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January 22, 2010

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

Dear Ms. Walli:

**Re: Tribute Resources Inc. – Huron Bayfield Storage Project
Board File No. EB-2009-0338/0339/0340**

Union Gas Limited respectfully requests intervenor status in the above-noted proceeding and enclose our request for same.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me. I look forward to receipt of your instructions.

Yours truly,

Mark Murray
Manager, Regulatory Projects
Encl.

c.c.: Mr. Dan Elliott, Manager
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Ministry of Natural Resources
659 Exeter Road
London, ON N6E 1L3

Mr. William Blake, Vice-President
Tribute Resources Inc.
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Mr. C.A. Lewis,
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465 Waterloo Street,
London, Ontario.

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IN THE MATTER OF the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998*, S.O. 1998, c. 15, Schedule B; and in particular sections 36.1(1), 38(1), 38(3), 40(1) and 90(1), thereof;

AND IN THE MATTER OF an Application by Tribute Resources Inc. and Bayfield Resources Inc., on behalf of Huron Bayfield Limited Partnership, for an order designating the area known as the Stanley 4-7-XI Pool, in the Geographic Township of Stanley, Municipality of Bluewater, County of Huron, as a gas storage area;

AND IN THE MATTER OF an Application by Tribute Resources Inc. and Bayfield Resources Inc., on behalf of Huron Bayfield Limited Partnership, for authority to inject gas into, store gas in and remove gas from the areas designated as the Stanley 4-7-XI Pool, and to enter into and upon the lands in the said areas and use the said lands for such purposes;

AND IN THE MATTER of an Application by Tribute Resources Inc. and Bayfield Resources Inc., on behalf of Huron Bayfield Limited Partnership, to the Ministry of Natural Resources for a license to drill four wells;

AND IN THE MATTER of an Application by Tribute Resources Inc. and Bayfield Resources Inc., on behalf of Huron Bayfield Limited partnership, for the determination of just and equitable compensation payable to any owner of any gas or oil rights or the right to store gas within the Stanley Pool with whom the Application does not have an agreement and to any owner of any land in the Stanley Pool, with whom the Applicant does not have an agreement, for damage necessarily resulting from the exercise of the authority given by the order sought under section 38(1) of the said Act.

**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. Union owns and operates franchised transmission and distribution facilities in the vicinity of the Applicant's proposed drilling operation.
4. Union has a direct interest in all matters of jurisdiction, substance and procedure in the regulation of storage and storage companies in Ontario, and in any decision of this Board, which may create a precedent, affecting Union's own future applications.
5. Union requests one copy of the evidence and submissions of the Applicant and other Intervenors, 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. Union's preference is to receive one paper and one searchable electronic version of the original pre-filed evidence and then searchable versions of any filings after that.
6. At this time, Union cannot predict the full extent of its participation in this 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:

Mr. Mark Murray
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Union Gas Limited
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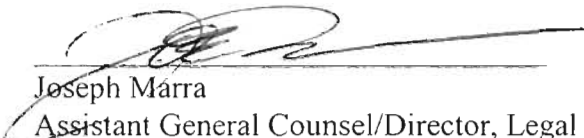
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9. Union will not be seeking an award of costs.

DATED at the Municipality of Chatham-Kent, in the Province of Ontario this 22nd day of January,
2010.

UNION GAS LIMITED

Per:


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Assistant General Counsel/Director, Legal Affairs