## COST OF CAPITAL SUMMARY

1. This evidence, in the following tables 1 through 6 , shows a summary of EGD's cost of capital for each of the 2013 Board Approved, and 2014 through 2018 Fiscal Year forecasts.

Table 1
Cost of Capital Summary

| Line | 2013 Board Approved (excluding CIS) |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| No. | Principal | Component | Cost Rate | Return | Return |
|  | (\$millions) | $\%$ | $\%$ | $\%$ | (\$millions) |


| 1. | Long-term debt | 2,461.9 | 60.17\% | 5.80\% | 3.490\% | 142.8 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2. | Short-term debt | 56.7 | 1.39\% | 2.00\% | 0.028\% | 1.1 |
| 3. | Preferred shares | 100.0 | 2.44\% | 3.20\% | 0.078\% | 3.2 |
| 4. | Common equity | 1,472.9 | 36.00\% | 8.93\% | 3.215\% | 131.5 |
| 5. | Total | 4,091.5 | 100.00\% |  | 6.811\% | 278.6 |

Table 2
Cost of Capital Summary

| Line <br> No. |  | 2014 Forecast (excluding CIS) |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Principal | Component | Cost Rate | Return | Return |
|  |  | (\$millions) | \% | \% | \% | (\$millions) |
| 1. | Long-term debt | 2,596.9 | 59.37\% | 5.57\% | 3.307\% | 144.6 |
| 2. | Short-term debt | 102.3 | 2.34\% | 1.78\% | 0.042\% | 1.8 |
| 3. | Preferred shares | 100.0 | 2.29\% | 2.96\% | 0.068\% | 2.9 |
| 4. | Common equity | 1,574.6 | 36.00\% | 9.27\% | 3.337\% | 145.9 |
| 5. | Total | 4,373.8 | 100.00\% |  | 6.754\% | 295.2 |

Table 3
Cost of Capital Summary

| Line No. |  | 2015 Fiscal Year (excluding CIS) |  |  |  | Return |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Principal | Component | Cost Rate | Return |  |
|  |  | (\$millions) | \% | \% | \% | (\$millions) |
| 1. | Long-term debt | 2,918.4 | 61.41\% | 5.39\% | 3.310\% | 157.3 |
| 2. | Short-term debt | 23.2 | 0.49\% | 2.75\% | 0.013\% | 0.6 |
| 3. | Preferred shares | 100.0 | 2.10\% | 3.68\% | 0.077\% | 3.7 |
| 4. | Common equity | 1,710.9 | 36.00\% | 9.72\% | 3.499\% | 166.3 |
| 5. | Total | 4,752.5 | 100.00\% |  | 6.899\% | 327.9 |

Table 4
Cost of Capital Summary

| Line No. |  | 2016 Fiscal Year (excluding CIS) |  |  |  | Return |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Principal | Component | Cost Rate | Return |  |
|  |  | (\$millions) | \% | \% | \% | (\$millions) |
| 1. | Long-term debt | 3,367.0 | 61.31\% | 5.33\% | 3.268\% | 179.5 |
| 2. | Short-term debt | 47.9 | 0.87\% | 3.35\% | 0.029\% | 1.6 |
| 3. | Preferred shares | 100.0 | 1.82\% | 4.32\% | 0.079\% | 4.3 |
| 4. | Common equity | 1,977.1 | 36.00\% | 10.12\% | 3.643\% | 200.1 |
| 5. | Total | 5,492.0 | 100.00\% |  | 7.019\% | 385.5 |

Table 5

## Cost of Capital Summary

| Line No. |  | 2017 Fiscal Year (excluding CIS) |  |  |  | Return |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Principal | Component | Cost Rate | Return |  |
|  |  | (\$millions) | \% | \% | \% | (\$millions) |
| 1. | Long-term debt | 3,515.5 | 61.49\% | 5.31\% | 3.265\% | 186.7 |
| 2. | Short-term debt | 43.3 | 0.76\% | 4.30\% | 0.033\% | 1.9 |
| 3. | Preferred shares | 100.0 | 1.75\% | 4.64\% | 0.081\% | 4.6 |
| 4. | Common equity | 2,058.1 | 36.00\% | 10.17\% | 3.661\% | 209.3 |
| 5. | Total | 5,716.9 | 100.00\% |  | 7.040\% | 402.5 |

Table 6
Cost of Capital Summary

| Line No. |  | 2018 Fiscal Year (excluding CIS) |  |  |  | Return |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Principal | Component | Cost Rate | Return |  |
|  |  | (\$millions) | \% | \% | \% | (\$millions) |
| 1. | Long-term debt | 3,614.9 | 61.28\% | 5.36\% | 3.285\% | 193.9 |
| 2. | Short-term debt | 60.5 | 1.02\% | 4.30\% | 0.044\% | 2.6 |
| 3. | Preferred shares | 100.0 | 1.70\% | 4.64\% | 0.079\% | 4.7 |
| 4. | Common equity | 2,123.7 | 36.00\% | 10.27\% | 3.697\% | 218.2 |
| 5. | Total | 5,899.1 | 100.00\% |  | 7.105\% | 419.4 |

2. Details of the forecast debt issuances for each of the fiscal years 2014 through 2018, including forecast cost rates and debt issuance costs are included in Exhibit E1, Tab 2, Schedules 1 and 2. Evidence with respect to the return on equity included within the Allowed Revenue and revenue deficiency calculation is found in evidence at Exhibit E2, Tab 1, Schedules 1 and 2.
3. Further details of each of the elements of the capital structure and the determination of the cost of capital overall and any resulting deficiency or sufficiency in earnings are found at Exhibits E3, E4, E5, E6, \& E7, Tab 1, Schedules 1, 2, 3, 4, \& 5.

## COST OF CAPITAL - 2014 to 2016

1. The purpose of this evidence is to provide an update of the financing activity, the method and cost of financing capital requirements and the cost of short-term debt for 2014 to 2016.
2. For evidence outlining the cost of equity, please see Exhibit E2, Tab 1, Schedule 1.

## 2014 (Forecast Year) Financing Update

3. The Company plans to issue $\$ 430$ million of debt, the details of which can be found in Table 1. The Company has $\$ 200$ million of term debt maturing in each of January and September 2014.

Table 1

| Item <br> No. | Amount <br> $(\$ M M)$ | Issue <br> Date | Term <br> $(Y r s)$ | Canada <br> Yield | Corporate <br> Spread | Amortized <br> Coupon | Effective <br> Issue Costs | Cost |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1 | 215 | 15-Sep-14 | 10 | $2.61 \%$ | $1.20 \%$ | $3.81 \%$ | $0.05 \%$ | $3.86 \%$ |
| 2 | 215 | 15-Sep-14 | 30 | $2.96 \%$ | $1.50 \%$ | $4.46 \%$ | $0.02 \%$ | $4.48 \%$ |

4. A capital contribution of $\$ 100$ million will be required to maintain deemed equity of 36\%.
5. There are no preferred share issuances planned for the 2014 Forecast Year.

## 2015 (Forecast Year) Financing Update

6. The Company plans to issue $\$ 550$ million of debt, the details of which can be found in Table 2. The Company does not have any term debt maturities in 2015.

## Table 2

| Item <br> No. | Amount <br> $(\$ M M)$ | Issue <br> Date | Term <br> $($ Yrs $)$ | Canada <br> Yield | Corporate <br> Spread | Coupon | Amortized <br> Issue Costs | Effective <br> Cost |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1 | 130 | 15-Jun-15 | 10 | $2.90 \%$ | $1.40 \%$ | $4.30 \%$ | $0.05 \%$ | $4.35 \%$ |
| 2 | 145 | 15-Oct-15 | 10 | $3.60 \%$ | $1.40 \%$ | $5.00 \%$ | $0.05 \%$ | $5.05 \%$ |
| 3 | 275 | 15-Oct-15 | 30 | $3.43 \%$ | $1.70 \%$ | $5.13 \%$ | $0.02 \%$ | $5.15 \%$ |

7. A capital contribution of $\$ 150$ million will be required to maintain deemed equity of $36 \%$.
8. There are no preferred share issuances planned for the 2015 Forecast Year.

## 2016 (Forecast Year) Financing Update

9. The Company plans to issue $\$ 162$ million of debt, the details of which can be found in Table 3. The Company does not have any term debt maturities in 2016.

