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BY COURIER (2 COPIES) AND EMAIL

Ms. Kirsten Walli Board Secretary Ontario Energy Board P.O. Box 2319 2300 Yonge Street, Suite 2700 Toronto, Ontario M4P 1E4 Fax: (416) 440-7656 Email: boardsec@oeb.gov.on.ca

Dear Ms. Walli:

Re: Pollution Probe – Request for Intervenor Status EB-2011-0327 – Union Gas – 2012-14 DSM Plan

We are writing to request intervenor status on behalf of Pollution Probe for the above noted matter further to the Board's *Rules of Practice and Procedure*.

With respect to the intervention:

- I. Pollution Probe intends to appear and participate at the hearing or hearings. Further, Pollution Probe prefers an oral hearing in light of the issues discussed below.
- II. Pollution Probe is a public interest advocacy group with a large membership and donor base throughout Ontario. On behalf of its members, donors and the general public, Pollution Probe intends to support aggressive promotion of energy conservation and energy efficiency, including through DSM as well as costeffective fuel switching and system expansion. Pollution Probe may identify other interests based on its review of the materials.
- III. Pollution Probe requests two copies of the pre-filed evidence/materials, one to be delivered to Murray Klippenstein, myself, and Kent Elson as counsel for Pollution Probe at the law firm address above (e-mail addresses: murray.klippenstein@klippensteins.ca, basil.alexander@klippensteins.ca, and kent.elson@klippensteins.ca), and one to be delivered to its consultant, Jack Gibbons of the Ontario Clean Air Alliance. Electronic copies are sufficient, and we also request that both counsel (Mr. Klippenstein, Mr. Alexander, and Mr. Elson) and

Mr. Gibbons be listed on the intervenors' list under Pollution Probe, since this makes the later distribution of updates more effective. Mr. Gibbons is at:

Ontario Clean Air Alliance 160 John Street, Suite 300 Toronto, Ontario M5V 2E5

Telephone: (416) 260-2080 ext. 2

Facsimilie: (416) 598-9520

E-mail: jack@cleanairalliance.org

IV. The intervenor's full name and address is:

Pollution Probe Foundation 150 Ferrand Drive, Suite 208 Toronto, Ontario M3C 3E5 Telephone: (416) 926-1907

Facsimile: (416) 926-1601

- V. Please send correspondence and any other materials to both Jack Gibbons and to counsel as the authorized representatives.
- VI. Pollution Probe intends to seek an award of costs for the reasons discussed above.
- VII. Pollution Probe requests the Board's directions as to whether this Notice of Intervention should be served on any other parties.

Yours truly,

Basil Alexander

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cc: Marian Redford, Manager, Regulatory Initiatives, Union Gas Limited by email to mredford@uniongas.com

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