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## VIA RESS, EMAIL and COURIER

Ms. Kirsten Walli Ontario Energy Board 2300 Yonge Street Suite 2700 Toronto, Ontario M4P 1E4

## Re: EB-2012-0459 - Enbridge Gas Distribution Inc. ("Enbridge") 2014 – 2018 Rate Application Undertaking Responses

Further to Enbridge Gas Distribution's filing of March 18, 2014, enclosed please find the following undertaking responses:

Exhibits J5.14, J6.1, J7.6, J7.7, J9.2, J9.7, J10.1, and J10.4.

Also attached please find the updated interrogatory responses as follows:

Exhibit I.B18.EGDI.SEC.97, Appendix B and Exhibit I.B18.EGDI.SEC.111

This submission was filed through the Board's RESS and is available on the Company's website at <u>www.enbridgegas.com/ratecase</u>.

Yours truly,

(Original Signed)

Lorraine Chiasson Regulatory Coordinator

cc: Mr. F. Cass, Aird & Berlis EB-2012-0459 Intervenors

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## UNDERTAKING J5.14

## **UNDERTAKING**

## TR 194

To provide actual 2013 and average 2008-2012 numbers for first two projects noted at Exhibit B2, Tab 5, Schedule 5, page 2.

## <u>RESPONSE</u>

2000	2012 Actual,							
	Col 1	Col 2	Col 3	Col 4	Col 5	Col 6	Col 7	
	<u>Actual</u>	Actual	Actual	Actual	Actual	<u>2008-12</u>	Actual	
	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	Average	2013	
Meter and Regulator Replacement Program	22,447	22,362	20,328	25,448	25,939	23,305	28,300	
Distribution Records Management Program *					1,623	N/A	6,758	
* Records Management work prior to 2012 was	s not carried	out on a p	rogram bas	is and ther	efore was	nottracked	d in that fa	shion

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## UNDERTAKING J6.1

## UNDERTAKING

TR 5

Part A: To update the financial tables in the evidence addressed by Panel 3 with actual 2013 numbers.

Part B: To provide the actual direct capital spend for each of the business areas addressed by Panel 13 for 2008 to 2012, along with an average annual spend amount.

## **RESPONSE**

## PART A

Set out on the following pages are updates to the financial tables within the (A) Customer Growth; (B) Relocations; (C) Reinforcements; and (D) Business Development business areas, to include 2013 actual capital spend.

## A) <u>Customer Growth</u>

Table 3: Customer Growth Capital 2014 to 2016											
Actual Forecast											
DESCRIPTION	2013	2014	2015	2016							
Direct Costs (\$000)	110,662	91,156	97,495	102,340							
Customer Additions (units)	34,644	36,647	38,489	39,645							
Direct Cost per Customer (\$)	3,194	2,487	2,533	2,581							

# B) <u>Reinforcements</u>

	Ex. B2-3-1: Reinforcements Table 2 (from page 5)										
Actual Forecast											
DESCRIPTION	2013	2013	2014	2015	2016						
Alliston Reinforcement	200	-	-	1,040 <sup>1</sup>	2,111						
Harmony Conlin Reinforcement		-	-	-	3,714						
York Region Reinforcement Phase 1		-	510	10,404	-						
Identified Projects Less than \$2M	6,200	6,995	8,078	2,653	-						
Other Localized Small Reinforcements		4,405	2,805	2,861	2,918						
Total	6,400	11,400	11,393	16,958	8,743						

Note: 1. Contingent on customer timing.

# C) <u>Relocations</u>

Ex. B2-4-1: Relocations Table 1: Capital Requirement Summary (\$000) (from page 4)												
Actual Budget Forecast												
DESCRIPTION	DESCRIPTION 2013 2013 2014 2015 2016											
Relocations	13,500	9,795	9,236	9,386	9,603							
York Regional Rapid Transit Corporation	York Regional Rapid         8,700         5,441         6,000         4,000         3,000											
Total	22,200	15,236	15,236	13,386	12,603							

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## D) Business Development & Customer Strategy

#### Ex. B2-7-1: Business Development & Customer Strategy 2014-2016 Capital Budget by Major Expense Type Table 2 (from page 9)

Line No.			Col. 1 2013 ADR Budget		Col. 2 2013 Actual		Col. 3 2014 Budget		Col. 4 2015 Budget		Col. 5 2016 Judget
1	Cylinder Rental Program	\$	67	\$	29	\$	69	\$	71	\$	73
2	VRA Rental Program <sup>1</sup>	\$	10	\$	50	\$	1,412	\$	1,415	\$	1,418
3	CNG Refueling Station Rental Program	\$	217	\$	167	\$	2,000	\$	2,100	\$	2,202
4	4 Total		294	\$	246	\$	3,481	\$	3,586	\$	3,693

Notes:

1) Number and type of VRA units as well as VRA unit costs are projected to remain relatively flat for the next several years.

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# PART B

Set out below is a table setting out the actual direct capital spend for each of the business areas addressed by Panel 13 for 2008 to 2012, along with an average annual spend amount.

