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June 5, 2013

VIA COURIER & E-MAIL

Ms. Kirsten Walli Board Secretary Ontario Energy Board PO Box 2319 2300 Yonge Street 27th Floor Toronto, Ontario M4P 1E4

Dear Ms. Walli:

Re: Hydro One Networks Inc. – EB-2013-0140 - 3rd Generation IRM Observer Request of Enbridge Gas Distribution Inc.

Pursuant to the Ontario Energy Board's ("Board") Notice of Application of May 24, 2013, enclosed please find the request for Observer status for Enbridge Gas Distribution Inc.

Please accept this request, understanding the request is coming after the 10 day period of the publication.

The request for Observer Status has been submitted through the Board's Regulatory Electronic Submission System (RESS).

Please contact the undersigned if you have any questions.

Yours truly,

(Original Signed)

Stephanie Allman Regulatory Coordinator

cc: Tania Persad, Enbridge Gas Distribution;

ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

IN THE MATTER OF the Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998;

AND IN THE MATTER OF an Application by Hydro One Networks Inc. for an Order or Orders approving rates for the distribution of electricity.

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 (the "Board"), which may create a precedent for, or otherwise affect, the Company's own applications.
- 4. Enbridge requests an electronic copy of the evidence and submissions of the Applicant and other intervenors, and any notices or correspondence to be forwarded to:

Norm Ryckman, Director, Regulatory Affairs Enbridge Gas Distribution

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Enbridge will not be seeking an award of costs.

Dated at Toronto, Ontario, June 5, 2013

ENBRIDGE GAS DISTRIBUTION INC.

(Original Signed)

Norm Ryckman Director, Regulatory Affairs