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March 19, 2004

Canadian Radio-Television and
Telecommunications Commission
Ottawa, Ontario
K1A 0N2

**Attention: Ms. Diane Rheaume
Secretary General**

BY FAX AND E-MAIL

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Dear Ms. Rheaume:

**Re: CRTC Public Notice 2003-6; Consumer Bill of Rights
The Consumer Groups-Application for Costs**

Pursuant to s.44 of the *CRTC Telecommunications Rules of Procedure*, The Consumer Groups hereby apply for an award of costs in respect of their joint intervention in this proceeding.

The Consumer Groups submit that they have met the test for an award of costs, in that:

- (a) they represent a body of subscribers that has a clear interest in the outcome of the proceeding;
- (b) they have participated responsibly; and
- (c) they contributed to a better understanding of the issues through their comments in the proceeding.

With respect to (b) above, the Consumer Groups would additionally note that its efforts to co-ordinate its intervention with other subscriber group intervenors helped to minimize duplication of effort and focus the submissions in a way that should prove helpful to the Commission in the making of its Decision.

The Consumer Groups take no position on the appropriate respondents to this application, other than to note that this was an industry-wide proceeding, that was of principal concern to the ILECs who were made party to this proceeding by the Commission.

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Below is a Summary Bill of Costs (Form V). CRTC Forms 1 and 111 (for each individual claimant) are in hard copy only. Hard copies are being faxed to the Commission and to the Telco's but are available to any other party upon request.

Yours truly,



Michael Janigan
Co-Counsel for the Consumer Groups

cc: Interested Parties, PN 2003-6 e-mail only

The Consumer Groups: Bill of Costs
CRTC PN 2003-6
(Form V: Summary of Fees and Disbursements)

Legal Fees:

Michael Janigan \$ 2,570.94 (10.8 hours@\$230/hr, + 50% GST)

Philippa Lawson \$ 4,475.34 (18.8 hours@\$230/hr, + 50% GST)

Consultant/Analyst Fees:

David McKendry \$ 22,368.94 (123.5 hours@\$175/hr, + 50% GST)

Philippe Mercorio \$ 8,057.14 (141.0 hours@\$57.14/hr)

Disbursements: none claimed

TOTAL BILL: \$37,472.36

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Conseil de la radiodiffusion et des télécommunications canadiennes

Avis public 2003-6

Numéro d'ordonnance de frais : _____

**FORMULAIRE III - SOMMAIRE DES HONORAIRES
DES EXPERTS CONSEIL ET DES ANALYSTES**

Requérant(e) : UNION DES CONSOMMATEURS Réclamant(e) : PHILIPPE MERCURIO

Nature des honoraires: (en cocher un) Expert conseil
 Analyste

L'analyste est-il/elle un(e) employé(e) interne du/de la Requérant(e)? Oui
Non

(Si la réponse est négative, indiquer le nom de l'employeur : _____)

Années exercées comme expert conseil ou analyste : 8 Mois

(Déduire les périodes appropriées si le/la Réclamant(e) n'a pas agi continuellement comme expert conseil ou analyste)

Date à laquelle le/la Réclamant(e) a commencé à offrir des services expert conseil ou analyste : AOÛT 03

Taux réclamé : 400 \$/JR

SERVICE	TEMPS RÉCLAMÉ (Incréments d'un quart de jour pour les services internes)		HONORAIRES RÉCLAMÉS (Jours ou heures x taux)
	JOURS	HEURES	
PRÉPARATION:	JOURS OU HEURES		
Examen du dossier		70	
Préparation de demandes de renseignements		30	
Préparation des réponses		11	
Préparation d'observations		30	
Préparation de preuve			
Préparation pour l'audience			
Préparation du plaidoyer			
Consultation avec client(e)			
Gestion du dossier			
Autres (Préciser) :			
1.			
2.			
3.			
4.			
COMPARUTION :			
Comparution à une audience			
AUTRES (Préciser) :			
1.			
2.			
3.			
TOTAL DU TEMPS RÉCLAMÉ :	JOURS	HEURES	141 HRS
	400 \$/JR = 7 =	57.14 \$/HR	
TOTAL DES HONORAIRES :			\$
Ajouter TAXES (TPS @ %; TVP @ %; TVH @ %)			\$
Moins DÉGRÈVEMENT FISCAL si applicable (Indiquer la nature et le %:			\$
RÉCLAMATION TOTALE :			\$ 8057.14

Je certifie que les renseignements ci-dessus sont véridiques et exacts.