	<u>2008-2012</u>	Actual, Five	e Year Ave	rage, 2013.	<u>Actual</u>			
		Col 1	Col 2	Col 3	Col 4	Col 5	Col 6	Col 7
		<u>Actual</u>	Actual	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Actual</u>	Actual	<u>2008-12</u>	<u>Actual</u>
Exhibit		2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	Average	2013
Reference	Business Area							
B2-2-1	Customer Growth	80.7	66.8	70.3	98.9	105.0	84.3	110.7
B2-3-1	Reinforcements	15.6	8.1	7.1	3.5	14.4	9.7	6.4
B2-3-2	Major Reinforcements				1.4	8.8	2.0	74.4
B2-4-1	Relocations	3.9	4.1	4.3	8.0	5.3	5.1	22.2
B2-7-1	Business Development	0.3	0.2	0.2	-	0.2	0.2	0.2

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## UNDERTAKING J7.6

## UNDERTAKING

## TR 84

To provide a breakdown of what is attributable to the Integrity Management Program within Table 10.

## RESPONSE

The table below provides costs associated with the Integrity Management Program embedded in Exhibit D1; Tab 3; Schedule 1; Table 10.

		Actuals	Budget	Budget	Budget	Budget	Budget
(\$,000)	Department	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Line No							
1	Operations	58,543	55,895	57,141	58,433	60,256	62,136
2	Pipeline Integrity & Engineering	38,027	32,999	33,735	34,497	35,573	36,683
	Total	96,570	88,894	90,876	92,930	95,829	98,819

The overall Integrity Management Program includes the development, analysis and execution of the inspections and surveys required to determine and locate leaks, anomalies or defects in the distribution system. These include all in-line inspections, locates and condition monitoring programs such as leak and corrosion surveys and valve inspections for the Company's distribution, storage and transmission assets. The overall Integrity Management Program also includes the maintenance, repair, quality assurance and generation of documentation in respect of all leaks, anomalies or defects in the distribution system identified and addressed as a result of the above inspections and surveys.

The costs in the table above are predominately salaries & wages, materials and outside services which represent the overall costs associated with the Integrity Management Program with the exception of Employee Benefits, Short Term Incentives (STIP), Facilities and Information Technology costs, which total approximately an additional \$21M. These costs are embedded in Exhibit D1, Tab 3, Schedule 1, Table 10, Line Items 3, 4, 5 & 6.

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Exhibit D1, Tab 3, Schedule 1, Table 1, Line 5 shows an incremental increase of \$5.5M in the 2013 Actuals over 2013 Board Approved Budget primarily associated with increased costs of repairs to the Distribution System as a result of the Integrity Management and Condition Monitoring programs.

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## UNDERTAKING J7.7

## UNDERTAKING

TR 98

To confirm that a SEIM cannot be claimed until the company demonstrates productivity initiatives in excess of \$172.4 million.

## **RESPONSE**

While, as noted in further detail below, there is a connection between the SEIM and the Company's ability to effectively manage the anticipated cost pressures of \$172.4 million which it will face over and above the budgeted amounts over the IR term, Enbridge is not proposing that these cost pressures be used in a formulaic way such as a threshold for the purposes of SEIM. In consultation with Panel 1, Enbridge in this response clarifies how the \$172.4 million in cost pressures relates to the mechanics of SEIM. But first it is important to understand the basis and source of the \$172.4 million figure.

## **Anticipated Cost Pressures**

The Company was asked to document and quantify all the known or highly probable cost increases over the forecast horizon which it did not include in its OM&A budgets. Enbridge provided a detailed breakdown in its response at Exhibit I.A2.EGDI.Staff.19 and its response to Undertaking TCU3.14. These responses make it clear that the \$172.4 million figure is the aggregate of the known or highly probable cost increases which the Company will face over and above the O&M budget request during the IR term. To earn a fair return, the Company will have to generate efficiencies from the programs referenced in evidence and from new initiatives that will be developed over the term of the plan to mitigate these cost pressures.

## The SEIM Mechanics

As described in the SEIM evidence at Exhibit A2, Tab 11, Schedule 3, the reward potential that underlies any future potential SEIM reward begins by calculating the average differential of allowed ROE versus actual ROE over the term of the IR plan (where actual ROE is measured after earnings sharing). As noted above, Enbridge has provided the details of the \$172.4 million of high probability O&M cost pressures that may occur over the duration of the plan (as well as other capital cost pressures and 'variable' or uncertain costs). By definition, for Enbridge to qualify for a SEIM reward, by generating an average of earnings greater than the allowed return over the term of the

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plan, the Company will have to effectively manage these cost pressures. If Enbridge is unable to effectively manage the cost pressures that it faces (i.e., the \$172.4 million) then its average actual (after earnings sharing) ROE will not be greater than the allowed ROE, and the Company will not qualify for any SEIM reward.

The Company has been very clear that any future potential SEIM reward will not be based solely upon a simple evaluation of historical actual ROE (after earnings sharing) versus the allowed ROE. The Company has therefore proposed a second test to determine whether it qualifies for a SEIM reward. This second test requires that the reasonable estimates of sustainable efficiencies be greater than the reward premium. The Company has committed to annually filing amounts that may qualify for the SEIM through the Productivity Initiatives Report, which will be filed in conjunction with the ESM filing. If the long-term benefit is not greater for the ratepayer than the reward, then the Company does not qualify for the reward.