Table 3

| Item <br> No. | Amount <br> $(\$ M M)$ | Issue <br> Date | Term <br> $($ Yrs $)$ | Canada <br> Yield | Corporate <br> Spread | Amortized <br> Coupon | Effective <br> Issue Costs | Cost |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | 162 | 15-Sep-16 | 10 | $3.10 \%$ | $1.50 \%$ | $4.60 \%$ | $0.05 \%$ | $4.65 \%$ |

10. A capital contribution of $\$ 50$ million will be required to maintain deemed equity of 36\%.
11. There are no preferred share issuances planned for the 2016 Forecast Year.

## Cost of Short-Term Debt

12. EGD currently maintains a $\$ 700$ million, committed credit facility provided by a syndicate of Canadian banks. In addition to committing to the availability of the
$\$ 700$ million credit facility, the banks also commit to a fixed pricing level (fixed spread over the relevant floating rate for the underlying cost of funds) for a period of 364-days; assuming that EGD adheres to the terms and conditions of the committed credit agreement.
13. The Canadian banks' commitments allow for the $\$ 700$ million, committed credit facilities to be used to backstop EGD's $\$ 700$ million commercial paper program. The Canadian commercial paper ("CP") market targets investors who purchase Canadian Bankers' Acceptance deposit notes ("BA"). To access the CP market, an issuing company must maintain a commercial paper public rating(s) from DBRS, Moody's Investor Service or Standard \& Poor's. Currently, EGD's CP program is rated R-1 (low) with a stable outlook by DBRS; and A-1 (low) by Standard \& Poor's.
14. The BA market is largely priced using the Canadian Deposit Offer Rate ("CDOR") as the underlying cost of funds with a risk-adjusted, company-specific spread charged in addition to the relevant CDOR. The CP market provides the most cost effective financing of short-term borrowing requirements. Assuming the maintenance of EGD's current, public CP ratings, the following outlines the Company's anticipated assumed short-term borrowing costs:

| Per Annum Interest Rate | 2014 | 2015 | 2016 |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Short Term Debt Rate | $1.78 \%$ | $2.75 \%$ | $3.35 \%$ |

15. The Company's CP program is largely used to finance short-term gas storage requirements.
16. The existing $\$ 700$ million commercial paper program and $\$ 700$ million credit facility in place to backstop the commercial paper program are anticipated to adequately accommodate the peak gas storage cycle.
17. In the maintenance of the $\$ 700$ million committed credit facility, the Company is charged an annual \$50,000 administration fee. In addition, the Company is charged a $0.20 \%$ standby fee on any undrawn balance of the committed credit facility; as well as, an annual $0.05 \%$ fee to extend the maturity date of the committed credit facilities for an additional 364 days. The administration, extension and standby fees are estimated at $\$ 1.8$ million annually. These fees are amortized over a 2-year term. The Company is also charged approximately $\$ 170,000$ per annum to maintain its credit ratings with DBRS and Standard \& Poor's. The combined credit facility, credit rating agency and MTN Base Shelf Prospectus re-filing fees total approximately $\$ 6.0$ million for the 2014, 2015 and 2016 Forecast Years.
18. To provide financing flexibility during construction of GTA project, the Company will consider enhancing its liquidity. These liquidity enhancing actions may include the potential increase in existing credit facility, issuing short term notes or other potential alternatives.

## Cost of Long-Term Debt

19. EGD uses long-term debt to finance maintenance capital and expansion capital expenditure requirements; as well as, to re-finance existing long-term debt issuances that are maturing. To support the Company's long-term debt financing requirements, EGD maintains a Short Form Base Shelf Prospectus ("MTN Prospectus") that allows for the cumulative issuance of up to $\$ 800$ million of

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medium term notes into the Canadian debt capital market. The MTN Prospectus expires in January 2015, at which time it will be renewed.
20. The Canadian medium term note ("MTN") market is targeted to the Canadian retail and institutional investor looking for medium to long-term, fixed income investment alternatives. To access the MTN market, issuers must maintain a public debt rating(s) issues by DBRS, Moody's Investor Service or Standard \& Poor's.
Currently, EGD's MTN program is rated A with a stable outlook by DBRS; and Awith a stable outlook by Standard \& Poor's.
21. The MTN market is largely priced using the relevant Government of Canada bond rate ("GoC") as the underlying cost of funds with a risk-adjusted, company-specific spread charged in addition to the relevant GoC. Assuming the maintenance of EGD's current, public MTN ratings, the following outlines the Company's anticipated assumed long-term borrowing costs:

| Per Annum Interest Rate | 2014 | 2015 | 2016 |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Long Term Debt Rate | $4.17 \%$ | $4.93 \%$ | $4.65 \%$ |

22. As set out in Exhibit A2, Tab 3, Schedule 1, an information update will be provided outlining forecast financing costs and debt rate for 2017 and 2018.

## COST OF CAPITAL - 2017 and 2018

1. The purpose of this evidence is to provide an update of the financing activity, the method and cost of financing capital requirements and the cost of short-term debt for 2017 and 2018. As explained at Exhibit A2, Tab 3, Schedule 1, Enbridge's cost of debt rates and fixed financing costs for 2017 and 2018 are being set in this proceeding, and will not be subject to future adjustment. The cost of debt for 2017 and 2018 will be set within the first phase of the 2017 Rate Adjustment proceeding, by applying the cost of debt rates fixed in this proceeding to an updated forecast of Enbridge's debt for 2017 and 2018. The cost of debt rates for 2017 and 2018 can be seen at Exhibit F1, Tab 1, Schedule 3, Appendix A, page 2, cColumns 3 and 7. The fixed financing costs for 2017 and 2018 can be seen at Exhibit F1, Tab 1, Schedule 3, Appendix A, page 1, Line 7. The following evidence sets out how the Company has determined the forecast cost of debt and fixed financing costs for 2017 and 2018.
2. For evidence outlining the cost of equity, please see Exhibit E2, Tab 1, Schedule 2.

## 2017 (Forecast Year) Financing Update

3. The Company plans to issue $\$ 250$ million of debt, the details of which can be found in Table 1. The Company has $\$ 200$ million of term debt maturing in December 2017.

## Table 1

| Item <br> No. | Amount <br> $(\$ M M)$ | Issue <br> Date | Term <br> $($ Yrs $)$ | Canada <br> Yield | Corporate <br> Spread | Amortized <br> Coupon | Effective <br> Issue Costs | Cost |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | 250 | 15-Nov-17 | 10 | $4.30 \%$ | $1.50 \%$ | $5.80 \%$ | $0.05 \%$ | $5.85 \%$ |

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4. A capital contribution of $\$ 50$ million will be required to maintain deemed equity of 36\%.
5. There are no preferred share issuances planned for the 2017 Forecast Year.

## 2018 (Forecast Year) Financing Update

6. The Company plans to issue $\$ 65$ million of debt, the details of which can be found in Table 2. The Company does not have any term debt maturities in 2018.

## Table 2

| $\begin{array}{c}\text { Item } \\ \text { No. }\end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{c}\text { Amount } \\ (\$ M M)\end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{c}\text { Issue } \\ \text { Date }\end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{c}\text { Term } \\ (\text { Yrs })\end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{c}\text { Canada } \\ \text { Yield }\end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{c}\text { Corporate } \\ \text { Spread }\end{array}$ |  | Amortized |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Coupon |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | \(\left.\begin{array}{c}Effective <br>

Issue Costs\end{array} $$
\begin{array}{c}\text { Cost }\end{array}
$$\right]\)
7. A capital contribution of $\$ 60$ million will be required to maintain deemed equity of $36 \%$.
8. There are no preferred share issuances planned for the 2018 Forecast Year.

## Cost of Short-Term Debt

9. EGD currently maintains a $\$ 700$ million, committed credit facility provided by a syndicate of Canadian banks. In addition to committing to the availability of the $\$ 700$ million credit facility, the banks also commit to a fixed pricing level (fixed spread over the relevant floating rate for the underlying cost of funds) for a period of 364-days; assuming that EGD adheres to the terms and conditions of the committed credit agreement.

