



EB-2012-0060

NOTICE OF APPLICATION AND WRITTEN HEARING

APPLICATION FOR LICENCE TO DRILL FOUR WELLS WITHIN KIMBALL-COLINVILLE DESIGNATED STORAGE AREA

Enbridge Gas Distribution Inc (the "Applicant" or "Enbridge") filed an application dated February 14, 2012 for four well drilling licences with the Minister of Natural Resources. These applications were referred to the Ontario Energy Board by the Minister of Natural Resources on February 28, 2012, pursuant to section 40 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act*, 1998, S.O. 1998, c.15 (schedule B).

Enbridge is seeking licenses to drill four wells in the Kimball-Colinville designated storage area:

- TKC #63, Moore 6-18-VIII
- TKC #64, Moore 1-20-VI
- TKC #65, Moore 1-14-IV
- TKC #66, Moore 1-16-VIII

The proposed wells are observation wells and do not require a pipeline to connect to the existing storage area. The observation wells will be used to monitor the gas content and pressure in the underground storage area. A map showing the location of the proposed wells is included as Appendix "A" in this Notice.

The Board has assigned **File No. EB-2012-0060** to this application.

How to see the Application

Copies of the application and the pre-filed evidence in support of the application will be available for public inspection at the Board's offices, at Enbridge Gas Distribution's head office, and in the case of the applications of licences to drill wells, at the office of the Petroleum Operations Section, Ministry of Natural Resources (addresses below).

Written Hearing

The Board intends to proceed with this matter by way of a written hearing unless a party satisfies the Board that there is a good reason for not holding a written hearing. If you object to the Board holding a written hearing in this matter, you must provide written reasons why an oral hearing is necessary. Any submissions objecting to a written hearing must be received by the Board and copied to the applicant within **10 days** of the publication or service date of this notice.

How to Participate

You may participate in this proceeding by requesting either intervenor or observer status, or by submitting a letter of comment:

1. **Intervenors** participate actively in the proceeding (i.e., submit written questions, evidence, and arguments, and cross-examine witnesses at an oral hearing). You may request intervenor status by sending a letter of intervention to the Board and copying Enbridge no later than **10 days** from the publication or service date of this notice. The letter of intervention must include:
 - a. A description of how you are, or may be, affected by the outcome of this proceeding;
 - b. If you represent a group, a description of the group and its membership; and
 - c. Whether you intend to seek an award of costs and the grounds for your cost award eligibility.
2. **Observers** do not participate actively in the proceeding but receive documents issued by the Board in the proceeding. (There is no fee for observers to receive documents issued by the Board.) You may request observer status by sending a request to the Board no later than **10 days** from the publication or service date of this notice.
3. **Letters of Comment** are to be sent to the Board no later than **30 days** from the publication or service date of this notice. All letters of comment will be placed on the public record, subject to the privacy terms for personal information stated below.

This means that the letters will be available for viewing at the Board's offices and will be placed on the Board's website.

4. **Affected Landowners** will automatically be given copies of the Application and other relevant documents issued by the Board in this proceeding. If you are an affected landowner, you may choose to participate in this proceeding as an intervenor, as an observer, or by providing a letter of comment and your personal information will be treated accordingly.

YOUR PERSONAL INFORMATION IS TREATED DIFFERENTLY DEPENDING ON HOW YOU CHOOSE TO PARTICIPATE IN THE HEARING:

- **Intervenors** - everything you file with the Board, including your name and contact information, will be placed on the public record (i.e., the public file and the Board's website).
- **Letters of comment or observers** - the Board removes any personal (i.e., not business) contact information from the letter of comment or the request for observer status (i.e., address, fax number, phone number, and e-mail address of the individual), however, your name and the content of the letter of comment or of the request for observer status will become part of the public record.

Filing Information for Intervenors

If you already have a user ID, please submit your intervention request through the Board's web portal at <https://www.errr.ontarioenergyboard.ca>. Additionally, two paper copies must be submitted to the address set out below.

If you do not have a user ID, visit the Board's website under e-Filing Services and complete a user ID/password request form. For instructions on how to submit documents and naming conventions please refer to the RESS Document Guidelines found at <http://www.ontarioenergyboard.ca/OEB/Industry>, e-Filing Services.

The Board also accepts interventions by e-mail, at the address below. Additionally, two paper copies must be submitted to the address set out below. Those who do not have internet access are required to submit their intervention request on a CD in PDF format, along with two paper copies.

Need more information?

For more information on how to participate please go to the Board's website at <http://www.ontarioenergyboard.ca/OEB/Industry/Regulatory+Proceedings/Hearing> or call the Board at 1-888-632-6273 (toll free).

How to the Ontario Energy Board or Enbridge Gas Distribution

In responding to this Notice, please reference Board file number **EB-2012-0060** in the subject line of your e-mail or at the top of your letter. It is also important that you provide your name, postal address and telephone number and, if available, an e-mail address and fax number. 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.

IMPORTANT

IF YOU DO NOT FILE A WRITTEN SUBMISSION OBJECTING TO A WRITTEN HEARING OR DO NOT PARTICIPATE IN THE HEARING BY FILING WRITTEN SUBMISSIONS IN ACCORDANCE WITH THIS NOTICE, THE BOARD MAY PROCEED WITHOUT YOUR PARTICIPATION AND YOU WILL NOT BE ENTITLED TO FURTHER NOTICE IN THIS PROCEEDING.

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ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

Original Signed By

Kirsten Walli
Board Secretary

APPENDIX A

Map showing the location of the proposed wells

Enbridge Gas Distribution Inc.

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- PROPOSED WELLS
- ▬ DESIGNATED STORAGE AREA

PROPOSED WELL LOCATIONS

**COUNTY OF LAMBTON
GEOGRAPHICAL TOWNSHIP OF MOORE**