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A Spectra Energy Company

January 14, 2009

Ms. Kirsten Walli
Board Secretary
Ontario Energy Board
2300 Yonge Street, 27th Floor
Toronto, ON M4P 1E4

Dear Ms. Walli:

**Re: Natural Resource Gas
Franchise Renewal – Town of Aylmer
Board File No. EB-2008-0413**

Union Gas Limited respectfully requests intervenor status in the above-noted proceeding.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours truly,

[Original signed by]

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Encl.

c.c.: Mr. Mark Bristoll, Natural Resource Gas
Mr. Richard King, Ogilvy Renault
Ms. Heather Adams, Town of Aylmer

ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

IN THE MATTER OF the *Municipal Franchises Act*, R.S.O. 1990, c.M.55,
s.10 as amended;

AND IN THE MATTER OF the renewal of a franchise agreement between
Natural Resource Gas Limited and the Corporation of the Town of Aylmer.

**REQUEST FOR INTERVENOR STATUS
OF
UNION GAS LIMITED**

1. Union Gas Limited ("Union") hereby applies for Intervenor Status in this proceeding pursuant to the above-captioned matter.
2. Union is an Ontario Corporation with its Registered Office at the Municipality of Chatham-Kent, in the Province of Ontario. Union is a regulated public utility, which combines the operations of selling, distributing, transmitting and storing natural gas within the meaning of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998*.
3. Natural Resource Gas ("NRG") delivers gas to Union in firm daily even quantities pursuant to a Bundled T Gas Contract. Union re-delivers gas, as a gas transmitter, to NRG pursuant to an M9 Large Wholesale Service Delivery Contract. Union has an interest in all aspects of the proceedings, future requirements and the treatment of this cost for ratemaking purposes.
4. Union has a direct interest in all matters of jurisdiction, substance and procedure in the regulation of public utilities, and in any decision of this Board, which may create a precedent affecting Union's operations and/or rates.
5. Union requests one copy of the evidence and submissions of the Applicant and other participants, and any notices or correspondence. This includes any revisions or amendments, which may be made prior to the commencement of or during the hearing of this Application.

6. At this time, it is Union's intention to monitor the proceeding; however, after reviewing the evidence, Union may wish to address one or more of the issues.
7. Union reserves the right to adduce evidence, submit interrogatories, cross-examine witnesses, advance argument and participate in the hearing as circumstances may require.
8. Communications relating to this intervention should be directed to:

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9. Union will not be seeking an award of costs.

DATED at the Municipality of Chatham-Kent, in the Province of Ontario this 14th day of January, 2009.

UNION GAS LIMITED

[Original signed by]

Per: _____
Joseph Marra
Assistant General Counsel