



EB-2013-0352

IN THE MATTER OF the Ontario Energy Board Act 1998,
S.O. 1998, c.15, (Schedule B);

AND IN THE MATTER OF an application by Enbridge Gas
Distribution Inc. for an order or orders approving the final
balances and for clearance of certain Demand Side
Management Variance Accounts into rates, within the next
available QRAM following the Board's approval.

COST ELIGIBILITY DECISION

November 19, 2013

Enbridge Gas Distribution Inc. ("Enbridge") has filed an application with the Ontario Energy Board (the "Board") dated October 24, 2013 under section 36 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998*, S.O. 1998, c.15, (Schedule B) (the "Act"), for an order or orders approving the final balances in certain 2012 Demand Side Management ("DSM") Deferral and Variance Accounts. Enbridge is also seeking the disposition of the balances in these accounts and inclusion into rates, within the next available Quarterly Rate Adjustment Mechanism following the Board's approval. The accounts which are the subject of the application and the balances recorded are as follows:

DSM Incentive Deferral Account	\$8,817,529 (to shareholder)
Lost Revenue Adjustment Mechanism Variance Account	(\$40,652) (to ratepayers)
DSM Variance Account	(\$303,490) (to ratepayers)

The net balance of the DSM Accounts is \$8,473,387 to be collected from ratepayers.

Enbridge has also applied to the Board for such final and interim orders and/or accounting orders as may be necessary in relation to clearance of the accounts which are the subject of this application. Enbridge further applied to the Board pursuant to the provisions of the Act and the Board's *Rules of Practice and Procedure* for such final and interim Orders and directions as may be necessary in relation to the application and the proper conduct of this proceeding.

On November 8, 2013, the Board issued the Notice of Application and Procedural Order No. 1 which outlines various steps in this proceeding.

The complete record of this proceeding is available for review at the Board's offices and on the Board's website.

Decision on Intervenor Status and Cost Eligibility

The Board received intervenor and cost eligibility requests from the Building Owners and Managers Association ("BOMA"), Canadian Manufactures & Exporters ("CME"), Green Energy Coalition ("GEC"), Industrial Gas Users Association ("IGUA"), and School Energy Coalition ("SEC").

The Board has determined that BOMA, CME, GEC, IGUA, SEC will be granted intervenor status and are eligible to apply for an award of costs in this proceeding.

The applicant and list of intervenors is attached as Appendix A to this Decision.

Cost Claims

The cost claims must be completed in accordance with the Board's *Practice Direction on Cost Awards*. The *Practice Direction on Cost Awards* and related forms are available on the Board's website at www.ontarioenergyboard.ca, and should be referred to and adhered to in order to make sure all appropriate rules are followed and the correct forms are used when it is time to submit any cost claim.

DATED at Toronto, November 19, 2013

ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

Original Signed By

Kirsten Walli
Board Secretary

APPENDIX A

COST ELIGIBILITY DECISION

APPLICANT AND LIST OF INTERVENORS

ENBRIDGE GAS DISTRIBUTION INC.

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