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January 16, 2012

Yukon Utilities Board
Box 31728
Whitehorse, Yukon
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Attn: Mr. Bruce McLennan
YUB Chair

Re: Leading Edge Projects' Intervenor Cost Award claim for Yukon Energy Corporation (Yukon Energy) and The Yukon Electrical Co. Ltd. (YECL) (together the Utilities) Diesel Fuel Price Variance Account – Rider F Policy review written proceeding before the Yukon Utilities Board

Dear Mr. McLennan:

This letter and the attached supporting information constitute the Leading Edge Projects Inc. (Leading Edge) Intervenor Cost Award claim. The Yukon Utilities Board's (the "Board") consideration of this claim for \$1,084.13 is appreciated.

Attached is an Affidavit affirming that the time related costs claimed were indeed incurred and the YUB provided spreadsheet form detailing the time related costs. Please note that the time claim includes, for illustrative purposes, an hourly rate of \$35. Leading Edge understands that the Intervenor Cost Award claim, including the hourly rate, is at the discretion of the Board.

John Maissan of Leading Edge is well qualified to be an effective intervenor. He is a Registered Professional Engineer in Yukon, with a Permit to Practice from the Association of Professional Engineers of Yukon. John held senior engineering positions for about 14 years with Yukon Energy, and has been a member of a Yukon Energy witness panel in proceedings before the Board on a few occasions in the past. With this background he has a broad familiarity with the regulated electrical utilities of Yukon and with their technical issues in particular. John has had his own consulting business (Leading Edge) since 2003 and has been an intervenor or observer in various proceedings since then.

Leading Edge (John Maissan) was granted Intervenor status in Board Order 2011-11. John Maissan studied the Policy filing, reviewed the supporting materials, reviewed the legislation governing the Diesel Fuel Price Variance Account and Rider F, prepared

Interrogatory Requests on the Policy filing, studied the IR responses, prepared and submitted Written Argument, and prepared and submitted Reply Argument.

John Maissan's participation in the Board's written proceeding is characterized by clear and succinct communications in the Written and Reply Arguments submitted.

Confirmation of the relevancy of his participation to the issues under consideration by the Board can be found in the Board's Appendix A, Reasons for Decision to Board Order 2011-15. Leading Edge's IRs and positions on various matters were specifically referenced by the Board in its decision. These include the interpretation of Section 8 of OIC 1995/90, the timing of adjustments to Rider F as the DFPVA varies and Leading Edge's view of the Utilities' consistency in the past administration of the DFPVA. Leading Edge made major contributions to the understandings of interrelationships between the DFPVA and other matters involving diesel usage such as the DCF, capital works, and maintenance through IRs and Argument. As a result the board was able to make decisions and issue orders that make the allocation of diesel costs and credits clear to all parties. In particular the term "diesel on the margin" is now to be clearly defined as will the calculation methodologies governing the DCF into the future.

The time spent on the proceeding was kept to a minimum. As this was a written proceeding there was limited coordination and discussion that Leading Edge engaged in with other intervenors.

Should additional information or justification be required by the Board to consider this Intervenor Cost Award claim under its Intervenor Cost Award Policy, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Respectfully submitted,



John Maissan
C. Phase II GRA circulation list, by email

AFFIDAVIT

In the matter of awarding costs to Leading Edge Projects Inc. Pursuant to Section 56 of the
Public Utilities Act, the Yukon Utilities Board Rules of Practice and
the Intervenor Costs Award Policy

FOR

Yukon Energy Corporation and The Yukon Electrical Company Ltd. Diesel Fuel Price Variance
Account – Rider F Policy review

I SOLEMNLY DECLARE THAT:

The Cost Award claim of \$1,084.13 composed of time as detailed and supported in the attached documents has been incurred by me as a result of my participation in Yukon Energy Corporation and The Yukon Electrical Company Ltd. Diesel Fuel Price Variance Account – Rider F Policy review written proceeding before the Yukon Utilities Board, and has been derived in accordance with the Yukon Utilities Board Rules of Practice.

I MAKE THIS SOLEMN DECLARATION BELIEVING IT TO BE TRUE AND KNOWING THAT IT IS OF THE SAME FORCE AND EFFECT AS IF MADE UNDER OATH.



John F. Maissan, P.Eng.
President

Declared before me

At the city of Whitehorse

In the Yukon Territory

This 29 day of November, 2011.



Notary Public in and for
the Yukon Territory

Katrina J. Russell
Notary in and for the Yukon Territory
My Commission Expires: March 1st, 2012
108 Elliott Street • Whitehorse, YT • Y1A 6C4
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Summary of Total Costs Claimed

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Indicates for illustrative purposes only

Date <u>November 22, 2011</u>	Total Fees	Total Disbursements	GST	Total Fees, Disbursements, & GST
			Total GST on Fees & Disbursements	
Firm/Company Name Leading Edge Projects Inc.	\$1,032.50	\$0.00	\$51.63	\$1,084.13
Firm/Company Name				\$0.00
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Firm/Company Name				\$0.00
Firm/Company Name				\$0.00
Firm/Company Name				\$0.00
Firm/Company Name				\$0.00
TOTAL COSTS CLAIMED	\$1,032.50	\$0.00	\$51.63	\$1,084.13

Claimant Leading Edge Projects Inc.
Agent/Representative John F. Maissan, P.Eng.

