

Please be advised that the OPA has revised the Small Commercial Direct Install (SCDI) program to reflect the impact that the new Harmonized Sales Tax (HST) will have on the program's Price List and Assessment Tool. We also took this opportunity to align some of the measure pricing for better consistency and clarity for contractors and to revise savings assumptions for improved consistency and accuracy in estimating project savings. The following section details the changes made in these areas.

Price List Revisions

The Price List revision to accommodate for HST was determined based on a categorization of measures related to their parts-to-labour ratios. The HST adjustment was made based on our understanding that PST has only applied to the parts portion of the measure prices and GST is applied to both parts and labour portions. Currently, the payment threshold, which represents the maximum incentive amount a participant can receive under the program, is \$1,050 and includes GST. Effective July 1st, this amount will be changed to \$1,000 and will not include any tax. In addition to this, the individual measure prices on the Price List will be revised to exclude tax.

As above, some measure prices have been aligned with others for better consistency. The following measure prices have been aligned: 4 and 6, 5 and 7, 48 and 50, 49 and 51, 68 and 69. We have also reverted to the pre-2010 prices for the replacement of an entire Exit sign (measure 21) based on external feedback.

Assessment Tool Revisions

Some adjustments were made to the savings assumptions of the base and retrofit cases, again for greater consistency and accuracy for participant estimated savings. These changes are as follows:

Existing Equipment changes/alignments	
Measure	Description
29	Made consistent with 30 and 65
49	Made consistent with 46
48	Made consistent with 4, 68 and 5
50	Made consistent with 6, 69, 7
Retrofit Measures adjustments	
Measure	Description
70 and 73	Revised and aligned
3, 71, 74, 52	Revised and aligned
69, 72, 75, 76	Revised and aligned
68	Revised
33	Revised
36	Revised
37	Revised
38	Revised