[^0]10. The Canadian banks' commitments allow for the $\$ 700$ million, committed credit facilities to be used to backstop EGD's $\$ 700$ million commercial paper program. The Canadian commercial paper ("CP") market targets investors who purchase Canadian Bankers' Acceptance deposit notes ("BA"). To access the CP market, an issuing company must maintain a commercial paper public rating(s) from DBRS, Moody's Investor Service or Standard \& Poor's. Currently, EGD's CP program is rated R-1 (low) with a stable outlook by DBRS; and A-1 (low) by Standard \& Poor's.
11. The BA market is largely priced using the Canadian Deposit Offer Rate ("CDOR") as the underlying cost of funds with a risk-adjusted, company-specific spread charged in addition to the relevant CDOR. The CP market provides the most cost effective financing of short-term borrowing requirements. Assuming the maintenance of EGD's current, public CP ratings, the following outlines the Company's anticipated assumed short-term borrowing costs:

| Per Annum Interest Rate | 2017 | 2018 |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Short Term Debt Rate | $4.30 \%$ | $4.30 \%$ |

12. The Company's CP program is largely used to finance short-term gas storage requirements.
13. The existing $\$ 700$ million commercial paper program and $\$ 700$ million credit facility in place to backstop the commercial paper program are anticipated to adequately accommodate the peak gas storage cycle.
14. In the maintenance of the $\$ 700$ million committed credit facility, the Company is charged an annual \$50,000 administration fee. In addition, the Company is

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charged a $0.22 \%$ standby fee on any undrawn balance of the committed credit facility; as well as, an annual 0.05\% fee to extend the maturity date of the committed credit facilities for an additional 364 days. The administration, extension and standby fees are estimated at $\$ 1.8$ million annually. These fees are amortized over a 2-year term. The Company is also charged approximately $\$ 180,000$ per annum to maintain its credit ratings with DBRS and Standard \& Poor's. The combined credit facility, credit rating agency and MTN Base Shelf Prospectus re-filing fees total approximately $\$ 4.0$ million for the 2017 and 2018 Forecast Years.

## Cost of Long-Term Debt

15. EGD uses long-term debt to finance maintenance capital and expansion capital expenditure requirements; as well as, to re-finance existing long-term debt issuances that are maturing. To support the Company's long-term debt financing requirements, EGD maintains a Short Form Base Shelf Prospectus ("MTN Prospectus") that allows for the cumulative issuance of up to $\$ 800$ million of medium term notes into the Canadian debt capital market. The MTN Prospectus expires in January 2015, at which time it will be renewed.
16. The Canadian medium term note ("MTN") market is targeted to the Canadian retail and institutional investor looking for medium to long-term, fixed income investment alternatives. To access the MTN market, issuers must maintain a public debt rating(s) issues by DBRS, Moody's Investor Service or Standard \& Poor's. Currently, EGD's MTN program is rated A with a stable outlook by DBRS; and Awith a stable outlook by Standard \& Poor's.
17. The MTN market is largely priced using the relevant Government of Canada bond rate ("GoC") as the underlying cost of funds with a risk-adjusted, company-specific

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spread charged in addition to the relevant GoC. Assuming the maintenance of EGD's current, public MTN ratings, the following outlines the Company's anticipated assumed long-term borrowing costs:

| Per Annum Interest Rate | 2017 | 2018 |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Long Term Debt Rate | $5.80 \%$ | $5.80 \%$ |

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## RETURN ON EQUITY CALCULATIONS FOR 2014 THROUGH 2016

1. The purpose of this submission is to present evidence that supports the proposal to set the Return on Equity (ROE) level for each of 2014, 2015, and 2016 at $9.27 \%$, $9.72 \%$, and $10.12 \%$, respectively. A forecast for each of 2017 and 2018 will be provided in an information update shortly.
2. As outlined in the overview for this Application at Exhibit A2, Tab 1, Schedule 1, the Company is applying to set Allowed Revenue amounts for each year of the threeyear period from 2014 through 2016. The Allowed Revenue amounts will be built up based on forecasts of costs, inclusive of productivity. One of these costs is the Cost of Capital. Details of the treatment of Cost of Capital are found at Exhibit A2, Tab 5, Schedule 1.
3. The Company affirms at Exhibit A2, Tab 5, Schedule 1 that the equity ratio will be held constant at the 2013 Board-approved 36\% (EB-2011-0354).

## ROE Formula

4. In the Board's 2009 Report on the Cost of Capital for Ontario's Regulated Utilities issued December 2009, it reiterated its preference for the formula-based equity risk premium ("ERP") approach. It also reset parameters of its formula to accommodate changing economic and financial conditions since the last formula established in $2006{ }^{1}$. The Board's Report in the following formula is used to determine the appropriate Return on Equity:
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$R O E_{t}=9.75 \%+\left[0.5 \times\left(\mathrm{LCBF}_{\mathrm{t}}-4.25 \%\right)\right]+\left[0.5 \times\left(\mathrm{UBS}_{\mathrm{t}}-1.415 \%\right)\right]$
Where:

- LCBF is the Long Canada Bond Forecast determined as the average 3-month out and 1-year out yields of the 10-year Government of Canada (GoC) Bond Yield Forecasts (as sourced from Consensus Economics) plus the actual spread of the 30-year over the 10-year GoC (as published by the Bank of Canada) in the month of analysis.
- UBS is the A-rated Utility Bond Yield Spread between the Canada 30-year Utility bond index yield (as reported by Bloomberg L.P.) and the 30-year GoC (as published by the Bank of Canada) in the month of analysis.
- $9.75 \%$ is the Base ROE,
- $4.25 \%$ is the Base LCBF, and
- $1.415 \%$ is the Base UBS.

5. The forecasts for each of these elements are shown below.

| Table 1 |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Year | Long Canada <br> Bond Yields |  <br> 30-yr GoC <br> Spreads |
|  |  |  |
| 2014 | $3.20 \%$ | $1.50 \%$ |
| 2015 | $3.90 \%$ | $1.70 \%$ |
| 2016 | $4.60 \%$ | $1.80 \%$ |

Source: Enbridge Inc., March 2013
6. The Long Canada Bond Yield forecast is a consensus representing projections from seven financial institutions as of February 2013. Utility spreads are derived from mean reversion models that support the expectation of long term spreads reverting back to an equilibrium level.
7. Using the forecast parameters in Table 1, the ROE is calculated as follows:

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\begin{aligned}
2014 \text { ROE } & =9.75 \%+\left[0.5 \times\left(\mathrm{LCBF}_{t}-4.25 \%\right)\right]+\left[0.5 \times\left(\mathrm{UBS}_{t}-1.415 \%\right)\right] \\
& =9.75 \%+[0.5 \times(3.20 \%-4.25 \%)]+[0.5 \times(1.50 \%-1.415 \%)] \\
& =9.75 \%+[0.5 \times(-1.05 \%)]+[0.5 \times(0.085 \%)] \\
& =9.75 \%-0.525 \%+0.0425 \% \\
& =9.2675 \% \text { or } 9.27 \%
\end{aligned}
$$

$$
\begin{aligned}
2015 \mathrm{ROE} & =9.75 \%+\left[0.5 \times\left(\mathrm{LCBF}_{\mathrm{t}}-4.25 \%\right)\right]+\left[0.5 \times\left(\mathrm{UBS}_{t}-1.415 \%\right)\right] \\
& =9.75 \%+[0.5 \times(3.90 \%-4.25 \%)]+[0.5 \times(1.70 \%-1.415 \%)] \\
& =9.75 \%+[0.5 \times(-0.35 \%)]+[0.5 \times(0.285 \%)] \\
& =9.75 \%-0.175 \%+0.1425 \% \\
& =9.7175 \% \text { or } 9.72 \%
\end{aligned}
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\begin{aligned}
2016 \mathrm{ROE} & =9.75 \%+\left[0.5 \times\left(\mathrm{LCBF}_{\mathrm{t}}-4.25 \%\right)\right]+\left[0.5 \times\left(\mathrm{UBS}_{\mathrm{t}}-1.415 \%\right)\right] \\
& =9.75 \%+[0.5 \times(4.60 \%-4.25 \%)]+[0.5 \times(1.80 \%-1.415 \%)] \\
& =9.75 \%+[0.5 \times(0.35 \%)]+[0.5 \times(0.385 \%)] \\
& =9.75 \%+0.175 \%+0.1925 \% \\
& =10.1175 \% \text { or } 10.12 \%
\end{aligned}
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## RETURN ON EQUITY CALCULATIONS FOR 2017 AND 2018

1. The purpose of this submission is to present evidence that supports the proposal to set the Return on Equity ("ROE") level for 2017 and 2018 at 10.17\% and 10.27\%, respectively.
2. As explained at Exhibit A2, Tab 3, Schedule 1, the ROE levels for 2017 and 2018 will be set in this 2014 proceeding and will not be subject to future adjustment.
3. This evidence provides the baseline ROE forecasts for 2017 and 2018 using the ROE Formula described at Exhibit E2, Tab 1, Schedule 1.

