

FW: CRA Wet Signature...

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Hi.

Was in Ottawa on Friday and was meeting with Ontario guys (Jamie and Lindsay) as they had asked for a whole "Ontario Fair Hydro Plan" briefing. Used it as an opportunity to mention once again that CRA is holding up some potentially meaningful program updates for the low-income project : Ontario Electricity Support Program (OESP). Given that PM apparently got an earful about hydro prices on his Tim Horton's tour in new year, they were most receptive about leaning on Federal Finance on this post-budget. I gave them this memo (enclosed) from OEB about what the ask is to remove "wet signature" requirement.

Ali - your shop did some work with them last year, but we all got punted to CRA vortex.

Overall - I was keen to not rock the fed-prov boat at all, so underscored that order of priorities for Ontario, that always comes from Mr. Coe's shop, for clarity.

Please let me know if you should need anything further.

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