If both of the above tests are satisfied, the next step in the process involves testing whether there was any material degradation in service quality during the term of the IR plan. If there has been degradation, then the Company would not qualify for a SEIM reward.

If the Company met all three of the tests above, then the final evaluation would test whether there was any material degradation in performance measurement metrics. If the Company failed to maintain its performance measurement metrics, then it would fail to qualify for the SEIM reward.

In addition, the Company has proposed that the Board and interested parties would be able to review the Company's actual capital spending and other costs against its plan in the annual ESM filings.

To summarize, the Company believes the way that the SEIM reward is related to the \$172.4 million in O&M cost pressures (as well as other cost pressures and risks) is through the evaluation of the reward premium measured as the 5-year average actual ROE (after earnings sharing) less the 5-year average allowed ROE (and to be clear, this amount is halved for determination of a potential SEIM reward).

Finally, as alluded to in oral evidence, the mechanics of the SEIM ensure that the SEIM reward is truly incremental. The Company is only eligible for the SEIM reward if it can successfully manage all of the cost pressures that have been identified, as well any others that the Company is not able to identify at this time.

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## UNDERTAKING J9.2

## UNDERTAKING

## TR 107

To recalculate the SRC amount to be recovered in the period 2014 to 2018 using a discount rate of 4.95 percent; to provide a summary of the calculations; to update IR Staff 77 as a result of that recalculation.

## **RESPONSE**

In the attached Appendices A through F, pages III-9 through III-14 of Gannett Flemings Exhibit D2, Tab 1, Schedule 1 Net Salvage Study have been re-produced using a discount rate of 4.95%.

If an assumed 4.95% discount rate scenario had been used within the calculation where the Constant Dollar Net Salvage method had been used since inception for all accounts, the resulting lower net salvage amount within accumulated depreciation would be \$567.9 million versus the lower net salvage amount of \$292.8 million as filed in evidence.

Additionally under such an assumption, the recalculated future removal and site restoration costs to be recovered within depreciation in the period of 2014 to 2018 are shown within the attached Table 1, which is a version of the original table filed as Attachment 1 within Board Staff Interrogatory #77 at Exhibit I.E40.EGDI.STAFF.77.

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Enbridge EB-2012-0459 Future Removal and Site Restoration Reserves or Liability Undertaking J9.2 with Gannett Fleming using a 4.95% Discount Rate within it's Study & calculations												
EGDI Utility Only	Line	!	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Beginning of year liability	1		0.0	691.6	753.0	815.0	859.0	903.9	768.5	643.8	531.8	430.1
Period-to-date adjustment	2		640.0									
Recovery through depreciation	3	+	74.8	79.4	82.4	87.4	63.2	12.4	13.3	15.4	16.1	16.6
Actual site restoration and removal costs	4	(-)	(22.4)	(18.7)	(34.2)	(27.7)	(18.3)	(15.9)	(15.8)	(14.9)	(14.9)	(14.9)
Actual removal costs vs. estimated salvage requirement	5	+/(-)	(0.9)	0.7	13.8 Note 1	(15.6) Note 2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Return to ratepayers	6	(-)	-	-	-	-	-	(131.9)	(122.2)	(112.5)	(102.9)	(33.6)
Net change in year	7	3+4+5+6	51.6	61.4	62.0	44.0	44.9	(135.4)	(124.7)	(112.0)	(101.7)	(31.9)
End of year liability	8	1+2+7	691.6	753.0	815.0	859.0	903.9	768.5	643.8	531.8	430.1	398.2

Note 1: Variance was mainly driven by costs incurred from retirement of cast iron mains exceeding estimated salvage per Gannett Fleming's model. Note 2: Variance was mainly driven by costs incurred from retirement of bare steel mains being lower than estimated salvage per Gannett Fleming's model. ENBRIDGE GAS DISTRIBUTION, INC.

SCHEDULE 1. ESTIMATED SURVIVOR CURVE. NET SALVAGE PERCENT, ORIGINAL COST, BOOK DEPRECIATION RESERVE AND CALCULATED ANNUAL DEPRECIATION ACCRUALS RELATED TO GAS PLANT AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2010

