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



EB-2012-0337

**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 Union Gas Limited pursuant to Section 36(1) of the *Ontario Energy Board Act*, 1998, for an Order or Orders approving the 2013-2014 Large Volume Demand Side Management Plan.

## PROCEDURAL ORDER NO. 3

Union Gas Limited ("Union Gas") filed an application with the Ontario Energy Board (the "Board") dated August 31, 2012, seeking approval for its 2013-2014 Large Volume Demand Side Management ("DSM") Plan.

The application has been filed pursuant to the Board's DSM Guidelines that were issued on June 30, 2011, as well as in accordance with the Union Gas Settlement Agreement, January 31, 2012 (EB-2011-0327) which was accepted by the Board on February 21, 2012.

Union Gas is seeking approval of a Large Volume DSM Program budget of \$4.664M plus inflation in both 2013 and 2014. Union estimates the 2013 budget to be \$4.767M and the 2014 budget to be \$4.873M. The budget figures were updated on October 25, 2012 as a result of updated GDP-IPI information.

The Board has assigned file number EB-2012-0337 to this application.

On September 27, 2012 the Board issued a Notice of Application and Procedural Order No. 1. The Board allowed parties to file written interrogatories and required Union Gas to file complete responses by October 25, 2012.

On November 2, 2012 the Board issued Procedural Order No. 2. Within Procedural Order No. 2 the Board outlined dates for parties to file intervenor evidence amongst other procedural dates.

On December 5, 2012 the Board received a request from the Association of Power Producers of Ontario ("APPrO"), requesting an extension of time for filing its intervenor evidence. APPrO requested a one-week extension from the original filing date of December 7, 2012 to December 14, 2012.

The Board approves APPrO's request and will provide an extension until December 14, 2012 for intervenor evidence to be filed.

The Board has made subsequent changes to some procedural steps originally outlined in Procedural Order No. 2 and finds it necessary to provide the following guidance on the next steps in the proceeding. The Board notes that the dates for the Settlement Conference and Oral Hearing have not been adjusted.

## THE BOARD ORDERS THAT:

- 1. Intervenors who wish to file additional evidence shall do so on or before **Friday**, **December 14, 2012**.
- 2. Parties who wish to seek further information from the intervenors who filed evidence shall request it by written interrogatories filed with the Board and serve all parties on or before **Friday, December 21, 2012**.
- 3. Intervenors who have filed evidence shall file complete responses to all interrogatories and serve all parties on or before **Thursday**, **January 10**, **2013**.
- A settlement conference will be held on Tuesday, January 15, 2013 beginning at 9:30 a.m. in the Board's ADR Room on the 25<sup>th</sup> Floor at 2300 Yonge Street, Toronto, ON and may continue on Wednesday, January 16, 2013.
- 5. If there is a settlement or partial settlement agreement forthcoming from the settlement conference, then that agreement shall be filed with the Board no later than 4:00 p.m. on **Friday**, **January 25, 2013**.

 The Board will sit on Thursday, January 31, 2013 at 9:30 a.m. in the Board's West Hearing Room on the 25<sup>th</sup> Floor at 2300 Yonge Street, Toronto, ON to review any settlement proposal, and if necessary, begin the oral hearing.

All filings to the Board must quote the file number, EB-2012-0337, be made through the Board's web portal at https://www.pes.ontarioenergyboard.ca/eservice/, 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 www.ontarioenergyboard.ca/OEB/Industry. 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 4:00 p.m. on the required date.

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DATED at Toronto, December 7, 2012

#### **ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD**

Original signed by

Kirsten Walli Board Secretary

## APPENDIX A

## UNION GAS LIMITED Board File No. EB-2012-0337

**Updated List of Intervenors** 

December 7, 2012

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Updated **December 6, 2012** 

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