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Ms. Kirsten Walli, Board Secretary

Ontario Energy Board

PO Box 2319

2300 Yonge St, 27th floor

Toronto, ON M4P 1E4

Dear Ms. Walli:

**Re: Enbridge Gas Distribution “Enbridge” – 2014-2018 Rates Application
OEB File No. EB-2012-0459**

By this letter, Toronto Hydro-Electric System Limited (“THESL”) requests Intervenor Status in the above-noted proceeding.

THESL is an electricity distributor operating under Licence ED-2002-0497. As a utility regulated by the Ontario Energy Board (the “Board”), THESL has a direct interest in all matters of jurisdiction, substance and procedure with respect to the regulation of electricity and natural gas rates in Ontario, and in decisions of the Board which may affect THESL’s operation in the Ontario electricity market. THESL therefore has an interest in Enbridge’s current application to the Board, particularly the proposed rate model and framework, and the Board’s ensuing Decision and Order.

THESL reserves the right to be heard, to appear by or with counsel of its choice, to cross-examine on all subject matters in this hearing that may relate to its interest, to advance evidence on specific matters that are relevant to this proceeding, and to present argument.

THESL is not eligible for and does not seek an award of costs in this proceeding. THESL acknowledges that it will be governed by the decision of the Board to hold a written or oral hearing in this matter.

For the purpose of this proceeding, please address all comments and questions to me at regulatoryaffairs@torontohydro.com.

Yours truly,

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