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Dear Ms. Walli:

# Enbridge Gas Distribution Inc. – Application for an Update to the 2012-2014 Demand Side Management Plan (EB-2012-0394)

The Association of Power Producers of Ontario ("APPrO") respectfully requests intervenor status in the abovenoted proceeding.

Please do not hesitate to contact me should you have any questions or concerns.

Yours very truly,

Original signed by

John Beauchamp Associate

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Enclosure

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## **ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD**

**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 Enbridge Gas Distribution Inc. pursuant to Section 36(1) of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998,* S.O. 1998, for an Order or Orders approving its Updated Demand Side Management Plan for 2013 – 2014.

## NOTICE OF INTERVENTION OF

#### ASSOCIATION OF POWER PRODUCERS OF ONTARIO ("APPrO")

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- 1. APPrO hereby requests intervenor status in the above-noted proceeding.
- Enbridge Gas Distribution Inc. ("Enbridge") has filed an application with the Ontario Energy Board pursuant to Section 36(1) of the Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998, S.O. 1998, for an Order or Orders approving its Updated Demand Side Management Plan for 2013 – 2014.
- 3. APPrO is a non-profit organization representing more than 100 companies involved in the generation of electricity in Ontario, including generators and suppliers of services, equipment and consulting services. APPrO members produce power from natural gas, as well as hydro, gas, coal, nuclear, wind, waste wood and other sources
- 4. As stated in Enbridge's application, "the persons affected by this Application are the customers of Enbridge". Many of APPrO's members are large volume customers of Enbridge (Rate 125) and may be affected by the bill impacts associated with these proposals. As a result, APPrO's members have a direct and significant interest in this proceeding.
- 5. Pursuant to s. 3.06 of the Board's Practice Direction on Cost Awards, APPrO intends to seek an award of costs from Enbridge as a customer of the Applicant. In accordance with s. 3.03(a) of the Board's Practice Direction on Cost Awards, APPrO represents the direct interests of consumers in relation to Enbridge's regulated services (APPrO's members are the largest consumers of Enbridge's services).
- 6. APPrO has a record of participating in Board proceedings in a responsible and efficient manner and has been held eligible for cost awards in other proceedings including: Union and Enbridge rates cases; several natural gas proceedings that had unique impacts on power generators (i.e., NGEIR, storage allocation, etc.); and Union's 2012 and 2013-2014 DSM proceedings. APPrO believes it is appropriate for the Board to do so again in the context of this proceeding
- 7. APPrO reserves the right to participate in all aspects of the proceeding and hereby requests that the Board, Enbridge and any other intervenors provide it, its counsel and its consultant with copies of all evidence and correspondence related to the proceeding, at the contact information below:

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ALL OF WHICH IS RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED THIS 22<sup>nd</sup> day of March, 2013

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