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Kirsten Walli Board Secretary Ontario Energy Board Suite 2701 2300 Yonge Street Toronto ON M4P 1E4

Dear Ms Walli:

Re: EB-2009-0166/Union Gas Limited ("Union")/ Natural Gas Demand Side Management Plan

We are counsel to the Consumers Council of Canada ("CCC"). By this letter we request intervenor status for the CCC in this application.

The CCC is a non-profit, public interest entity which represents the interests of the broad array of residential consumers of natural gas. The outcome of this application will have an impact on the rates which residential consumers pay for the delivery of natural gas.

Representatives of the CCC have, over many years, participated in all aspects of the Board's consideration of the DSM plans of Union. At a minimum, the CCC seeks intervenor status in order to ensure that the 2010 Demand Side Management Plan is consistent with the current DSM framework.

The CCC intends to ask for an award of costs to cover its participation in this proceeding. The CCC has no funds of its own to sustain its intervention. In all of its interventions in proceedings considering Union's DSM plans, the Board has awarded the CCC 100% of its reasonably-incurred costs.

Copies of all materials related to this matter should be provided to the writer, and to the CCC's consultant, Julie Girvan. Ms Girvan's contact information is: 2 Penrose Road, Toronto, ON M4S 1P1, telephone: (416) 322-7936, fax: (416) 322-9703, e-mail: jgirvan@ca.inter.net.

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Yours very truly,

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