

March 5, 2007

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

Dear Ms. Walli:

Re: Chatham-Kent Hydro Inc.

Notice of Application - Electricity Distribution Rate Change

Board File No. EB-2007-0517

Union Gas Limited respectfully requests intervenor status in the above-noted proceeding.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me. I look forward to receipt of your instructions.

Yours truly:

Patrick McMahon

Manager, Regulatory Research and Records

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c.c.: Mr. Dave Kenney

Chatham-Kent Hydro Inc.

320 Queen Street (P.O. Box 70)

Chatham, ON N7M 5K2

ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

IN THE MATTER OF an Application by Chatham-Kent Hydro Inc. pursuant to section 78 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act*, 1998 for an electricity distribution rate change.

REQUEST FOR INTERVENOR STATUS OF UNION GAS LIMITED

- 1. Union Gas Limited ("Union") hereby applies for intervenor status in this proceeding pursuant to the above-captioned matter.
- 2. Union is an Ontario Corporation with its Registered Office at the Municipality of Chatham-Kent, in the Province of Ontario. Union is a regulated public utility, which combines the operations of selling, distributing, transmitting and storing gas within the meaning of the *Ontario Energy Board Act*, 1998.
- 3. Union is a significant customer of Chatham-Kent Hydro Inc. and as such has an interest in all aspects of this proceeding.
- 4. Union has a direct interest in all matters of jurisdiction, substance and procedure in the regulation of public utilities, and in any decision of the Board, which may create a precedent affecting Union's operations and/or rates.
- 5. Union requests one copy of the evidence and submissions of the Applicant and other Intervenors, and any notices or correspondence. This includes any revisions or amendments, which may be made prior to the commencement of, or during the hearing of this Application. Union's preference would be to receive one paper and one searchable electronic version of the original prefiled evidence and then searchable electronic versions of any filings after that.

- 6. At this time, it is Union's intention to monitor the proceeding; however, after reviewing the evidence, Union may wish to address one or more of the issues.
- 7. Union reserves the right to adduce evidence, cross-examine witnesses, advance argument and participate in the proceeding as circumstances may require.
- 8. Communications relating to this intervention should be directed to:

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9. Union will not be seeking an award of costs.

DATED at the Municipality of Chatham-Kent, in the Province of Ontario this 5th day of March 2007.

UNION GAS LIMITED

Per:

Mark Murray

Assistant General Counsel