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April 8th, 2009

Attention: Ms. Kirsten Walli, Board Secretary
Fax No. 416-440-7656

Dear Ms. Walli:

RE: UNION GAS Limited Pipeline Project - Creekford Road Reinforcement
Ontario Energy Board File Number EB-2009-0061
Leave to construct a natural gas pipeline in the city of Kingston.
Commencing Lot 1 Con 3 Creekford Road, easterly to Lot 13 Con 3, Gardiners Rd,
thence southerly to Fortune Crescent. Geographic Township of Kingston
City of Kingston, County of Frontenac
Highway 401, Eastern Region MTO, Ottawa Area

The following is provided in response to a letter from Union Gas to the Ministry of Transportation (MTO), dated March 30, 2009, which contained a copy of Ontario Energy Board, Notice of Application EB-2009-0061.

At this time, MTO is also in receipt of an Environmental Study Report (ESR), for the Creekford Road Reinforcement Project, prepared for UnionGas, by Azimuth Environmental Consulting Inc., dated Feb 2009.

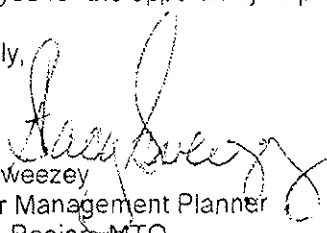
The Union Gas project, scheduled to commence Summer 2009, is of concern to MTO as the gas line alignment goes through the Gardiners Road / Creekford Road (Centennial Drive) intersection. Although the ESR implies the work is on the south side of the intersection, which is not physically on MTO property, the work is within the MTO Building and Land Use Permit control area. The proposed utility installation may have impacts upon traffic operations during construction, and may also have impacts to the existing and future intersection plans. Union gas should be aware that there is a traffic signal plant and illumination in that area. Additionally, The City of Kingston has future plans to widen Centennial Drive (opposite Creekford Road), as per the Robinson Industrial Park traffic study. As such, MTO requests that a copy of the engineering drawings for the Creekford Road Reinforcement project, be provided to MTO for review and comment.

Please note that, under the authority of the Public Transportation and Highway Improvement Act R.S.O. 1990, MTO, through the issuance of permits controls all land use within 45 meters (150 feet) of the ministry's property limit, and within 395 meters (1300 feet) of the center points of the Highway 401 / Gardiners Road Interchange. Development within these limits is subject to MTO Building and Land Use Permit control. Permits are required prior to the commencement of construction and are available from Lina Arsenault, at the contact numbers below.

By means of this letter, MTO requests that Union Gas provide the requested engineering documentation to Lina Arsenault, and that OEB provide all future information regarding **Ontario Energy Board, Notice of Application EB-2009-0061** to Lina Arsenault, Corridor Management Officer, at The Ministry of Transportation, Ottawa Area Office, 347 Preston Street, 4th Floor, Ottawa, Ontario K1S 3J4
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I thank you for the opportunity to provide the preceding.

Sincerely,



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RE: OEB FILE NO. EB-2009-0061
Union Gas Creekford Road Kingston
Gas Line Reinforcement

☐ URGENT

☐ FOR REVIEW

☐ PLEASE COMMENT

☐ PLEASE REPLY

Hi Ms. Walli

Please see the following two page letter to OEB, copied to Union Gas, requesting that MTO be provided engineering documentation, in support of the proposal.

The hardcopy of this letter is in today's mail.

Thanks

Stacy Sweezy

Corridor Management Planner

Eastern Region, MTO