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COMPOSITE REMAINING LIFE (10)=(7)/(8)	41.9 36.5 3.66 3.66 9.0 21.0 21.0	20 E	7.0444466 6.0484466 6.048666666 7.0666666 7.0666666 7.0666666 7.0666666 7.0666666 7.0666666 7.0666666 7.0666666 7.0666666 7.0666666 7.066666666 7.06666666666	35.2 4.4 5.4 5.6 5.6 5.5 6.1 0 7.6 7.6		10.9 7.6 11.2.6 15.1 1.2.6 1.5.1 2.7 2.7 3.0		4 ບິຕິໜຶ່ 4 ບິຕິໜຶ່		
ANNUAL ACCRUAL RATE (9)=(8)/(5)	1.16 1.18 1.18 1.46 5.55 1.46 2.52 2.52 2.89	4 81	2.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.	1.99 96.48 1.83 1.83 1.44 4.14 4.14 4.03 5.97 2.07 9.22		0.15 10.74 10.56 9.00 9.50 4.08 8.01 8.01 8.01 8.01 9.71		36.63 26.32 21.24 10.00		
CALCULATED ANNUAL ACCRUAL ACCRUA AMOUNT RATE (8) (9)=(8)/(	1,763 64,121 6,702 14,759 10,145 10,145 13,563	<b>5,130,466</b> 87 835	3,686,664 330,544 6813,834 6813,834 613,567 135,567 135,567 135,567 135,567 135,567 135,567 1363,567 1363,567 1363,567 1363,567 281,7363 281,7363 281,7363	40,312,589 5,283,251 1,725,274 18,547,351 19,105,827 4,978,220 154,719 6,327,802 33,901,782 33,901,782	136,512,743	4,476 1,831,823 1,823,4,076 155,264 155,264 155,264 15,519 1,519 2,38,899 274,905 274,905 274,905	9,727,326	11,923,129 13,073,699 8,612,322 12,709,800	46,318,950	197,689,485
FUTURE ACCRUALS (7)	19,774,166 9,639,569 9,639,569 22,279,993 27,4,833 27,4,833 27,454,833 27,497,881 6,997,881	155,454,090 6 369 108	29,203,250 1584,716 9,524,716 9,524,406 3557,406 354,408 8,180,907 8,009,907 8,009,907 9,0143,702 9,0143,702 9,0143,702 9,0143,702 9,0143,702	1,417,791,546 23,444,524 9,380,137 833,567,343 1,078,734,88 10,4,513,083 987,730 162,190,513,083 266,741,838 256,741,838	3,956,443,005	48.973 9.120,940 3.116,196 3.117,967 7.636,495 7.636,495 7.136,677 1.756,577 7.756,577 7.756,577 7.756,577 890,794	77,667,516	28,195,729 24,866,505 21,372,750 111,356,908	185,791,892	4,375,356,503
BOOK DEPRECIATION RESERVE (6)	20,903,515 4,707,662 18,686,577 4,537,985 20,777,099 31,054,880 5,020,691	<b>105,688,408</b> 1 077 659	572.119 572.119 1.519.771 1.519.771 1.519.771 1.519.771 1.257 1.372 1.37	889,945,320 (9,973,664) 9,031,401 464,144,414 463,148,188 19,041,660 156,007,375 156,07,375 156,048 92,616,048	2,074,902,884	2,894,801 6,067,053 7,841,000 4,677,319 7,877,319 7,877,319 7,877,319 13,117,640 9,64,258 3,100,277 3,100,277 2,1122,651 2,1122,651	49,036,712	4,351,484 24,804,515 19,179,561 15,741,236	64,076,795	2,293,704,799
