25% cut?
2. What are the areas in South Western Ontario that will be affected by this application?
3. What is the expected timing of the decision?

Response:

TBC

Agency: OEB

Topic: Fair Hydro Act

Reporter & Outlet: Allison Jones, Canadian Press

Response Type: OEB spokesperson

Reporter's Questions:

I know the OEB announced May 1 that some of the reductions from the Fair Hydro Plan would be reflected on bills starting that day, in anticipation of the legislation passing.

Since it did indeed pass a couple of weeks ago, I'm just wondering if you know yet when the rest of the reductions are going to be reflected on bills?

Response:

Starting May 1st, the OEB implemented price reductions that will reduce the average electricity bill of the typical customer by 17%. These reductions were part of the government's Fair Hydro Plan. Additional reductions will come into effect on July 1st, now that the Fair Hydro Act has been passed.

Minister's Office: 0 inquiries