

NOVA SCOTIA ENERGY BOARD

IN THE MATTER OF: THE PUBLIC UTILITIES ACT

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**IN THE MATTER OF: AN APPLICATION by EfficiencyOne Requesting Approval of
2026 Q1 Demand Side Management (DSM) Report**

INFORMATION REQUESTS

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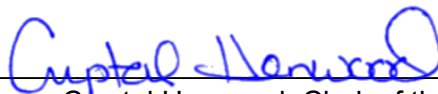
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Nova Scotia Energy Board

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Request IR-1:

What specific factors are driving the reduction in forecast energy savings for the Efficient Product Installation Program from the approved 10.5 GWh to 5.7 GWh, despite the forecasted investment exceeding the approved budget?

Request IR-2:

What assumptions or changes have resulted in the Home Energy Assessment Program's forecast energy savings increasing from 3.8 GWh to 16.3 GWh while the program budget remains unchanged?

Request IR-3:

The Residential Program has been paused indefinitely due to the inability to collect data from NS Power. However, the forecast still includes \$1.2 million in program spending against a \$2.1 million budget, despite no forecast energy savings being attributed to the program.

- a) Could you explain why program expenditures continue in the absence of measurable savings?
- b) Are there ongoing contractual obligations or other commitments that require continued spending even though the services cannot be delivered?
- c) In addition, now that NS Power has regained access to its customer information:
 - a. Is E1 now able to collect data from NS Power?
 - b. Is there an intention to restart the Residential Program?
 - c. If so, what is the anticipated timeline and expected impact on program delivery and energy savings?