ORIGINAL COST AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2010 (5)	40,677,681,02 44,677,681,02 36,390,392,60 9,082,877,24 9,1781,408,77 46,77 91,781,408,77 11,556,319,66	<b>253,564,239.81</b> 7 446 766 43	2,255,0511,41 2,255,0511,64 42,185,528,086 44,185,528,086 44,185,528,67 41,182,562,87 11,942,562,87 11,942,562,67 11,942,562,67 11,942,562,67 11,942,562,67 11,942,562,67 11,947,762,01 81,947,725,00 81,947,725,00	2,024,545,898,65 8,475,599,17 9,114,222,89 1,013,837,309,81 1,2354,7309,81 1,2354,753,284 1,2554,753,284 1,2554,7453,287 3,2554,455,33 3,14,382,906,59 367,745,143,522 367,745,144,392	5,280,436,383.25	2,943,774 63 15,187,985,90 40,967,195,90 7,752,265 81 832,468,99 12,267,558 85 34,254,316,60 1,016,149,14 1,452,290,39 1,452,290,39 3,013,445,06 3,013,445,06	131,526,113.11	32,547,213,12 49,671,020.01 40,552,310.80 127,098,143.30	249,868,687.23	5,915,395,423.40
NET SALVAGE PERCENT (4)	00 <u>4</u> 0 <u>4</u> 4	c	<sup>®</sup> %%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%	(13) (146) (102) (16) (16) (16) (2) (2) (2)		00000 <sup>0</sup> 00000		0000		
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LIFE SPAN DATE (2)	i.		2018 2013 2025 2025 2025 2020 2020 2020 2020	2016 2016						
DEPRECIABLE GROUP	UNDERGROUND STORGE PLANT LAND RIGHTS INTAKIBLE STRUCTURES AND IMPROVEMENTS WELLS WELL EQUIPMENT FIELD LIVES COMPRESSOR EQUIPMENT MEASURING AND REGULATING EQUIPMENT	TOTAL UNDERGROUND STORAGE PLANT DISTRIBUTION PLANT I AND RIGHTS	TITLUTURES AND INPROVEMENTS VICTORAR PARK CENTRE VICTORAR PARK CENTRE VENNEDA PARK CENTRE RENGENTA BROGATICE BROGATICE BROGATICE FIRE CELFELD OTTAMA DEPOT OTTAMA DEPOT OTTAMA DEPOT OTTAMA DEPOT OTTAMA DEPOT	SERVICES MANNS - CASTIRON MANNS - BARE STEEL MANNS - COATED STEEL MANNS - ENVISION MANNS - ENVISION COMPANY NOV COMPRESSOR STATIONS MERSURING AND REGULATING EQUIPMENT METRES	TOTAL DISTRIBUTION PLANT	GENERAL PLANT OFFICE EQUIPMENT OFFICE EQUIPMENT TRANSPORTATION EQUIPMENT TRANSPORTATION - COMPANY NGV KITS TRANSPORTATION - COMPANY NGV KITS TRANSPORTATION - COMPANY NGV KITS TRANSPORTATION - COMPANY NGV CYLINDERS HEANY - NGV SCHUPMENT REITAL - NGV SCHUPMENT REITAL - NGV SCHUPERS REITAL - NGV SCHUPERS GOMMUNICATION EQUIPMENT	TOTAL GENERAL PLANT	COMPUTER AND SOFTWARE COMPUTER EQUIPMENT SOFTWARE - ACQUIRED SOFTWARE - DEVELOPED C.I.S. SOFTWARE ACQUIRED	TOTAL COMPUTER AND SOFTWARE	TOTAL DEPRECIABLE GAS PLANT
	451.10 452.00 453.00 455.00 455.00 457.00	471.00	472.00	475.10 475.10 475.20 475.20 475.30 475.60 477.00 478.00		483.01 483.02 484.01 484.01 485.00 485.00 487.00 487.00 487.90 487.90 487.90		490.00 491.01 491.02 491.03		

