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City of Kitchener Questions for Union Gas Limited

Reference: Exhibit B, Tab 1, p. 2
Exhibit C15.3

Issue: 10.1 – Should an ESM be included in the IR plan?

Questions:

1. How are proposals or initiatives to achieve operating or capital savings generated at Union?
2. What is the protocol used to assess or evaluate such proposals or initiatives?
3. Is the presence or absence of an ESM a factor in the evaluation protocol?
4. Does the presence of an ESM affect the ranking by Union of savings initiatives relative to risks around the achievement of savings or the amount of savings that may be achieved?

Reference: Exhibit C15.4 (g)

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Question:

1. In line 7 of the schedule shown on page 2 of the response, on what basis are the normal heating degree days derived, i.e. 30 year average, blend or declining trend?