

Draft OFHP Legislation vs. Model: Mapping

Major Model Component	Corresponding Legislation (v.3)	Gaps/ Potential Risk(s)	Related Changes (v.4)	Players (v.4)
Pre-Implementation Model Calculations	- Aligns with “Rate Determination” section of draft legislation 6xx. (2) stipulates that rate paid by specified consumer is the average baseline rate that would be payable by a representative consumer in order to receive a 25% discount	N/A - Wording aligns with model rate calculation	25% calculation explanation moved to 6(1)xx.1 – same mechanism - Now referred to as “First Fair Adjustment” - New sections added describing RPP (6.1) and non-RPP (RPP-eligible) (6.2) consumers	[How] 6.1xx, 6.2xx [Who] 6.3xx [OEB] 7xx [LGIC]
Total Amount Borrowed	- Addressed in “IESO Funding Shortfall” section of draft legislation 18xx - the shortfall is referred to as the regulatory asset and then when sold becomes an investment asset 20xx – the shortfall is recorded in a variance account by IESO; IESO cannot recover the shortfall from consumers until May 1, 2022 20xx(1) – high level calculations methodology	- N/A – Legislation contains some details related to the handling of amount borrowed 20xx(1) – “any other adjustments as may be prescribed” that is to be subtracted from the sum of invoices – unclear what this refers to	20xx.(1) – IESO Funding Shortfall calculation removed and replaced with “in accordance with regulations”; addressing the lack of clarity around “any other adjustments”	[How] 20xx(1) [Who] 20xx [IESO] 21xx [OEB]
Mitigation Phase (2018-2022)	“Fair Adjustment” section broadly addresses potential needs for rate adjustment from 2018 to 2022 7xx discusses regulations by the Lieutenant Governor in council to address necessary rate adjustments - Regulation-making power section pending (flagged in 38xx) and	Regulation-making power section pending (flagged in 38xx) and needs to be dealt with in the new draft	- Differentiation now made between first fair adjustment vs. “subsequent fair adjustment” (by Lieutenant Governor, per regulation, as needed) - Clarified that regulation is not to prescribe “rate adjustment” but rather the “methodology”	[Who] 7xx [LGIC] 38xx [LGIC]

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	needs to be dealt with in the new draft		38xx expanded to address regulation-making power by the Lieutenant Governor	
Rate Increase Phase (2022-2028)	Mechanism for managing the Rate Increase Phase (2022-2028) not explicitly addressed	- The overall rate increase from 2022-2028 in the OFHP scenario is already extremely high at 6.3% each year, making ratepayers extremely vulnerable to further price changes during this period - Alternative policy changes to ease the financial pressure would result in a fiscal impact	Mechanism for managing the Rate Increase Phase (2022-2028) still not explicitly addressed	*Unclear from the legislation whether this is the responsibility of the Financial Services Manager
Repayment Phase (2028-2047)	“Clean Energy Adjustment” section addresses the repayment 8xx discusses the payment of the Clean Energy Adjustment (i.e., amount added to consumer invoices during repayment phase) 8xx. (4) discusses indebtedness of consumers (i.e., payment owing)	In cases of consumer defaults, delays, billing lags and write-offs, some risks are borne by LDCs who are responsible to pay 100% of amounts owed, irrespective whether they recover 100% of the payment from customers – this is not explicitly stated in legislation	8xx.(5) (newly added) – “debt obligation may be enforced independently from any other payment obligation or indebtedness owing” – what does this mean? Who enforces and how?	[Who] 10xx(1) [Financial Services Manager]
True Up Amount	- Addresses the discrepancies between estimate and actual – mechanism to add the true-up amount to the next bill estimate 10xx.(2) discusses potential	Regulation-making power section pending (flagged in 38xx) and needs to be dealt with in the new draft	38xx expanded to address regulation-making power by the Lieutenant Governor	[Who] 10xx(2) 38xx

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