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Amrual Accrual Amount represents amortization for 10 years from previous Order
 Amrual Accrual Rates for New Structures in Account 472.00 after January 1, 2011 are as follows:

2.13% 2.18% 2.13%

New Kennedy Road Markham TT Builiding New Fleet Garage

25.5%

#### CALCULATION OF RATE RIDER APPLICABLE TO CHANGE IN NET SALVAGE METHODOLOGY (CDNS)

2014

PERCENTAGE TO RETURN:

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		BOOK DEPRECIATION RESERVE	CALCULATED DEPRECIATION RESERVE CDNS	RESERVE VARIANCE AT	VARIANCE DUE TO	AMOUNT TO	REFUND INCLUDED IN	RATE RIDER
	DEPRECIABLE GROUP	12/31/2010	12/31/2010	12/31/2010	CDNS	REFUND	TABLE 1	2014
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)=(2)-(3)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
	UNDERGROUND STORAGE PLANT							
451.10	LAND RIGHTS INTANGIBLE	20,903,515	16,085,552	4,817,963	-	-		-
452.00	STRUCTURES AND IMPROVEMENTS	4,707,662	3,317,885	1,389,777	-	-		-
453.00	WELLS	18,686,577	10,439,714	8,246,863	100,383	25,597.67	2,601	22,997
454.00	WELL EQUIPMENT	4,537,985	5,325,549	(787,564)	-	-	-	-
455.00	FIELD LINES	20,777,099	14,777,468	5,999,631	142,090	36,232.95	3,424	32,809
456.00	COMPRESSOR EQUIPMENT	31,054,880	29,669,665	1,385,215	285,288	72,748.44	10,225	62,523
457.00	MEASURING AND REGULATING EQUIPMENT	5,020,691	3,929,010	1,091,681	37,775	9,632.63	1,798.81	7,834
	TOTAL UNDERGROUND STORAGE PLANT	105,688,408	83,544,843	22,143,565	565,536	144,212	18,049	126,163
	DISTRIBUTION PLANT							
471.00	LAND RIGHTS	1,077,659	247,042	830,617		-		-
472.00	STRUCTURES AND IMPROVEMENTS	,. ,	1-	-		-		-
	VICTORIA PARK CENTRE	572,119	16,593,324	(16,021,205)		-		-
	KENNEDY ROAD	219,325	1,398,004	(1,178,679)		-		-
	OTTAWA OFFICE	1,519,771	5,613,515	(4,093,744)		-		-
	BROCKVILLE	42,438	138,100	(95,662)		-		-
	ARNPRIOR	102,517	257,902	(155,385)		-		-
	THOROLD OFFICE	1,373,703	4,035,857	(2,662,154)		-		-
	EASTERN	212,254	737,401	(525,147)		-		-
	KELFIELD	68,117	370,163	(302,046)		-		-
	OTTAWA DEPOT	313,477	1,388,308	(1,074,831)		-		-
	OTHER	835,027	1,966,614	(1,131,587)		-		-
	TOTAL STRUCTURES AND IMROVEMENTS	5,258,748	32,499,188	(27,240,440)	•	-	-	•
473.00	SERVICES	869,945,320	566,539,019	303,406,301	185,305,816	47,252,983.08	5,264,370	41,988,613
475.10	MAINS - CAST IRON	-9,973,664	11,964,507	(21,938,171)	(928,924)	(236,875.62)	(211,119)	(25,757)
475.20	MAINS - BARE STEEL	9,031,401	12,359,443	(3,328,042)	1,407,263	358,852.07	260,604	98,248
475.21	MAINS - COATED STEEL	464,144,414	383,354,529	80,789,885	185,687,347	47,350,273.49	4,135,576	43,214,698
475.30	MAINS - PLASTIC	463,148,188	248,538,374	214,609,814	193,245,049	49,277,487.50	3,396,222	45,881,265
475.EN	MAINS - ENVISION	19,041,660	19,756,593	(714,933)		-	-	-
476.00	COMPANY NGV COMPRESSOR STATIONS	1,605,736	1,585,128	20,608	-	-	-	-
477.00	MEASURING AND REGULATING EQUIPMENT	159,007,375	90,876,622	68,130,753	2,672,841	681,574.46	104,408	577,167
478.00	METERS	92,616,048	166,232,283	(73,616,235)		-		-
	TOTAL DISTRIBUTION PLANT	2,074,902,884	1,533,952,728	540,950,156	567,389,392	144,684,295	12,950,061	131,734,234
	GENERAL PLANT							-
483.01	OFFICE EQUIPMENT	2,894,801	1,983,518	911,283		-		
483.02	FURNISHINGS	6,067,053	8,271,686	(2,204,633)		-		-
484.00	TRANSPORTATOIN EQUIPMENT	7,841,000	11,409,970	(3,568,970)		-		-
484.01	TRANSPORTATION - COMPANY NGV KITS	4,607,319	4,241,878	365,441		-		-
484.02	TRANSPORTATION - COMPANY NGV CYLINDERS	787,083	755,156	31,927		-		-
485.00	HEAVY WORK EQUIPMENT	6,829,160	5,247,763	1,581,397		-		-
486.00	TOOLS AND WORK EQUIPMENT	13,117,640	13,409,526	(291,886)		-		-
487.70	RENTAL - VRA'S	964,239	837,157	127,082		-		-
487.80	RENTAL - NGV STATION	3,100,277	3,912,367	(812,090)		-		-
487.90	RENTAL - NGV CYLINDERS	705,489	912,461	(206,972)		-		-
488.00	COMMUNICATION EQUIPMENT	2,122,651	2,107,849	14,802		-		-
	TOTAL GENERAL PLANT	49,036,712	53,089,331	(4,052,619)	-	-	-	-
	COMPUTER AND SOFTWARE							
490.00	COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	4,351,484	13,741,626	(9,390,142)		-		
491.01	SOFTWARE - ACQUIRED	24,804,515	32,991,705	(8,187,190)		-		-
491.02	SOFTWARE - DEVELOPED	19,179,561	20,616,303	(1,436,742)		-		-
491.03	CIS SOFTWARE ACQUIRED	15,741,236	19,064,721	(3,323,485)		-		-
	TOTAL COMPUTER AND SOFTWARE	64,076,795	86,414,355	(22,337,560)	-	-	-	-
		2,293,704,799	1,757,001,257	536,703,542	567,954,928	144,828,507	12,968,109	131,860,397

