Ontario Energy Board Commission de l'énergie de l'Ontario



EB-2010-0277

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

AND IN THE MATTER OF an application by Enbridge Gas Distribution Inc. for an order or orders approving the final balances and clearance of certain Demand Side Management Variance Accounts into rates, as at July 1, 2011.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION AND PROCEDURAL ORDER NO. 1

Enbridge Gas Distribution Inc. ("Enbridge") has filed an application with the Ontario Energy Board (the "Board") dated January 12, 2011, under section 36 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act*, *1998*, S.O. 1998, c.15, (Schedule B), for an order or orders approving the final balances and clearance of certain Demand Side Management ("DSM") Variance Accounts into rates, as at July 1, 2011. These Variance Accounts are:

2009 Shared Savings Mechanism Variance Account (Related to Resource Acquisition Programs)	\$5,007,909 (to Shareholder)
2009 Shared Savings Mechanism Variance Account (Related to Market Transformation Programs)	\$356,303 (to Shareholder)
2009 Lost Revenue Adjustment Mechanism Variance	\$45,722
Account	(to Ratepayers)
2009 Demand Side Management Variance	\$1,165,061
Account	(to Shareholder)

The net balance of the 2009 DSM accounts is \$6,483,551 to be collected from ratepayers.

The estimated impact on a typical Rate 1 customer is an increase of 0.2% of the annual total bill.

Enbridge has also applied to the Board for such final and interim orders and/or accounting orders as may be necessary in relation to clearance of the DSM Accounts which are the subject of this application.

The Board has assigned File No. EB-2010-0277 to this application.

Enbridge stated in its application that no member of the DSM Consultative, a variety of stakeholders and experts who Enbridge and Union Gas Limited seek advice from in the development of their DSM Programs, is opposed to the Board approving the amounts set out above and clearing these amounts through to rates. The Board therefore has determined that, as there appears to be no objections from the members of the DSM Consultative, interrogatories will not be necessary. The Board will, however, seek submissions from interested parties.

THE BOARD ORDERS THAT:

- Enbridge shall immediately serve a copy of its application on each intervenor in the Demand Side Management Guidelines for Natural Gas Distributors Consultation (EB-2008-0346) (list attached as Appendix A).
- 2. Enbridge shall immediately serve a copy of its application on each member of its DSM Consultative.
- 3. Any party, including Board staff that wishes to comment on Enbridge's application shall do so by written submissions filed with the Board, and delivered to Enbridge, on or before **February 17, 2011**.
- 4. Enbridge may respond by written submissions filed with the Board, and delivered to all parties, on or before **March 3, 2011**.

If you wish to comment on the proceeding without becoming an intervenor, you may submit a letter of comment to the Board Secretary.

All letters of comment sent to the Board will be placed on the public record, which means that the letters will be available for viewing at the Board's offices and will be placed on the Board's website.

Before placing the letter of comment on the public record, the Board will remove any personal (i.e., not business) contact information from the letter of comment (i.e., the address, fax number, phone number, and e-mail address of the individual). However, the name of the individual and the content of the letter of comment will become part of the public record.

A complete copy of your letter of comment, including your name, contact information, and the content of the letter, will be provided to the applicant and the Hearing Panel.

Your letter of comment must be received by the Board no later than **30 days** from the publication or service date of this notice. The Board accepts letters of comment by either post or e-mail at the addresses below.

All filings to the Board must quote the file number, EB-2010-0277, be made through the Board's web portal at <u>www.errr.oeb.gov.on.ca</u>, and consist of two paper copies and one electronic copy in searchable / unrestricted PDF format. Filings must clearly state the sender's name, postal address and telephone number, fax number and e-mail address. Parties must use the document naming conventions and document submission standards outlined in the RESS Document Guideline found at <u>www.oeb.gov.on.ca/OEB/Industry</u>. If the web portal is not available, parties may email their documents to the address below. Those who do not have internet access are required to submit all filings on a CD in PDF format, along with two paper copies. Those who do not have computer access are required to file 7 paper copies.

All communications should be directed to the attention of the Board Secretary at the address below, and be received no later than 4:45 p.m. on the required date.

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Ontario Energy Board P.O. Box 2319 2300 Yonge Street, 27th Floor Toronto ON M4P 1E4 Attention: Board Secretary

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DATED at Toronto, February 3, 2011

ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

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APPENDIX A

ENBRIDGE GAS DISTRIBUTION INC. Board File No. EB-2010-0277

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Dated: February 3, 2011

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