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May 5, 2008

Kirsten Walli **Board Secretary** Ontario Energy Board P.O. Box 2319 2300 Yonge Street, 27th Floor Toronto, ON M4P 1E4

Dear Ms. Walli:

Re: **Enbridge Gas Distribution Inc. Enhancement Project**

OEB file no: EB-2007-0891

I am responding on behalf of the Ministry of Natural Resources ("Ministry") to the Revised Notification by Enbridge Gas Distribution Inc. to drill 5 wells with the Kimball Colinville Pool, the Wilkesport Poll and the Coveny Pool, in the Township of St. Clair, County of Lambton.

Ministry is seeking observer status for the hearing as it has a regulatory interest in the drilling and the operation of the storage wells under the Oil, Gas and Salt Resources Act. The ministry does not object to the wells and understands that the wells meet the CSA Z341 requirements. The ministry is seeking to obtain copies of the prefiled and hearing evidence, but will not be seeking any funding.

Please do not hesitate to contact us, if you require any additional information.

Yours truly,

Per: Melissa McDonald/WC.

Melissa McDonald.

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