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#### CALCULATION OF RATE RIDER APPLICABLE TO CHANGE IN NET SALVAGE METHODOLOGY (CDNS)

2015

PERCENTAGE TO RETURN:

UNDERTAKING RESPONSE J9.2 - USE OF A 4.95% DISCOUNT RATE IN CDNS CALCUATIONS Original Submission - Gannett Fleming Report found at Exhibit D2, Tab 1, Schedule 1, Part III-11

	DEPRECIABLE GROUP (1)	BOOK DEPRECIATION RESERVE 12/31/2010 (2)	CALCULATED DEPRECIATION RESERVE CDNS 12/31/2010 (3)	RESERVE VARIANCE AT 12/31/2010 (4)=(2)-(3)	VARIANCE DUE TO CDNS (5)	AMOUNT TO REFUND (6)	REFUND INCLUDED IN TABLE 1 (7)	RATE RIDER 2015 (8)
	UNDERGROUND STORAGE PLANT							
451.10	LAND RIGHTS INTANGIBLE	20,903,515	16,085,552	4,817,963		-		-
452.00	STRUCTURES AND IMPROVEMENTS	4,707,662	3,317,885	1,389,777	-	-	2 (01	-
453.00 454.00	WELLS WELL EQUIPMENT	18,686,577 4,537,985	10,439,714 5,325,549	8,246,863 (787,564)	100,383	23,891.15	2,601	21,291
455.00	FIELD LINES	20,777,099	14,777,468	5,999,631	142,090	33,817.42	3,424	30,394
456.00	COMPRESSOR EQUIPMENT	31,054,880	29,669,665	1,385,215	285,288	67,898.54	10,225	57,673
457.00	MEASURING AND REGULATING EQUIPMENT	5,020,691	3,929,010	1,091,681	37,775	8,990.45	1,798.81	7,192
	TOTAL UNDERGROUND STORAGE PLANT	105,688,408	83,544,843	22,143,565	565,536	134,598	18,049	116,549
	DISTRIBUTION PLANT							
471.00	LAND RIGHTS	1,077,659	247,042	830,617				-
472.00	STRUCTURES AND IMPROVEMENTS			-		-		-
	VICTORIA PARK CENTRE	572,119	16,593,324	(16,021,205)				-
	KENNEDY ROAD	219,325	1,398,004	(1,178,679)		-		-
	OTTAWA OFFICE	1,519,771	5,613,515	(4,093,744)		-		-
	BROCKVILLE	42,438	138,100	(95,662)		-		-
	ARNPRIOR	102,517	257,902	(155,385)		-		-
	THOROLD OFFICE	1,373,703	4,035,857	(2,662,154)		-		-
	EASTERN	212,254	737,401	(525,147)		-		-
	KELFIELD OTTAWA DEPOT	68,117 313,477	370,163 1,388,308	(302,046)		-		-
	OTHER	835,027	1,388,308	(1,074,831) (1,131,587)		-		-
	TOTAL STRUCTURES AND IMROVEMENTS	5,258,748	32,499,188	(27,240,440)	<u> </u>			-
473.00	SERVICES	869,945,320	566,539,019	303,406,301	185,305,816	44,102,784.21	5,264,370	38,838,414
475.10 475.20	MAINS - CAST IRON MAINS - BARE STEEL	-9,973,664 9,031,401	11,964,507 12,359,443	(21,938,171)	(928,924) 1,407,263	(221,083.91) 334,928.59	(211,119) 260,604	(9,965) 74,324
475.20	MAINS - COATED STEEL	464,144,414	383,354,529	(3,328,042) 80,789,885	185,687,347	44,193,588.59	4,135,576	40,058,013
475.30	MAINS - PLASTIC	463,148,188	248,538,374	214,609,814	193,245,049	45,992,321.66	3,396,222	42,596,099
475.EN	MAINS - ENVISION	19,041,660	19,756,593	(714,933)	-	-	-	-
476.00	COMPANY NGV COMPRESSOR STATIONS	1,605,736	1,585,128	20,608			-	-
477.00	MEASURING AND REGULATING EQUIPMENT	159,007,375	90,876,622	68,130,753	2,672,841	636,136.16	104,408	531,728
478.00	METERS	92,616,048	166,232,283	(73,616,235)				-
	TOTAL DISTRIBUTION PLANT	2,074,902,884	1,533,952,728	540,950,156	567,389,392	135,038,675	12,950,061	122,088,615
	GENERAL PLANT							-
483.01	OFFICE EQUIPMENT	2,894,801	1,983,518	911,283		-		-
483.02	FURNISHINGS	6,067,053	8,271,686	(2,204,633)		-		-
484.00	TRANSPORTATOIN EQUIPMENT	7,841,000	11,409,970	(3,568,970)		-		-
484.01	TRANSPORTATION - COMPANY NGV KITS	4,607,319	4,241,878	365,441		-		-
484.02	TRANSPORTATION - COMPANY NGV CYLINDERS	787,083	755,156	31,927		-		-
485.00	HEAVY WORK EQUIPMENT	6,829,160	5,247,763	1,581,397		-		-
486.00	TOOLS AND WORK EQUIPMENT	13,117,640	13,409,526	(291,886)		-		-
487.70 487.80	RENTAL - VRA'S RENTAL - NGV STATION	964,239 3,100,277	837,157 3,912,367	127,082 (812,090)		-		-
487.90	RENTAL - NGV STATION RENTAL - NGV CYLINDERS	705,489	912,461	(206,972)				
488.00	COMMUNICATION EQUIPMENT	2,122,651	2,107,849	14,802		-		-
	TOTAL GENERAL PLANT	49,036,712	53,089,331	(4,052,619)	-	-	-	-
	COMPUTER AND SOFTWARE							
490.00	COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	4,351,484	13,741,626	(9,390,142)				-
491.01	SOFTWARE - ACQUIRED	24,804,515	32,991,705	(8,187,190)		-		-
491.02	SOFTWARE - DEVELOPED	19,179,561	20,616,303	(1,436,742)		-		-
491.03	CIS SOFTWARE ACQUIRED	15,741,236	19,064,721	(3,323,485)				
	TOTAL COMPUTER AND SOFTWARE	64,076,795	86,414,355	(22,337,560)	-	-	-	-
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		2,293,704,799	1,757,001,257	536,703,542	567,954,928	135,173,273	12,968,109	122,203,103

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22.1%

#### CALCULATION OF RATE RIDER APPLICABLE TO CHANGE IN NET SALVAGE METHODOLOGY (CDN

2016

PERCENTAGE TO RETURN:

UNDERTAKING RESPONSE J9.2 - USE OF A 4.95% DISCOUNT RATE IN CDNS CALCUATIONS Original Submission - Gannett Fleming Report found at Exhibit D2, Tab 1, Schedule 1, Part III-12