## ROE Formula

4. From the Board's 2009 Report on the Cost of Capital for Ontario's Regulated Utilities issued December 2009, the following formula is in effect:

$$
\mathrm{ROE}_{\mathrm{t}}=9.75 \%+\left[0.5 \times\left(\mathrm{LCBF}_{\mathrm{t}}-4.25 \%\right)\right]+\left[0.5 \times\left(\mathrm{UBS}_{\mathrm{t}}-1.415 \%\right)\right]
$$

Where:

- ROE is set in the month that is three months in advance of the effective date for rate implementation.
- LCBF is the Long Canada Bond Forecast determined as the average 3-month out and 1-year out yields of the 10-year Government of Canada ("GoC") Bond Yield Forecasts (as sourced from Consensus Economics) plus the actual spread of the 30-year over the 10-year GoC (as published by the Bank of Canada) in the month of analysis.
- UBS is the A-rated Utility Bond Yield Spread between the Canada 30-year Utility bond index yield (as reported by Bloomberg L.P.) and the 30-year GoC (as published by the Bank of Canada) in the month of analysis.
- $9.75 \%$ is the Base ROE,
- $4.25 \%$ is the Base LCFB, and
- $1.415 \%$ is the Base UBS.

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## COST OF CAPITAL - 2017 and 2018

1. The purpose of this evidence is to provide an update of the financing activity, the method and cost of financing capital requirements and the cost of short-term debt for 2017 and 2018. As explained at Exhibit A2, Tab 3, Schedule 1, Enbridge's cost of debt rates and fixed financing costs for 2017 and 2018 are being set in this proceeding, and will not be subject to future adjustment. The cost of debt for 2017 and 2018 will be set within the first phase of the 2017 Rate Adjustment proceeding, by applying the cost of debt rates fixed in this proceeding to an updated forecast of Enbridge's debt for 2017 and 2018. The cost of debt rates for 2017 and 2018 can be seen at Exhibit F1, Tab 1, Schedule 3, Appendix A, page 2, cColumns 3 and 7. The fixed financing costs for 2017 and 2018 can be seen at Exhibit F1, Tab 1, Schedule 3, Appendix A, page 1, Line 7. The following evidence sets out how the Company has determined the forecast cost of debt and fixed financing costs for 2017 and 2018.
2. For evidence outlining the cost of equity, please see Exhibit E2, Tab 1, Schedule 2.

## 2017 (Forecast Year) Financing Update

3. The Company plans to issue $\$ 250$ million of debt, the details of which can be found in Table 1. The Company has $\$ 200$ million of term debt maturing in December 2017.

## Table 1

| Item <br> No. | Amount <br> $(\$ M M)$ | Issue <br> Date | Term <br> $($ Yrs $)$ | Canada <br> Yield | Corporate <br> Spread | Amortized <br> Coupon | Effective <br> Issue Costs | Cost |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | 250 | 15-Nov-17 | 10 | $4.30 \%$ | $1.50 \%$ | $5.80 \%$ | $0.05 \%$ | $5.85 \%$ |

Witnesses: P. Bhatia
S. Kancharla
4. A capital contribution of $\$ 50$ million will be required to maintain deemed equity of 36\%.
5. There are no preferred share issuances planned for the 2017 Forecast Year.

## 2018 (Forecast Year) Financing Update

6. The Company plans to issue $\$ 65$ million of debt, the details of which can be found in Table 2. The Company does not have any term debt maturities in 2018.

## Table 2

| $\begin{array}{c}\text { Item } \\ \text { No. }\end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{c}\text { Amount } \\ (\$ M M)\end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{c}\text { Issue } \\ \text { Date }\end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{c}\text { Term } \\ (\text { Yrs })\end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{c}\text { Canada } \\ \text { Yield }\end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{c}\text { Corporate } \\ \text { Spread }\end{array}$ |  | Amortized |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Coupon |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | \(\left.\begin{array}{c}Effective <br>

Issue Costs\end{array} $$
\begin{array}{c}\text { Cost }\end{array}
$$\right]\)
7. A capital contribution of $\$ 60$ million will be required to maintain deemed equity of $36 \%$.
8. There are no preferred share issuances planned for the 2018 Forecast Year.

## Cost of Short-Term Debt

9. EGD currently maintains a $\$ 700$ million, committed credit facility provided by a syndicate of Canadian banks. In addition to committing to the availability of the $\$ 700$ million credit facility, the banks also commit to a fixed pricing level (fixed spread over the relevant floating rate for the underlying cost of funds) for a period of 364-days; assuming that EGD adheres to the terms and conditions of the committed credit agreement.

[^2]10. The Canadian banks' commitments allow for the $\$ 700$ million, committed credit facilities to be used to backstop EGD's $\$ 700$ million commercial paper program. The Canadian commercial paper ("CP") market targets investors who purchase Canadian Bankers' Acceptance deposit notes ("BA"). To access the CP market, an issuing company must maintain a commercial paper public rating(s) from DBRS, Moody's Investor Service or Standard \& Poor's. Currently, EGD's CP program is rated R-1 (low) with a stable outlook by DBRS; and A-1 (low) by Standard \& Poor's.
11. The BA market is largely priced using the Canadian Deposit Offer Rate ("CDOR") as the underlying cost of funds with a risk-adjusted, company-specific spread charged in addition to the relevant CDOR. The CP market provides the most cost effective financing of short-term borrowing requirements. Assuming the maintenance of EGD's current, public CP ratings, the following outlines the Company's anticipated assumed short-term borrowing costs:

| Per Annum Interest Rate | 2017 | 2018 |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Short Term Debt Rate | $4.30 \%$ | $4.30 \%$ |

12. The Company's CP program is largely used to finance short-term gas storage requirements.
13. The existing $\$ 700$ million commercial paper program and $\$ 700$ million credit facility in place to backstop the commercial paper program are anticipated to adequately accommodate the peak gas storage cycle.
14. In the maintenance of the $\$ 700$ million committed credit facility, the Company is charged an annual \$50,000 administration fee. In addition, the Company is

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charged a $0.22 \%$ standby fee on any undrawn balance of the committed credit facility; as well as, an annual 0.05\% fee to extend the maturity date of the committed credit facilities for an additional 364 days. The administration, extension and standby fees are estimated at $\$ 1.8$ million annually. These fees are amortized over a 2-year term. The Company is also charged approximately $\$ 180,000$ per annum to maintain its credit ratings with DBRS and Standard \& Poor's. The combined credit facility, credit rating agency and MTN Base Shelf Prospectus re-filing fees total approximately $\$ 4.0$ million for the 2017 and 2018 Forecast Years.

## Cost of Long-Term Debt

15. EGD uses long-term debt to finance maintenance capital and expansion capital expenditure requirements; as well as, to re-finance existing long-term debt issuances that are maturing. To support the Company's long-term debt financing requirements, EGD maintains a Short Form Base Shelf Prospectus ("MTN Prospectus") that allows for the cumulative issuance of up to $\$ 800$ million of medium term notes into the Canadian debt capital market. The MTN Prospectus expires in January 2015, at which time it will be renewed.
16. The Canadian medium term note ("MTN") market is targeted to the Canadian retail and institutional investor looking for medium to long-term, fixed income investment alternatives. To access the MTN market, issuers must maintain a public debt rating(s) issues by DBRS, Moody's Investor Service or Standard \& Poor's. Currently, EGD's MTN program is rated A with a stable outlook by DBRS; and Awith a stable outlook by Standard \& Poor's.
17. The MTN market is largely priced using the relevant Government of Canada bond rate ("GoC") as the underlying cost of funds with a risk-adjusted, company-specific

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spread charged in addition to the relevant GoC. Assuming the maintenance of EGD's current, public MTN ratings, the following outlines the Company's anticipated assumed long-term borrowing costs:

| Per Annum Interest Rate | 2017 | 2018 |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Long Term Debt Rate | $5.80 \%$ | $5.80 \%$ |

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Exhibit E2
Tab 1
Schedule 2
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5. For the five-year period in question, it is not possible to adhere to the timing set forth in the Board's ROE formula. As a result, it was necessary for the Company to rely on forecasts for LCBF and UBS as generated by Enbridge Inc.'s Treasury department for each of the years in question. The forecasts are shown in Table 1.

