

Enbridge Gas Inc.

**Application for Voluntary Renewable Natural Gas
Program beginning January 1, 2021**

**PROCEDURAL ORDER NO. 3
May 22, 2020**

Enbridge Gas Inc. (Enbridge Gas) filed an application with the Ontario Energy Board (OEB) on March 5, 2020 under section 36 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998*, seeking approval to implement a Voluntary Renewable Natural Gas Program (Voluntary RNG Program).

On April 22, 2020, the OEB issued Procedural Order No. 1, which granted intervenor status and cost eligibility to parties and made provision for interrogatories and interrogatory responses. On May 15, 2020, the OEB issued Procedural Order No. 2, which granted Environmental Defence intervenor status and cost eligibility.

Given that the scope of this proceeding is very narrow, with only the consideration of the details of the proposed Voluntary RNG Program being at issue, the OEB plans to proceed by way of written hearing. As part of this Procedural Order, the OEB is setting out a schedule for written submissions.

In addition, the OEB is making provision for a technical conference to clarify any matters arising from the interrogatories. Interrogatory responses are due on May 27, 2020. The technical conference will be held virtually by way of a program called WebEx. Details regarding participation via WebEx will be circulated in advance of the technical conference.

The OEB is making provision for the following procedural steps in this proceeding. The OEB may issue further procedural orders from time to time.

THE ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD ORDERS THAT:

1. A virtual, transcribed technical conference will be convened on **June 16, 2020** beginning at 9:30 a.m. If required, the technical conference will continue on **June 18, 2020**.
2. Parties intending to participate in the technical conference are required to notify Enbridge Gas, and copy all parties, of the topic areas for questioning by **June 5, 2020**.
3. Enbridge Gas shall file with the OEB complete written responses to all undertakings from the technical conference and serve them on all intervenors by **June 25, 2020**.
4. Enbridge Gas shall file a written argument-in-chief with the OEB and serve it on all parties by **July 3, 2020**.
5. OEB staff and intervenors shall file their written submissions with the OEB and serve them on all parties by **July 16, 2020**.
6. Enbridge Gas shall file a written reply submission, if any, with the OEB and serve it on all parties by **August 5, 2020**.

All materials filed with the OEB must quote the file number, **EB-2020-0066**, be made in searchable/unrestricted PDF format electronically through the OEB's web portal at <https://pes.ontarioenergyboard.ca/eservice>. Filings must clearly state the sender's name, postal address, telephone number, fax number and e-mail address. Parties must use the document naming conventions and document submission standards outlined in the RESS Document Guideline found at <https://www.oeb.ca/industry>. If the web portal is not available parties may email their documents to the address below.

NOTE: The OEB is temporarily waiving the paper copy filing requirement until further notice. All communications should be directed to the attention of the Board Secretary at the address below, and be received no later than 4:45 p.m. on the required date.

With respect to distribution lists for all electronic correspondence and materials related to this proceeding, parties must include the Case Manager, Rachele Levin at Rachele.Levin@oeb.ca and OEB Counsel, Lawren Murray at Lawren.Murray@oeb.ca.

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DATED at Toronto, **May 22, 2020**

ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

By delegation, before: Christine E. Long

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Registrar and Board Secretary