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BY EMAIL & COURIER

Ms. Kirsten Walli Board Secretary Ontario Energy Board 2300 Yonge St, Suite 2701 Toronto ON M4P 1E4

Dear Ms. Walli:

Board File No. EB-2010-0333 – Enbridge Gas Distribution Inc.

Pre-Approval of Cost Consequences of Long-Term Natural Gas Transportation Contract

Participation of Energy Probe

Pursuant to the Notice of Application and Procedural Order No. 1, issued by the Board on December 1, 2010, Energy Probe Research Foundation (Energy Probe) is hereby providing confirmation of its participation as a pre-approved intervenor in the EB-2010-0333 proceeding for the Board's consideration.

Energy Probe has become aware of a number of issues it wishes to pursue in this Matter, and has therefore availed itself of expert support. Attached please find the request from Energy Probe for Costs eligibility in this proceeding.

Should you require additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours truly,

David S. MacIntosh

Case Manager

cc:

Norm Ryckman, Enbridge Gas Distribution Inc. (By email)

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Ontario Energy Board

IN THE MATTER OF the Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998, S.O. 1998, c.15 (Sched. B), as amended;

AND IN THE MATTER OF an Application by Enbridge Gas Distribution Inc. for an order or orders pre-approving the cost consequences associated with a long-term natural gas transportation contract.

CONFIRMATION OF PARTICIPATION

OF

ENERGY PROBE RESEARCH FOUNDATION

Energy Probe Research Foundation (Energy Probe) confirms its intervenor status in this proceeding.

Statement of Interest

Energy Probe is a non-profit environmental and consumer organization which promotes economic efficiency in the use of resources. Energy Probe will be representing its residential customer supporters in Ontario, which we have some number of thousands, and also representing a broader public interest concern with respect to the overall financial health and operational integrity of our utilities. Energy Probe will be intervening on issues which the Foundation believes to be in the public interest.

Intervention

Energy Probe intends to appear and participate in the hearing. Energy Probe expects to be a full-time intervenor. Energy Probe will be assisted by experts.

Costs

Energy Probe is a non-profit organization which relies on individual donations to help protect the public interest. Without the prospect of an award of costs, Energy Probe's ability to participate in proceedings would be very limited. Energy Probe intends to seek a cost award in this proceeding, and expects to intervene responsibly, cognizant of the Boards guidelines regarding cost awards.

Communications

Communications relating to this Notice of Participation, including but not limited to a copy of all documents filed with the Board by Enbridge Gas Distribution Inc., are required by Energy Probe and should be directed to:

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Respectfully submitted at Toronto, Ontario this 10th day of December 2010.

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