

**Ministry of Energy, Northern Development and Mines,  
Ontario.**

TG021/EFC/MOENDM/IESO  
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Hello!

Re: Comments on the new proposed electricity conservation and demand management framework 2021-2024

Electro-Federation Canada (EFC) ([www.electrofed.com/](http://www.electrofed.com/)) is a national, not-for-profit industry association that represents over 220 member companies that manufacture, distribute, market and sell a wide range of electrical products. EFC members contribute over \$10B to the Canadian economy and employ over 40,000 workers in over 1,300 factories, locations or establishments across the country.

The Electro-Federation Canada, representing manufacturers of lighting products in the Canadian market, is taking the opportunity to provide comments on the new proposed CDM framework 2021-2024.

The Lighting industry appreciates the opportunity to comment on the proposed framework as a keen promoter of the Save on Energy programs, managed by IESO.

After reviewing the high level program types, the industry is in favor of the proposal and would like to emphasize on the importance of maintaining the following two aspects:

- The prescriptive track under the retrofit type program
- The current minimum incentive levels for program eligibility

In the current economic context, many projects have been postponed until 2021 without an increased budget. Maintaining the prescriptive track and minimum levels will allow for a greater proportion of projects to materialize as opposed to being cancelled.

We welcome the opportunity to discuss these comments with you in more detail if needed.

Sincerely yours,



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