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Ontario Energy Board P.O. Box 2319 2300 Yonge Street, 27<sup>th</sup> Floor Toronto, Ontario M4P 1E4

Attention: Ms. Kirsten Walli Board Secretary

Dear Ms. Walli:

## Re: Request for Intervenor Status EB-2013-0365, Union Gas Rates for January 1, 2014

Please accept this letter as an indication of my intention to actively participate in the Union Gas Limited Rates for January 1, 2014 proceeding.

My interest in this proceeding stems from my involvement with the energy industry in Ontario through my energy consulting business. Many of my clients have a significant interest in energy market developments in Ontario, particularly rate levels, rate unbundling and rate design, and as such, it is important for me to be actively involved in this proceeding. In addition to this interest, Six Nations Natural Gas, a Union Gas M9 rate wholesale customer, have retained me for advice & to represent them in this proceeding, and for which they have also requested intervenor status.

Without limiting the general scope of my participation, I may submit evidence, argument, or a submission in order to pursue particular matters within the proceeding. In addition, I may cross-examine witnesses and participate in the interrogatory process and consultative/settlement meetings in order to understand/resolve particular issues or matters in the proceeding.

The scope and nature of my active participation will be determined once I have had an opportunity to further review the Applicant's application and evidence in more detail. I was an active participant in Union's 2<sup>nd</sup> 5 year Incentive Regulation Mechanism (IRM) that starts in 2014 (EB-2013-0202) and want to ensure the 2014 rates are reflective the 2014 IRM Settlement. My preference would be for an oral hearing as it typically provides for a Settlement Conference to resolve any issues.

At this time I do not anticipate I will be seeking an award of costs. My contact information and email address is as per the above letterhead. I appreciate and request Union would continue to provide the Application materials to me electronically and Internet based.

Yours sincerely,

Jason F. Stacey