| Table 1 |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Year | Long Canada <br> Bond Yields |  <br> 30-yr GoC <br> Spreads |
|  |  |  |
| 2014 | $3.20 \%$ | $1.50 \%$ |
| 2015 | $3.90 \%$ | $1.70 \%$ |
| 2016 | $4.60 \%$ | $1.80 \%$ |
| 2017 | $4.80 \%$ | $1.70 \%$ |
| 2018 | $5.00 \%$ | $1.70 \%$ |
| Source: Enbridge Inc., March 2013 |  |  |

6. The Long Canada Bond Yield forecast is a consensus representing projections from seven financial institutions as of February 2013. Utility spreads are derived from mean reversion models that support the expectation of long term spreads reverting back to an equilibrium level.
7. Using the forecast parameters in Table 1, the ROE for 2017 and 2018 are calculated thus:

$$
\begin{aligned}
2017 \text { ROE } & =9.75 \%+\left[0.5 \times\left(\mathrm{LCBF}_{t}-4.25 \%\right)\right]+\left[0.5 \times\left(\mathrm{UBS}_{t}-1.415 \%\right)\right] \\
& =9.75 \%+[0.5 \times(4.80 \%-4.25 \%)]+[0.5 \times(1.70 \%-1.415 \%)] \\
& =9.75 \%+[0.5 \times(0.55 \%)]+[0.5 \times(0.285 \%)] \\
& =9.75 \%+0.275 \%+0.1425 \% \\
& =10.1675 \% \text { or } 10.17 \%
\end{aligned}
$$

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$$
\begin{aligned}
2018 \text { ROE } & =9.75 \%+\left[0.5 \times\left(\mathrm{LCBF}_{\mathrm{t}}-4.25 \%\right)\right]+\left[0.5 \times\left(\mathrm{UBS}_{\mathrm{t}}-1.415 \%\right)\right] \\
& =9.75 \%+[0.5 \times(5.00 \%-4.25 \%)]+[0.5 \times(1.70 \%-1.415 \%)] \\
& =9.75 \%+[0.5 \times(0.75 \%)]+[0.5 \times(0.285 \%)] \\
& =9.75 \%+0.375 \%+0.1425 \% \\
& =10.2675 \% \text { or } 10.27 \%
\end{aligned}
$$

COST OF CAPITAL

Col. 1
Col. 2
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Col. 4

| Line No. |  | Principal Excl. CC/CIS | Component | Cost Rate | Return Component |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | (\$Millions) | \% | \% | \% |
| 1. | Long and Medium-Term Debt | 2,596.9 | 59.37 | 5.57 | 3.307 |
| 2. | Short-Term Debt | 102.3 | 2.34 | 1.78 | 0.042 |
| 3. |  | 2,699.2 | 61.71 |  | 3.349 |
| 4. | Preference Shares | 100.0 | 2.29 | 2.96 | 0.068 |
| 5. | Common Equity | 1,574.6 | 36.00 | 9.27 | 3.337 |
| 6. |  | 4,373.8 | 100.00 |  | 6.754 |
| 7. | Rate Base | (\$Millions) |  |  | 4,373.8 |
| 8. | Utility Income | (\$Millions) |  |  | 321.2 |
| 9. | Indicated Rate of Return |  |  |  | 7.344 |
| 10. | Sufficiency in Rate of Return |  |  |  | 0.590 |
| 11. | Net Sufficiency | (\$Millions) |  |  | 25.8 |
| 12. | Gross Sufficiency | (\$Millions) | (other than CC-CIS) |  | 35.1 |
| 13. | Customer Care/CIS Deficiency | (\$Millions) | (\$114.1 vs \$110.2) |  | (3.9) |
| 14. | Total Gross Revenue Sufficiency | (\$Millions) |  |  | 31.2 |
| 15. | Revenue at Existing Rates | (\$Millions) |  |  | 2,497.9 |
| 16. | Allowed Revenue | (\$Millions) |  |  | 2,466.7 |
| 17. | Gross Revenue Sufficiency | (\$Millions) |  |  | 31.2 |
|  | Common Equity |  |  |  |  |

18. Allowed Rate of Return 9.270
19. Earnings on Common Equity 10.908
20. Sufficiency in Common Equity Return


## SUMMARY STATEMENT OF PRINCIPAL <br> AND CARRYING COST OF <br> TERM DEBT <br> 2014 FISCAL YEAR

| Line <br> No. | Coupon Rate | Maturity Date | Col. 1 <br> Average of Monthly Averages Principal | Col. 2 <br> Effective Cost Rate | Col. 3 <br> Carrying Cost |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | (\$Millions) |  | (\$Millions) |
| Medium Term Notes |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1. | 8.85\% | October 2, 2025 | 20.0 | 8.970\% | 1.8 |
| 2. | 7.60\% | October 29, 2026 | 100.0 | 8.086\% | 8.1 |
| 3. | 6.65\% | November 3, 2027 | 100.0 | 6.711\% | 6.7 |
| 4. | 6.10\% | May 19, 2028 | 100.0 | 6.161\% | 6.2 |
| 5. | 6.05\% | July 5, 2023 | 100.0 | 6.383\% | 6.4 |
| 6. | 6.90\% | November 15, 2032 | 150.0 | 6.950\% | 10.4 |
| 7. | 6.16\% | December 16, 2033 | 150.0 | 6.180\% | 9.3 |
| 8. | 5.16\% | September 24, 2014 | 141.7 | 5.610\% | 7.9 |
| 9. | 5.21\% | February 25, 2036 | 300.0 | 5.183\% | 15.5 |
| 10. | 4.77\% | December 17, 2021 | 175.0 | 5.310\% | 9.3 |
| 11. | 5.16\% | December 4, 2017 | 200.0 | 5.220\% | 10.4 |
| 12. | 5.57\% | January 29, 2014 | 8.3 | 5.660\% | 0.5 |
| 13. | 4.04\% | November 23, 2020 | 200.0 | 5.209\% | 10.4 |
| 14. | 4.95\% | November 22, 2050 | 200.0 | 4.990\% | 10.0 |
| 15. | 4.95\% | November 22, 2050 | 100.0 | 4.731\% | 4.7 |
| 16. | 4.10\% | August 15, 2023 | 400.0 | 4.180\% | 16.7 |
| 17. | 3.80\% | September 15, 2024 | 56.9 | 3.850\% | 2.2 |
| 18. | 3.90\% | September 15, 2024 | 5.8 | 3.980\% | 0.2 |
| 19. | 4.30\% | September 15, 2044 | 37.9 | 4.320\% | 1.6 |
| 20. | 4.70\% | September 15, 2044 | 24.8 | 4.720\% | 1.2 |
| 21. |  |  | 2,570.4 |  | 139.5 |
| Long-Term Debentures |  |  |  |  |  |
| 22. | 9.85\% | December 2, 2024 | 85.0 | 9.910\% | 8.4 |
| 23. |  |  | 85.0 |  | 8.4 |
| 24. | Removal 64\% ass rate base | of separately treated CIS med debt of $2014 \$ 57.8 \mathrm{M}$ value | (37.0) | 5.350\% | (2.0) |
| 25. | Total Ter | Debt | 2,618.4 |  | 145.9 |



| Line No. | Coupon <br> Rate | Maturity Date | Col. 1 | Col. 2 | Col. 3 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Average of Monthly Averages Principal | Effective Cost Rate | $\begin{gathered} \text { Carrying } \\ \text { Cost } \end{gathered}$ |
|  |  |  | (\$Millions) |  | (\$Million |

Fixed/Floating Cumulative Redeemable Convertible \$25 Par Value

| 1. $\mathrm{N} / \mathrm{A}$ | Group 3 Series D | 100.0 | $2.96 \%$ | 3.0 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | Total |  | 100.0 |  |



## COST OF CAPITAL

2015 FORECAST YEAR


| Line No. |  | Col. 1 | Col. 2 | Col. 3 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Average of Monthly Averages |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Carrying } \\ & \text { Cost } \end{aligned}$ |
| Long and Medium-Term Debt |  | (\$Millions) |  | (\$Millions) |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| 1. | Debt Summary | 2,939.0 |  | 158.3 |
| 2. | Unamortized Finance Costs | (20.6) |  | - |
| 3. | (Profit)/Loss on Redemption | - |  | - |
| 4. |  | 2,918.4 |  | 158.3 |
| 5. | Calculated Cost Rate |  | 5.39\% |  |
|  | Short-Term Debt |  |  |  |
| 6. | Calculated Cost Rate |  | 2.75\% |  |
|  | Preference Shares |  |  |  |
| 7. | Preference Share Summary | 100.0 |  | 3.7 |
| 8. | Unamortized Finance Costs | - |  | - |
| 9. | (Profit/Loss on Redemption | - |  | - |
| 10. |  | 100.0 |  | 3.7 |
| 11. | Calculated Cost Rate |  | 3.68\% |  |
|  | Common Equity |  |  |  |
| 12. | Board Formula ROE |  | 9.72\% |  |