Date: 19/03/04 Signature du Réclamant(e) : Philippe Mercurio



Canadian Radio-television and
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Cost Order No.: 2003-6

FORM V - SUMMARY OF FEES AND DISBURSEMENTS

Applicant: THE CONSUMERS GROUP

FEES CLAIMED: (include all applicable taxes less any applicable tax rebates)				
NAME OF CLAIMANT	TOTAL CLAIM	SUBTOTAL	SUBTOTAL	TOTAL
LEGAL FEES:				
LEGAL COUNSEL: (List each individual separately)				
1. PHILIPPA LAWSON	4475.34			
2. MICHAEL JANIGAN	2570.94			
3.				
SUBTOTAL - Legal Counsel Fees			\$ 7,046.28	
LEGAL ASSISTANT: (List each individual separately)				
1.				
2.				
3.				
SUBTOTAL - Legal Assistant Fees			\$	
ARTICLING STUDENT: (List each individual separately)				
1.				
2.				
3.				
SUBTOTAL - Articling student fees			\$	
SUBTOTAL - LEGAL FEES				\$
CONSULTANTS/ANALYSTS FEES:				
CONSULTANTS: (List each individual separately)				
1. DAVID MCKENDRY	22,368.94			
2.				
3.				
SUBTOTAL - Consultant fees			\$ 22,368.94	
ANALYSTS: (List each individual separately)				
1. PHILIPPE MERCORIO	8,057.14			
2.				
3.				
SUBTOTAL - Analyst fees			\$ 8,057.14	
SUBTOTAL CONSULTANT/ANALYST FEES				\$ 30,426.08
EXPERT WITNESS FEES: (List each individual separately)				
1.				
2.				
SUBTOTAL - EXPERT WITNESS FEES			\$	
TOTAL FEES				\$ 37,472.36
DISBURSEMENTS: (include all applicable taxes less any applicable tax rebates)				
SUBTOTAL DISBURSEMENTS EXCLUDING MEALS				\$
SUBTOTAL MEALS CLAIMED				\$
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS				\$
TOTAL FEES AND DISBURSEMENTS				\$ 37,472.36



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FORM I - SUMMARY OF LEGAL FEES

Applicant: THE CONSUMERS GROUP

Claimant: MICHAEL JANIQUAU

Is the Claimant an in-house employee of the Applicant?

Yes If no, indicate name of employer:
No SELF

Claimant's Title: (check one)

- Articling Student
- Legal Assistant

Date when qualified as a law clerk or paralegal: _____

- Legal Counsel

For legal counsel that are not in-house:

Completed years of practice: 23

Year of Call to the Bar: 1980

Has the lawyer practised continually since Call to the Bar? Yes

(If no, provide details and explanations on a separate sheet) No

Rate Claimed: 230.⁰⁰

SERVICE	TIME CLAIMED (Use quarter-day increments for in-house services)		FEE CLAIMED (days or hours x rate)
	DAYS	HOURS	
PREPARATION:			
Review file		3.3	
Prepare interrogatories			
Respond to interrogatories		2.2	
Prepare comments			
Prepare evidence			
Prepare for hearing			
Prepare argument		4.7	
Consult with client			
Case management			
Other (specify):			
1.			
2.			
3.			
ATTENDANCE:			
Attend hearing			
Other (specify):			
1.			
2.			
PROCEDURAL:			
Costs Application		0.6	
Taxation Application			
Other (specify):			
1.			
2.			
3.			
TOTAL TIME CLAIMED	DAYS:	HOURS:	
		10.8	230/HR
TOTAL FEES:			\$2,484.00
Add TAXES (GST @ 7%; PST @ %; HST @ %)			\$ 173.88
Less TAX REBATE if applicable (Specify type and %: 50% GST Rebate To PSA)			\$ 96.94
TOTAL CLAIM:			\$2,570.94

I certify that the above information is true and accurate.

