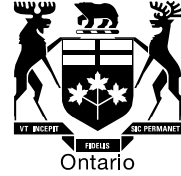


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August 6, 2009

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Dear Mr. McMahon:

**Re: Application for a Franchise Approval
With the Corporation of the County of Oxford
Board File Number: EB-2009-0293**

This will acknowledge receipt on July 21, 2009 of your application for a Franchise approval with the Corporation of the County of Oxford. The Board has assigned file number EB-2009-0293 to this application. Please refer to this file number in all future correspondence to the Board regarding this matter.

Please direct any questions relating to this application to Lawrie Gluck, Analyst, at 416-440-7678 or e-mail, lawrie.gluck@oeb.gov.on.ca.

Yours truly,

Original signed by

Kirsten Walli
Board Secretary

c.c: Mr. Dan Jones, Union Gas Limited