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March 14, 2013

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Dear Ms. Walli:

Re: Board File No.: EB-2012-0433
Notice of Intervention for the Independent Electricity System Operator ("IESO")

Please find attached the Independent Electricity System Operator's ("IESO") Notice of Intervention in Board proceeding, EB-2012-0433. Two (2) hard copies of this application have been sent by courier to your attention.

Yours truly,

Original Signed by

Tam Wagner, P. Eng.
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cc (email only): Karen Hockin, Union Gas Limited
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ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

IN THE MATTER OF the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998 (the "Act")*, S.O. 1998, c.15, (Schedule B), and in particular, S. 36, thereof;

IN THE MATTER OF the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998 (the "Act")*, S.O. 1998, c.15, (Schedule B), and in particular, S.90.(1), thereof;

IN THE MATTER OF the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998 (the "Act")*, S.O. 1998, c.15, (Schedule B), and in particular, S.91, thereof

AND IN THE MATTER OF an application by Union Gas Limited for an Order or Orders for pre-approval of recovery of the cost consequences of all facilities associated with the development of the proposed Parkway West site;

AND IN THE MATTER OF an application by Union Gas Limited for an Order or Orders granting leave to construct natural gas pipelines and ancillary facilities in the town of Milton.

NOTICE OF INTERVENTION OF THE INDEPENDENT ELECTRICITY SYSTEM OPERATOR

1. The Independent Electricity System Operator (the "IESO") received notice of the application on March 5, 2013. The IESO seeks to intervene and participate in the hearing of this matter. The IESO may make written submissions or participate in oral hearings as required.
2. The IESO is a non-profit, non-share capital corporation established under the *Electricity Act, 1998* to administer the Ontario wholesale power markets and to direct the operation and maintain the reliability of the IESO-controlled grid.
3. In this proceeding, Union Gas Limited ("Union") proposes the construction of a measurement and control station which will connect to the Enbridge pipeline system and a loss of critical unit compressor. These components of the Parkway West project affect the reliability of the supply of natural gas to various gas-fired generators connected to the IESO-controlled grid.
4. As the electricity system operator responsible for maintaining the reliability of the IESO-controlled grid, the IESO has an interest in ensuring a reliable gas supply to Ontario gas-fired generators. The IESO may participate by responding to pertinent enquiries as necessary, or as requested by the Board with respect to gas-electric interdependencies.

5. The IESO wishes to receive copies of all evidence filed by the applicant and intervenors. The IESO asks that copies of all filed materials be sent to the IESO at the address set out below.

6. The address of the IESO is:

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DATED at Mississauga this 14th day of March 2013.

Independent Electricity System Operator

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