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Applicant(s) Yukon Energy Corp. and The Yukon Electrical Co. Ltd.
Application(s) No. _____
Diesel Fuel Price Variance Account - Rider F Policy review
Hearing (written proceeding)

Summary of Professional Fees Claimed

Indicates for illustrative purposes only

Date Nov 22, 2011

PROFESSIONAL FEES											GST	Total
FIRM/COMPANY NAME	Years of Experience	Hourly Wage	Preparation		Attendance		Argument & Reply		Total Fees		Total GST on Professional Fees	Fees & GST
			Hours	Fees	Hours	Fees	Hours	Fees	Hours	Fees		
Individual Name												
John Maissan	20.0	\$35.00	15.50	\$542.50	0.00	\$0.00	14.00	\$490.00	29.50	\$1,032.50	\$51.63	\$1,084.13
Individual Name				\$0.00		\$0.00		\$0.00	0.00	\$0.00		\$0.00
Individual Name				\$0.00		\$0.00		\$0.00	0.00	\$0.00		\$0.00
Individual Name				\$0.00		\$0.00		\$0.00	0.00	\$0.00		\$0.00
Individual Name				\$0.00		\$0.00		\$0.00	0.00	\$0.00		\$0.00
Total This Company			15.50	\$542.50	0.00	\$0.00	14.00	\$490.00	29.50	\$1,032.50	\$51.63	\$1,084.13

FIRM/COMPANY NAME												
Individual Name	Years of Experience	Hourly Wage	Hours	Fees	Hours	Fees	Hours	Fees	Hours	Fees	Total GST on Professional Fees	Fees & GST
Individual Name				\$0.00		\$0.00		\$0.00		\$0.00		\$0.00
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Individual Name				\$0.00		\$0.00		\$0.00		\$0.00		\$0.00
Total This Company			0.00	\$0.00	0.00	\$0.00	0.00	\$0.00	0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00

Claimant Leading Edge Projects Inc.
Hearing Diesel Fuel Price Variance Account - Rider F Policy review

Applicant(s) Yukon Energy Corp. and The Yukon Electrical Co. Ltd.
Application(s) No. _____

Summary of Professional Fees Claimed

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Date _____

PROFESSIONAL FEES											GST	Total
Years of Experience	Hourly Wage	Preparation		Attendance		Argument & Reply		Total Fees		Total GST on Professional Fees	Fees & GST	
		Hours	Fees	Hours	Fees	Hours	Fees	Hours	Fees			
FIRM/COMPANY NAME												
Individual Name			\$0.00		\$0.00		\$0.00	0.00	\$0.00		\$0.00	
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Individual Name			\$0.00		\$0.00		\$0.00	0.00	\$0.00		\$0.00	
Individual Name			\$0.00		\$0.00		\$0.00	0.00	\$0.00		\$0.00	
Individual Name			\$0.00		\$0.00		\$0.00	0.00	\$0.00		\$0.00	
Total This Company		0.00	\$0.00	0.00	\$0.00	0.00	\$0.00	0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	

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Individual Name			\$0.00		\$0.00		\$0.00		\$0.00		\$0.00	
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Individual Name			\$0.00		\$0.00		\$0.00		\$0.00		\$0.00	
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Claimant Leading Edge Projects Inc.
 Hearing Diesel Fuel Price Variance Account - Rider F Policy review

Applicant(s) Yukon Energy Corp. and The Yukon Electrical Co. Ltd.
 Application(s) No. _____

YUKON UTILITIES BOARD

Summary of Disbursements Claimed

Date November 22, 2011

Disbursements Claimed (exclusive of GST)	Explanatory Notes	Number of Hours (where applicable) Number of Hours - Break down hours for Preparation for Hearing, Attendance at Hearing and Argument and Reply	Name of Claimant	Name of Claimant	Name of Claimant	Name of Claimant	Total Disbursements
Legal Fees	Maximum \$225/hr. including meals - Break down hours by firm/company and individual performing work						\$0.00
Consultant Fees	Maximum \$225/hr. including meals						\$0.00
Airfare	At economy or less fare, to and from hearing, only when attendance is required						\$0.00
Accommodation	During hearing days only						#REF!
Mileage	(\$0.61/km for road travel for Yukoners not residing in hearing location)						\$0.00
Taxi	Only to and from airports, when attending a hearing						\$0.00
Parking	Only for travel while attending a hearing						\$0.00
Transcripts	Actual costs						\$0.00
Postage	Actual costs						\$0.00
Courier	Actual costs						\$0.00
Computer Access	Only when computer access is required, external to the applicant's operations						\$0.00
Long distance telephone and fax	Actual costs						\$0.00
Internal photocopying	At claimant's costs or \$0.10/copy, whichever is less						\$0.00
External printing	Actual costs						\$0.00
Other	Please attach details and receipts						\$0.00
Other	Please attach details and receipts						\$0.00
Other	Please attach details and receipts						\$0.00
Other	Please attach details and receipts						\$0.00
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	Nil
Total GST on Disbursements							Nil

Claimant Leading Edge Projects Inc.
Diesel Fuel Price Variance Account - Rider F Policy review

Applicant(s) Yukon Energy Corp. and The Yukon Electrical Co. Ltd.