

Financial assistance

3. (1) A consumer who has an eligible account during a billing period is entitled to receive financial assistance in respect of the cost of electricity during the billing period in an amount equal to 8 per cent of the base invoice amount for the billing period in respect of the eligible account.

Maximums

(1.1) Despite subsection (1), the financial assistance is limited to the extent of financial assistance provided for in the regulations.

Encouraging electricity conservation

(1.2) A regulation made for the purposes of subsection (1.1) may only be made [to encourage/if it encourages] the conservation of electricity.

Exception

(2) Despite subsection (1), a consumer is not entitled to receive financial assistance under this Act,

- (a) in respect of electricity consumed in generation station service;
- (b) in such circumstances as may be prescribed by the regulations; or
- (c) if the regulations prescribe that the consumer is not entitled to receive financial assistance.

Regulations

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