

EMMIC's National Energy Board Electronic Document Finding Guide

What is the National Energy Board?

The National Energy Board (NEB) regulates, in the public interest, certain areas of the oil, gas and electricity industries relating to: construction and operation of pipelines and powerlines; traffic, tolls and tariffs of pipelines; exports of gas, oil and electricity and imports of gas and oil regulatory control of oil and gas activities on frontier lands.

What types of documents does the NEB produce?

NEB documents fall into two categories: Non-regulatory and Regulatory. Many of these documents are accessible on the NEB's website at http://www.neb-one.gc.ca/index_e.htm.

Non-Regulatory Documents:

- Most are available on the website under "Publications"
- Include: annual reports, *Regulatory Agenda* Index, news releases, information series and guides, frontier publications and statistical reports
- Statistical reports are found under "Statistics"



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How do I search for non-regulatory documents?

- Browse the listings under "Publications" and "Statistics" OR
- Go to "Search" and click "General Information"
 - Use keyword and Boolean expressions in search box

If you are looking for **General Information** such as Contact Us, Help, What's New, About Us, Publications, Energy, Safety and Environment, Newsroom, Links, Statistics, North/Offshore, Acts and Regulations, Hearings and Public Registries, **use the Search engine below:**

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SEARCH TIP: To search for an article, enter a single word, several words separated by the operator AND or OR, or a **phrase enclosed in quotation marks**. View our [search tips](#) for more information on how to search successfully.

Regulatory Documents:






- Are available under “Regulatory Documents” (see menu graphic, pg. 1)
- Reflect the NEB’s application and regulatory process
 - *For more details about this process and the specific documents it produces, see accompanying flowchart (pg. 4)

How are the regulatory documents organized?

The NEB has organized its regulatory documents in a hierarchical folder structure. For example:

Large folder → Folder → (compound document: i.e., binder) → specific document

The following icons indicate whether the item retrieved is a folder or document and what format the document is:

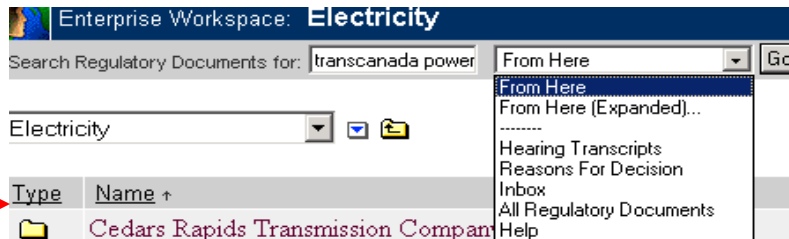
Repository item	Icon	Description
Folder		A container that stores other ERF items
PDF Document		A document in PDF format
HTML Document		A document in HTML format
URL		A link to a web site
Compound document		A container that stores multiple documents, like a binder.

How do I search for regulatory documents? (Two ways)

- Select “Regulatory Documents” from main page
- Select a category from the index provided (i.e., *electricity*)
- From the list of folders (these are company names), select the desired company name and open that folder
- Within the company folder, select the folder with the most appropriate application description or related topic to see the list of documents it contains
- From the list of documents, select the most appropriate

OR





- Select a category from the index provided (i.e., *electricity*)
- In the search box, enter **Company name** (i.e., TransCanada Power Corporation; this will bring up a listing of all documents connected to the company)
 - To limit further, select the desired option from the second box



- You can also enter:
 - **Filing # of document**, if known (i.e., A0C6Y3; this number will bring you directly to a specific document)
 - **Hearing Order #**, if known (i.e., EH-1-2002; this number will bring up any document that is connected to Electricity Hearing #1 of 2002)

Interpret results list as follows:

Specific Document Location: Folder
(Or compound document)

Score	Type	Name	Size	Location	Functions
86%		1995-03-01 Reasons for Decision RH-2-94	172 KB	 Reasons For Decision	 

PDF Document

Examples of Regulatory Documents that can be found in addition to those connected with the hearing process include:

- Audit Reports
- Compliance after a Board Order
- Comprehensive Studies
- Environmental Assessments
- Environmental Screenings
- Letters (Cover, of Comment, etc.)

National Energy Board Regulatory Process Summary