## SUMMARY STATEMENT OF PRINCIPAL <br> AND CARRYING COST OF TERM DEBT 2015 FORECAST YEAR

| Line No. | Coupon Rate | Maturity Date | Col. 1 | Col. 2 | Col. 3 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Average of Monthly Averages Principal | Effective Cost Rate | Carrying Cost |
|  |  |  | (\$Millions) |  | (\$Millions) |
| Medium Term Notes |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1. | 8.85\% | October 2, 2025 | 20.0 | 8.970\% | 1.8 |
| 2. | 7.60\% | October 29, 2026 | 100.0 | 8.086\% | 8.1 |
| 3. | 6.65\% | November 3, 2027 | 100.0 | 6.711\% | 6.7 |
| 4. | 6.10\% | May 19, 2028 | 100.0 | 6.161\% | 6.2 |
| 5. | 6.05\% | July 5, 2023 | 100.0 | 6.383\% | 6.4 |
| 6. | 6.90\% | November 15, 2032 | 150.0 | 6.950\% | 10.4 |
| 7. | 6.16\% | December 16, 2033 | 150.0 | 6.180\% | 9.3 |
| 8. | 5.21\% | February 25, 2036 | 300.0 | 5.183\% | 15.5 |
| 9. | 4.77\% | December 17, 2021 | 175.0 | 5.310\% | 9.3 |
| 10. | 5.16\% | December 4, 2017 | 200.0 | 5.220\% | 10.4 |
| 11. | 4.04\% | November 23, 2020 | 200.0 | 5.209\% | 10.4 |
| 12. | 4.95\% | November 22, 2050 | 200.0 | 4.990\% | 10.0 |
| 13. | 4.95\% | November 22, 2050 | 100.0 | 4.731\% | 4.7 |
| 14. | 4.10\% | August 15, 2023 | 400.0 | 4.180\% | 16.7 |
| 15. | 3.80\% | September 15, 2024 | 195.0 | 3.850\% | 7.5 |
| 16. | 3.90\% | September 15, 2024 | 20.0 | 3.980\% | 0.8 |
| 17. | 4.30\% | September 15, 2044 | 130.0 | 4.320\% | 5.6 |
| 18. | 4.70\% | September 15, 2044 | 85.0 | 4.720\% | 4.0 |
| 19. | 4.30\% | June 15, 2025 | 70.4 | 4.350\% | 3.1 |
| 20. | 5.00\% | October 15, 2025 | 30.2 | 5.050\% | 1.5 |
| 21. | 4.60\% | October 15, 2045 | 27.1 | 4.620\% | 1.3 |
| 22. | 5.60\% | October 15, 2045 | 30.2 | 5.620\% | 1.7 |
| 23. |  |  | 2,882.9 |  | 151.4 |

Long-Term Debentures

| 24. | 9.85\% | December 2, 2024 | 85.0 | 9.910\% | 8.4 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 25. |  |  | 85.0 |  | 8.4 |
| 26. | Remov 64\% as rate ba | f separately treated med debt of 2015 \$ value | (28.9) | 5.350\% | (1.5) |
| 27. | Total T | Debt | 2,939.0 |  | 158.3 |

## UNAMORTIZED DEBT DISCOUNT AND EXPENSE AVERAGE OF MONTHLY AVERAGES 2015 FORECAST YEAR

| Line | Col. 1 <br> No. | Unamortized <br> Debt Discount <br> and Expense |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
|  |  | (\$Millions) |

## PREFERENCE SHARES <br> SUMMARY STATEMENT OF PRINCIPAL <br> AND CARRYING COST 2015 FORECAST YEAR

$\left.\begin{array}{llccc} & & \text { Col. } 1 & \text { Col. } 2 & \text { Col. } 3 \\ \begin{array}{c}\text { Line } \\ \text { No. }\end{array} & \begin{array}{c}\text { Coupon } \\ \text { Rate }\end{array} & \text { Maturity Date } & \begin{array}{c}\text { Average of } \\ \text { Monthly Averages } \\ \text { Principal }\end{array} & \begin{array}{c}\text { Effective } \\ \text { Cost Rate }\end{array}\end{array} \begin{array}{c}\text { Carrying } \\ \text { Cost }\end{array}\right]$

Fixed/Floating Cumulative Redeemable Convertible \$25 Par Value

1. | N/A | Group 3 Series D | 100.0 | $3.68 \%$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  |  | 100.0 |  |
| 2. |  | 3.7 |  |

## UNAMORTIZED PREFERENCE SHARE ISSUE EXPENSE AVERAGE OF MONTHLY AVERAGES 2015 FORECAST YEAR

|  | Col. 1 |
| :---: | :---: |
|  | Unamortized |
| Line | Issue |
| No. | Expense |

(\$Millions)

| 1. | January 1 |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 2. | January 31 |  |
| 3. | February | - |
| 4. | March | - |
| 5. | April | - |
| 6. | May | - |
| 7. | June | - |
| 8. | July | - |
| 9. | ugeust | - |
| 10. | September | - |
| 11. | Cctober | - |
| 12. | November | - |
| 13. | December | - |
| 14. | Average of Monthly Averages | - |



| Line <br> No. |  | Col. 1 <br> Average of Monthly Averages | Col. 2 | Col. 3 <br> Carrying Cost |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | (\$Millions) |  | (\$Millions) |
| Long and Medium-Term Debt |  |  |  |  |
| 1. | Debt Summary | 3,386.6 |  | 180.4 |
| 2. | Unamortized Finance Costs | (19.6) |  | - |
| 3. | (Profit)/Loss on Redemption | - |  | - |
| 4. |  | 3,367.0 |  | 180.4 |
| 5. | Calculated Cost Rate |  | 5.33\% |  |
| Short-Term Debt |  |  |  |  |
| 6. | Calculated Cost Rate |  | 3.35\% |  |
| Preference Shares |  |  |  |  |
| 7. | Preference Share Summary | 100.0 |  | 4.3 |
| 8. | Unamortized Finance Costs | - |  | - |
| 9. | (Profit)/Loss on Redemption | - |  | - |
| 10. |  | 100.0 |  | 4.3 |
| 11. | Calculated Cost Rate |  | 4.32\% |  |
| Common Equity |  |  |  |  |
| 12. | Board Formula ROE |  | 10.12\% |  |