Date: Mar 19-04 Signature of Claimant: _____



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Cost Order No.: 2003-6

FORM I - SUMMARY OF LEGAL FEES

Applicant: Philippa Lawson

Claimant: The Consumer Groups

Is the Claimant an in-house employee of the Applicant?

Yes If no, indicate name of employer:

No self

Claimant's Title: (check one)

Articling Student

Legal Assistant

Date when qualified as a law clerk or paralegal: _____

Legal Counsel

For legal counsel that are not in-house:

Completed years of practice: 12

Year of Call to the Bar: 1991

Has the lawyer practised continually since Call to the Bar? Yes

(If no, provide details and explanations on a separate sheet) No

Rate Claimed: \$230/hr.

SERVICE	TIME CLAIMED (Use quarter-day increments for in-house services)		FEE CLAIMED (days or hours x rate)
	DAYS	OR HOURS	
PREPARATION:			
Review file		0.4	
Prepare interrogatories			
Respond to interrogatories			
Prepare comments		14.0	
Prepare evidence			
Prepare for hearing			
Prepare argument			
Consult with client		4.4	
Case management			
Other (specify):			
1.			
2.			
3.			
ATTENDANCE:			
Attend hearing			
Other (specify):			
1.			
2.			
PROCEDURAL:			
Costs Application			
Taxation Application			
Other (specify):			
1.			
2.			
3.			
TOTAL TIME CLAIMED	DAYS:	HOURS: 18.8	\$230/hr.
TOTAL FEES:			\$ 4324.00
Add TAXES (GST @ 7%; PST @ %; HST @ %)			\$ 302.68
Less TAX REBATE if applicable (Specify type and %: 50% GST rebate to PIAC)			\$ 151.34
TOTAL CLAIM:			\$ 4475.34

I certify that the above information is true and accurate.

Date: Aug 30/05 Signature of Claimant: Philippa Lawson



Canadian Radio-television and
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Cost Order No.: 20036

FORM III - SUMMARY OF CONSULTANT AND ANALYST FEES

Applicant: CONSUMER GROUPS

Claimant: DAVID MCKENDRY

Claimant's Title: (check one) Consultant
 Analyst

Is the analyst an in-house employee of the Applicant?

Yes

No

If no, indicate name of employer: _____

Completed number of years acting as consultant or analyst: 15
(deduct appropriate periods of time if Claimant was not acting continually in this capacity)

Date on which the Claimant first began offering services as a consultant or analyst: 1970

Rate Claimed: \$175

SERVICE	TIME CLAIMED (Use quarter-day increments for in-house services)		FEE CLAIMED (days or hours x rate)
	DAYS	OR HOURS	
PREPARATION:			
Review file		6.5	1137.50
Prepare interrogatories		19.5	3412.50
Respond to interrogatories		33.5	6012.50
Prepare comments			
Prepare evidence			
Prepare for hearing			
Prepare argument		27.5	4812.50
Consult with client		8.0	1400.00
Case management		5.5 4.5	962.50
Other (specify):			
1. Prepare reply argument		21.0 25.0	3675.00
2.			
3.			
4.			
ATTENDANCE:			
Attend hearing			
OTHER (specify):			
1.			
2.			
3.			
TOTAL TIME CLAIMED	DAYS:	HOURS:	
		123.5	
TOTAL FEES:			\$ 21612.50
Add TAXES (GST @ X%; PST @ %; HST @ %)			\$ 1512.88
Less TAX REBATE if applicable (Specify type and %: <u>50% GST Rebate to PRA</u>)			\$ 756.94
TOTAL CLAIM:			\$ 22,368.94

I certify that the above information is true and accurate.

Date: March 15 2004
Signature of Claimant: [Signature]