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Attention: Ms. Cheryl Blundon, Board Secretary

Dear Madam:

The Town of Conception Bay South is writing this letter of comment in response to Newfoundland and Labrador Hydro's application for a 6.4 per cent rate increase.

The Town's position is that this rate increase is unjustifiable as oil prices have decreased significantly since the application. The proposed increase will unfairly impact consumers who will see a significant increase in their electricity costs at a time when Newfoundland Power is able to reduce its rates.

Thank you for the opportunity to present our position on this rate increase application.

Sincerely,

**Town of Conception Bay South**

Ron Smith  
Mayor