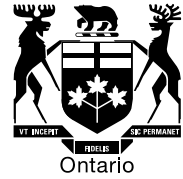


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Dear Ms. Walli:

**Re: Enbridge Gas Distribution Inc.
2012 ESM & Deferral Account Clearance Application
Board File No. EB-2013-0046**

Dear Ms. Walli:

Please find attached the Board Staff Submission relating to the above proceeding.

Yours truly,

Original signed by

Colin Schuch
Case Manager

/ attach.

cc: All Parties EB-2013-0046