# SUMMARY STATEMENT OF PRINCIPAL AND CARRYING COST OF TERM DEBT 2016 FORECAST YEAR 

|  |  |  | Col. 1 | Col. 2 | Col. 3 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Line No. | Coupon Rate | Maturity Date | Average of Monthly Averages Principal | Effective Cost Rate | Carrying Cost |
|  |  |  | (\$Millions) |  | (\$Millions) |
| Medium Term Notes |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1. | 8.85\% | October 2, 2025 | 20.0 | 8.970\% | 1.8 |
| 2. | 7.60\% | October 29, 2026 | 100.0 | 8.086\% | 8.1 |
| 3. | 6.65\% | November 3, 2027 | 100.0 | 6.711\% | 6.7 |
| 4. | 6.10\% | May 19, 2028 | 100.0 | 6.161\% | 6.2 |
| 5. | 6.05\% | July 5, 2023 | 100.0 | 6.383\% | 6.4 |
| 6. | 6.90\% | November 15, 2032 | 150.0 | 6.950\% | 10.4 |
| 7. | 6.16\% | December 16, 2033 | 150.0 | 6.180\% | 9.3 |
| 8. | 5.21\% | February 25, 2036 | 300.0 | 5.183\% | 15.5 |
| 9. | 4.77\% | December 17, 2021 | 175.0 | 5.310\% | 9.3 |
| 10. | 5.16\% | December 4, 2017 | 200.0 | 5.220\% | 10.4 |
| 11. | 4.04\% | November 23, 2020 | 200.0 | 5.209\% | 10.4 |
| 12. | 4.95\% | November 22, 2050 | 200.0 | 4.990\% | 10.0 |
| 13. | 4.95\% | November 22, 2050 | 100.0 | 4.731\% | 4.7 |
| 14. | 4.10\% | August 15, 2023 | 400.0 | 4.180\% | 16.7 |
| 15. | 3.80\% | September 15, 2024 | 195.0 | 3.850\% | 7.5 |
| 16. | 3.90\% | September 15, 2024 | 20.0 | 3.980\% | 0.8 |
| 17. | 4.30\% | September 15, 2044 | 130.0 | 4.320\% | 5.6 |
| 18. | 4.70\% | September 15, 2044 | 85.0 | 4.720\% | 4.0 |
| 19. | 4.30\% | June 15, 2025 | 130.0 | 4.350\% | 5.7 |
| 20. | 5.00\% | October 15, 2025 | 145.0 | 5.050\% | 7.3 |
| 21. | 4.60\% | October 15, 2045 | 130.0 | 4.620\% | 6.0 |
| 22. | 5.60\% | October 15, 2045 | 145.0 | 5.620\% | 8.1 |
| 23. | 4.60\% | September 15, 2026 | 47.3 | 4.650\% | 2.2 |
| 24. |  |  | 3,322.3 |  | 173.1 |
| Long-Term Debentures |  |  |  |  |  |
| 25. | 9.85\% | December 2, 2024 | 85.0 | 9.910\% | 8.4 |
| 26. |  |  | 85.0 |  | 8.4 |
|  | Removal of separately treated CIS $64 \%$ assumed debt of $2016 \$ 32.4 \mathrm{M}$ rate base value |  | (20.7) | 5.350\% | (1.1) |
|  | Total Ter | $m$ Debt | 3,386.6 |  | 180.4 |

## UNAMORTIZED DEBT DISCOUNT AND EXPENSE

AVERAGE OF MONTHLY AVERAGES 2016 FORECAST YEAR

| Line | Col. 1 <br> No. |
| :---: | ---: |
|  | Unamortized <br> Debt Discount <br> and Expense |
|  |  |
| 1. | January 1 |
| 2. | January 31 |
| 3. | February |
| 4. | March |
| 5. | April |
| 6. May | June |
| 7. | July |
| 8. | August |

## PREFERENCE SHARES <br> SUMMARY STATEMENT OF PRINCIPAL <br> AND CARRYING COST 2016 FORECAST YEAR



Fixed/Floating Cumulative Redeemable Convertible \$25 Par Value

| 1. $\mathrm{N} / \mathrm{A}$ | Group 3 Series D | 100.0 | $4.32 \%$ | 4.3 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 2. | Total |  | 100.0 |  |

## UNAMORTIZED PREFERENCE SHARE ISSUE EXPENSE AVERAGE OF MONTHLY AVERAGES 2016 FORECAST YEAR

Col. 1
Unamortized
Issue
Line
Expense
(\$Millions)

| 1. | January 1 |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 2. | January 11 | - |
| 3. | February | - |
| 4. | March | - |
| 5. | April | - |
| 6. | May | - |
| 7. | June | - |
| 8. | July | - |
| 9. | August | - |
| 10. | September | - |
| 11. | October | - |
| 12. | November | - |
| 13. | December | - |
| 14. | Average of Monthly Averages | - |

COST OF CAPITAL 2017 FORECAST YEAR

| Line No. |  | Col. 1 | Col. 2 | Col. 3 | Col. 4 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Principal Excl. CC/CIS | Component | Cost Rate | Return Component |
|  |  | (\$Millions) | \% | \% | \% |
| 1. | Long and Medium-Term Debt | 3,515.5 | 61.49 | 5.31 | 3.265 |
| 2. | Short-Term Debt | 43.3 | 0.76 | 4.30 | 0.033 |
| 3. |  | 3,558.8 | 62.25 |  | 3.298 |
| 4. | Preference Shares | 100.0 | 1.75 | 4.64 | 0.081 |
| 5. | Common Equity | 2,058.1 | 36.00 | 10.17 | 3.661 |
| 6. |  | 5,716.9 | 100.00 |  | 7.040 |
| 7. | Rate Base | (\$Millions) |  |  | 5,716.9 |
| 8. | Utility Income | (\$Millions) |  |  | 293.9 |
| 9. | Indicated Rate of Return |  |  |  | 5.141 |
| 10. | Deficiency in Rate of Return |  |  |  | (1.899) |
| 11. | Net Deficiency | (\$Millions) |  |  | (108.6) |
| 12. | Gross Deficiency | (\$Millions) | (other than CC | CIS) | (147.7) |
| 13. | Customer Care/CIS Deficiency | (\$Millions) | (\$128.6 vs \$110.2) |  | (18.4) |
| 14. | Total Gross Revenue Deficiency | (\$Millions) |  |  | (166.1) |
| 15. | Revenue at Existing Rates | (\$Millions) |  |  | 2,693.2 |
| 16. | Allowed Revenue | (\$Millions) |  |  | 2,859.3 |
| 17. | Gross Revenue Deficiency | (\$Millions) |  |  | (166.1) |
|  | Common Equity |  |  |  |  |
| 18. | Allowed Rate of Return |  |  |  | 10.170 |
|  | Earnings on Common Equity |  |  |  | 4.894 |
| 20. | Deficiency in Common Equity Retur |  |  |  | (5.276) |

## CALCULATION OF COST RATES

 FOR CAPITAL STRUCTURE COMPONENTS 2017 FORECAST YEAR| Line No. |  | Col. 1 | Col. 2 | Col. 3 <br> Carrying Cost |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Average of Monthly Averages |  |  |
|  | Long and Medium-Term Debt | (\$Millions) |  | (\$Millions) |
| 1. | Debt Summary | 3,532.4 |  | 187.5 |
| 2. | Unamortized Finance Costs | (16.9) |  | - |
| 3. | (Profit)/Loss on Redemption | - |  | - |
| 4. |  | 3,515.5 |  | 187.5 |
| 5. | Calculated Cost Rate |  | 5.31\% |  |
|  | Short-Term Debt |  |  |  |
| 6. | Calculated Cost Rate |  | 4.30\% |  |
|  | Preference Shares |  |  |  |
| 7. | Preference Share Summary | 100.0 |  | 4.6 |
| 8. | Unamortized Finance Costs | - |  | - |
| 9. | (Profit)/Loss on Redemption | - |  | - |
| 10. |  | 100.0 |  | 4.6 |
| 11. | Calculated Cost Rate |  | 4.64\% |  |
|  | Common Equity |  |  |  |
| 12. | Board Formula ROE |  | 10.17\% |  |

## SUMMARY STATEMENT OF PRINCIPAL <br> AND CARRYING COST OF <br> TERM DEBT <br> 2017 FORECAST YEAR

Col. 1

Col. 2
Col. 3

| Line <br> No. | Coupon Rate | Maturity Date | Average of Monthly Averages Principal | Effective <br> Cost Rate | $\begin{gathered} \text { Carrying } \\ \text { Cost } \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | (\$Millions) |  | (\$Millions) |

