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September 24, 2012

## VIA COURIER, EMAIL, RESS

Ms. Kirsten Walli Ontario Energy Board P.O. Box 2319 2300 Yonge Street, 26th Floor Toronto, ON M4P 1E4

#### Re: Natural Resource Gas Limited ("NRG") EB-2012-0342 – 2012 Rates Application Observer Request of Enbridge Gas Distribution

In accordance with the Ontario Energy Board's (the "Board") Notice of Application for the above noted proceeding, enclosed please find the Observer Request of Enbridge.

Please contact me if you have any questions.

Yours truly,

(ORIGINAL SIGNED)

Bonnie Jean Adams Regulatory Coordinator

cc: Mr. Jack Howley, General Manager, NRG (via email) Mr. Richard King, Ogilvy Renault LLP (via email)

#### EB-2012-0342

### ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

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

**AND IN THE MATTER OF** an Application by Natural Resource Gas Limited under section 36 of the Act for an order or orders approving or fixing just and reasonable rates and other charges for the sale, distribution, transmission and storage of natural gas, effective October 1, 2012.

### **OBSERVER REQUEST OF ENBRIDGE GAS DISTRIBUTION INC.**

- 1. Enbridge Gas Distribution Inc. ("Enbridge" or the "Company") hereby applies for observer status in this proceeding.
- 2. Enbridge is a distributor and transmitter of natural gas in Ontario. The supply, transmission and distribution of natural gas within Ontario are all of vital concern to the Company and its customers.
- 3. Enbridge has a direct interest in all matters of jurisdiction, substance, and procedure in the regulation of public utilities, and in any decision of the Ontario Energy Board which may create a precedent for, or otherwise affect, the Company's own applications.
- 4. Enbridge requests that copies of all documents filed or issued in connection with this proceeding, including the evidence and submissions of the Applicant and all intervenors, and any notices or correspondence, be forwarded to:

Norm Ryckman, Director, Regulatory Affairs Enbridge Gas Distribution Inc. Telephone: (416) 495-5499, Toll Free: 1-888-659-0685 Facsimile: (416) 495-6072 Email: EGDRegulatoryProceedings@enbridge.com

AND

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Enbridge will not be seeking an award of costs.

Dated at Toronto, Ontario, September 24, 2012.

# ENBRIDGE GAS DISTRIBUTION INC.

(Original Signed)

Norm Ryckman Director, Regulatory Affairs