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September 4, 2013

BY EMAIL & COURIER

Ms. Kirsten Walli  
Board Secretary  
Ontario Energy Board  
2300 Yonge St, Suite 2701  
Toronto ON M4P 1E4

Dear Ms. Walli:

**Board File No. EB-2012-0459**  
**Enbridge Gas Distribution Inc. – 2014-18 COS Rates**  
**Energy Probe – Comments, Preliminary Issue**

Pursuant to Procedural Order No. 1 issued August 27, 2013, Energy Probe Research Foundation (Energy Probe) is responding to the invitation to comment with respect to the need for a Preliminary Issue.

Energy Probe takes no position on the two questions posed by the Board concerning the rationale for determining an issue prior to hearing the full application and the additional evidence required to be filed to hear that preliminary issue.

Should you require additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours truly,

David S. MacIntosh  
Case Manager

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