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BY EMAIL

January 25, 2008

Mr. Patrick McMahon
Manager, Regulatory Research and Records
Union Gas Limited
50 Keil Drive North
Chatham ON N7M 5M1

Dear Mr. McMahon:

**Re: Application for a Franchise Approval
With the Corporation of the Township of Southgate
Board File Number: EB-2008-0017**

This will acknowledge receipt on January 21, 2008 of your application for a Franchise approval with the Corporation of the Township of Southgate. The Board has assigned file number EB-2008-0017 to this application. Please refer to this file number in all future correspondence to the Board regarding this matter.

Based on the Board's experience with applications of this nature, the Board expects that it will be able to render a decision and/or order in this application on or about April 21, 2008.

Please direct any questions relating to this application to Robert Caputo, Project Advisor, Market Operations at 416-440-7632 or e-mail, robert.caputo@oeb.gov.on.ca.

Yours truly,

Original signed by

Kirsten Walli
Board Secretary

c. Mr. Dan Jones, Union Gas Limited