Medium Term Notes

| 1. | 8.85\% | October 2, 2025 | 20.0 | $8.970 \%$ | 1.8 |
| ---: | :--- | :--- | ---: | :--- | ---: |
| 2. | $7.60 \%$ | October 29, 2026 | 100.0 | $8.086 \%$ | 8.1 |
| 3. | $6.65 \%$ | November 3, 2027 | 100.0 | $6.711 \%$ | 6.7 |
| 4. | $6.10 \%$ | May 19, 2028 | 100.0 | $6.161 \%$ | 6.2 |
| 5. | $6.05 \%$ | July 5, 2023 | 100.0 | $6.383 \%$ | 6.4 |
| 6. | $6.90 \%$ | November 15, 2032 | 150.0 | $6.950 \%$ | 10.4 |
| 7. | $6.16 \%$ | December 16, 2033 | 150.0 | $6.180 \%$ | 9.3 |
| 8. | $5.21 \%$ | February 25, 2036 | 300.0 | $5.183 \%$ | 15.5 |
| 9. | $4.77 \%$ | December 17, 2021 | 175.0 | $5.310 \%$ | 9.3 |
| 10. | $5.16 \%$ | December 4, 2017 | 191.7 | $5.220 \%$ | 10.0 |
| 11. | $4.04 \%$ | November 23, 2020 | 200.0 | $5.209 \%$ | 10.4 |
| 12. | $4.95 \%$ | November 22, 2050 | 200.0 | $4.990 \%$ | 10.0 |
| 13. | $4.95 \%$ | November 22, 2050 | 100.0 | $4.731 \%$ | 4.7 |
| 14. | $4.10 \%$ | August 15, 2023 | 400.0 | $4.180 \%$ | 16.7 |
| 15. | $3.80 \%$ | September 15, 2024 | 195.0 | $3.850 \%$ | 7.5 |
| 16. | $3.90 \%$ | September 15, 2024 | 20.0 | $3.980 \%$ | 0.8 |
| 17. | $4.30 \%$ | September 15, 2044 | 130.0 | $4.320 \%$ | 5.6 |
| 18. | $4.70 \%$ | September 15, 2044 | 85.0 | $4.720 \%$ | 4.0 |
| 19. | $4.30 \%$ | June 15, 2025 | 130.0 | $4.350 \%$ | 5.7 |
| 20. | $5.00 \%$ | October 15, 2025 | 145.0 | $5.050 \%$ | 7.3 |
| 21. | $4.60 \%$ | October 15, 2045 | 130.0 | $4.620 \%$ | 6.0 |
| 22. | $5.60 \%$ | October 15, 2045 | 145.0 | $5.620 \%$ | 8.1 |
| 23. | $4.60 \%$ | September 15, 2026 | 162.0 | $4.650 \%$ | 7.5 |
| 24. | $5.80 \%$ | November 15, 2027 |  | 31.3 | $5.850 \%$ |

Long-Term Debentures

| 26. | 9.85\% | December 2, 2024 | 85.0 | 9.910\% | 8.4 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 27. |  |  | 85.0 |  | 8.4 |
| 28. | Remov 64\% rate ba | of separately treated med debt of 2017 \$ value | (12.6) | 5.350\% | (0.7) |
|  | Total T | Debt | 3,532.4 |  | 187.5 |

## UNAMORTIZED DEBT DISCOUNT AND EXPENSE AVERAGE OF MONTHLY AVERAGES 2017 FORECAST YEAR

| Line | Col. 1 <br> No. | Unamortized <br> Debt Discount <br> and Expense |
| :---: | :--- | ---: |
|  |  | (\$Millions) |
|  |  |  |
| 1. | January 1 | 18.5 |
| 2. | January 31 | 18.2 |
| 3. | February | 17.9 |
| 4. | March | 17.6 |
| 5. | April | 17.3 |
| 6. | May | 17.1 |
| 7. | June | 16.8 |
| 8. | July | 16.5 |
| 9. August | 16.2 |  |
| 10. | September | 15.9 |
| 11. | October | 15.6 |
| 12. | November | 16.5 |
| 13. | December | 16.2 |
| 14. | Average of Monthly Averages | 16.9 |

PREFERENCE SHARES

|  |  |  | Col. 1 | Col. 2 | Col. 3 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Line No. | Coupon Rate | Maturity Date | Average of Monthly Averages Principal | Effective <br> Cost Rate | Carrying Cost |
| (\$Millions) (\$Millions) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Fixed/Floating Cumulative Redeemable Convertible \$25 Par Value |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | N/A | Group 3 Series D | 100.0 | 4.64\% | 4.6 |
| 2. | Total |  | 100.0 |  | 4.6 |

## UNAMORTIZED PREFERENCE SHARE ISSUE EXPENSE AVERAGE OF MONTHLY AVERAGES 2017 FORECAST YEAR

| Line | Issue |
| :--- | ---: |
| No. | Expense |

(\$Millions)

1. January 1
2. January 31
3. February
4. March
5. April
6. May
7. June
8. July
9. August
10. September
11. October
12. November
13. December
14. Average of Monthly Averages $\qquad$

## COST OF CAPITAL

## 2018 FORECAST YEAR

|  |  | Col. 1 | Col. 2 | Col. 3 | Col. 4 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Line No. |  | Principal Excl. CC/CIS | Component | Cost Rate | Return Component |
|  |  | (\$Millions) | \% | \% | \% |
| 1. | Long and Medium-Term Debt | 3,614.9 | 61.28 | 5.36 | 3.285 |
| 2. | Short-Term Debt | 60.5 | 1.02 | 4.30 | 0.044 |
| 3. |  | 3,675.4 | 62.30 |  | 3.329 |
| 4. | Preference Shares | 100.0 | 1.70 | 4.64 | 0.079 |
| 5. | Common Equity | 2,123.7 | 36.00 | 10.27 | 3.697 |
| 6. |  | 5,899.1 | 100.00 |  | 7.105 |
| 7. | Rate Base | (\$Millions) |  |  | 5,899.1 |
| 8. | Utility Income | (\$Millions) |  |  | 277.9 |
| 9. | Indicated Rate of Return |  |  |  | 4.711 |
| 10. | Deficiency in Rate of Return |  |  |  | (2.394) |
| 11. | Net Deficiency | (\$Millions) |  |  | (141.2) |
| 12. | Gross Deficiency | (\$Millions) | (other than CC |  | (192.1) |
| 13. | Customer Care/CIS Deficiency | (\$Millions) | (\$133.8 vs \$11 |  | (23.6) |
| 14. | Total Gross Revenue Deficiency | (\$Millions) |  |  | (215.7) |
| 15. | Revenue at Existing Rates | (\$Millions) |  |  | 2,703.3 |
| 16. | Allowed Revenue | (\$Millions) |  |  | 2,919.0 |
| 17. | Gross Revenue Deficiency | (\$Millions) |  |  | (215.7) |
|  | Common Equity |  |  |  |  |
| 18. | Allowed Rate of Return |  |  |  | 10.270 |
|  | Earnings on Common Equity |  |  |  | 3.619 |
| 20. | Deficiency in Common Equity Ret |  |  |  | (6.651) |



## SUMMARY STATEMENT OF PRINCIPAL AND CARRYING COST OF TERM DEBT 2018 FORECAST YEAR

Col. 1
Col. 2
Col. 3

| Line <br> No. <br> Coupon <br> Rate | Maturity Date | Average of <br> Monthly Averages <br> Principal | Effective <br> Cost Rate | (\$Millions) <br> Carrying <br> Cost |  |
| ---: | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Medium Term Notes |  |  | (\$Millions) |  |  |

Long-Term Debentures

| 26. | 9.85\% | December 2, 2024 | 85.0 | 9.910\% | 8.4 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 27. |  |  | 85.0 |  | 8.4 |
|  | Removal of separately treated CIS $64 \%$ assumed debt of $2018 \$ 7.0 \mathrm{M}$ rate base value |  | (4.5) | 5.350\% | (0.2) |
|  | Total T | Debt | 3,629.8 |  | 194.5 |

## UNAMORTIZED DEBT DISCOUNT AND EXPENSE <br> AVERAGE OF MONTHLY AVERAGES 2018 FORECAST YEAR

| Line | Col. 1 <br> No. |
| :---: | :---: |
|  | Unamortized <br> Debt Discount <br> and Expense |
|  |  |
| 1. | January 1 |
| 2. | January 31 |
| 3. | February |
| 4. | March |
| 5. | April |
| 6. | May |
| 7. | June |

PREFERENCE SHARES

| Line | Coupon | Maturity Date | Col. 1 | Col. 2 | Col. 3 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Average of Monthly Averages Principal | Effective Cost Rate | Carrying Cost |
|  |  |  | (\$Millions) |  | (\$Millio |

Fixed/Floating Cumulative Redeemable Convertible \$25 Par Value

1. N/A Group 3 Series D
100.0
4.64\%
4.6
2. Total
100.0
4.6

## UNAMORTIZED PREFERENCE SHARE ISSUE EXPENSE AVERAGE OF MONTHLY AVERAGES 2018 FORECAST YEAR

| Line |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| No. | Unamortized <br> Issue <br> Expense |
|  |  |
| 1. January 1 | (\$Millions) |
| 2. January 31 | - |
| 3. February | - |
| 4. March | - |
| 5. April | - |
| 6. May | - |
| 7. June | - |
| 8. July | - |
| 9. August | - |
| 10. September | - |
| 11. October | - |
| 12. November | - |
| 13. December | - |
| 14. Average of Monthly Averages | - |


[^0]:    Witnesses: P. Bhatia
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[^1]:    ${ }^{1}$ Report of the Board on Cost of Capital and $2{ }^{\text {nd }}$ Generation Incentive Regulation for Ontario’s Electricity Distributors, issued December 20, 2006

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    M. Lister
    M. Suarez

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