	DEPRECIABLE GROUP (1)	BOOK DEPRECIATION RESERVE	CALCULATED DEPRECIATION RESERVE CDNS	RESERVE VARIANCE AT	VARIANCE DUE TO	AMOUNT TO	REFUND INCLUDED IN	RATE RIDER 2016	
		(2)	(3)	(4)=(2)-(3)	CDNS (5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	
	(1)	(=)	(0)	(4)-(2)-(3)	(5)	(0)	(7)	(0)	
451.10       LAI         452.00       STI         453.00       WE         454.00       WE         455.00       FIE         456.00       CO         457.00       ME         471.00       LAI         472.00       STI         471.00       LAI         472.00       STI         473.00       SE         475.10       MA         475.20       MA         476.00       CO         477.00       ME         488.00       TO         488.00       TO         488.00       CO         488.00       CO         49	UNDERGROUND STORAGE PLANT								
451.10	LAND RIGHTS INTANGIBLE	20,903,515	16,085,552	4,817,963	-	-		-	
452.00	STRUCTURES AND IMPROVEMENTS	4,707,662	3,317,885	1,389,777	-	-		-	
453.00	WELLS	18,686,577	10,439,714	8,246,863	100,383	22,184.64	2,601	19,584	
454.00	WELL EQUIPMENT	4,537,985	5,325,549	(787,564)	-	-	-	-	
455.00	FIELD LINES	20,777,099	14,777,468	5,999,631	142,090	31,401.89	3,424	27,978	
456.00	COMPRESSOR EQUIPMENT	31,054,880	29,669,665	1,385,215	285,288	63,048.65	10,225	52,823	
457.00	MEASURING AND REGULATING EQUIPMENT	5,020,691	3,929,010	1,091,681	37,775	8,348.28	1,798.81	6,549	
	TOTAL UNDERGROUND STORAGE PLANT	105,688,408	83,544,843	22,143,565	565,536	124,983	18,049	106,935	
	DISTRIBUTION PLANT								
471.00	LAND RIGHTS	1,077,659	247,042	830,617		-		-	
472.00	STRUCTURES AND IMPROVEMENTS			-		-		-	
	VICTORIA PARK CENTRE	572,119	16,593,324	(16,021,205)		-		-	
	KENNEDY ROAD	219,325	1,398,004	(1,178,679)		-		-	
	OTTAWA OFFICE	1,519,771	5,613,515	(4,093,744)		-		-	
	BROCKVILLE	42,438	138,100	(95,662)		-		-	
	ARNPRIOR	102,517	257,902	(155,385)		-		-	
	THOROLD OFFICE	1,373,703	4,035,857	(2,662,154)		-		-	
	EASTERN	212,254	737,401	(525,147)		-		-	
	KELFIELD	68,117	370,163	(302,046)		-		-	
	OTTAWA DEPOT	313,477	1,388,308	(1,074,831)		-		-	
	OTHER	835,027	1,966,614	(1,131,587)		-		-	
	TOTAL STRUCTURES AND IMROVEMENTS	5,258,748	32,499,188	(27,240,440)		-	· ·	-	
473.00	SERVICES	869,945,320	566,539,019	303,406,301	185,305,816	40,952,585.34	5,264,370	35,688,216	
	MAINS - CAST IRON	-9,973,664	11,964,507	(21,938,171)	(928,924)	(205,292.20)	(211,119)	5,827	
	MAINS - BARE STEEL	9,031,401	12,359,443	(3,328,042)	1,407,263	311,005.12	260,604	50,401	
	MAINS - COATED STEEL	464,144,414	383,354,529	80,789,885	185,687,347	41,036,903.69	4,135,576	36,901,328	
475.30	MAINS - PLASTIC	463,148,188	248,538,374	214,609,814	193,245,049	42,707,155.83	3,396,222	39,310,934	
475.EN	MAINS - ENVISION	19,041,660	19,756,593	(714,933)	-	-	-	-	
	COMPANY NGV COMPRESSOR STATIONS	1,605,736	1,585,128	20,608	-	-	-	-	
477.00	MEASURING AND REGULATING EQUIPMENT	159,007,375	90,876,622	68,130,753	2,672,841	590,697.86	104,408	486,290	
	METERS	92,616,048	166,232,283	(73,616,235)	-	-	- ,	-	
	TOTAL DISTRIBUTION PLANT	2,074,902,884	1,533,952,728	540,950,156	567,389,392	125,393,056	12,950,061	112,442,995	
	GENERAL PLANT							-	
483.01	OFFICE EQUIPMENT	2,894,801	1,983,518	911,283		-		-	
483.02	FURNISHINGS	6,067,053	8,271,686	(2,204,633)		-		-	
484.00	TRANSPORTATOIN EQUIPMENT	7,841,000	11,409,970	(3,568,970)		-		-	
484.01	TRANSPORTATION - COMPANY NGV KITS	4,607,319	4,241,878	365,441		-		-	
484.02	TRANSPORTATION - COMPANY NGV CYLINDERS	787,083	755,156	31,927		-		-	
485.00	HEAVY WORK EQUIPMENT	6,829,160	5,247,763	1,581,397		-		-	
486.00	TOOLS AND WORK EQUIPMENT	13,117,640	13,409,526	(291,886)		-		-	
	RENTAL - VRA'S	964,239	837,157	127,082		-		-	
	RENTAL - NGV STATION	3,100,277	3,912,367	(812,090)		-		-	
	RENTAL - NGV CYLINDERS	705,489	912,461	(206,972)		-		-	
	COMMUNICATION EQUIPMENT	2,122,651	2,107,849	14,802		-		-	
	TOTAL GENERAL PLANT	49,036,712	53,089,331	(4,052,619)	-	-	· · ·	-	
	COMPUTER AND SOFTWARE								
490.00	COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	4,351,484	13,741,626	(9,390,142)		-		-	
	SOFTWARE - ACQUIRED	24,804,515	32,991,705	(8,187,190)		-		-	
	SOFTWARE - DEVELOPED	19,179,561	20,616,303	(1,436,742)		-		_	
	CIS SOFTWARE ACQUIRED	15,741,236	19,064,721	(3,323,485)		-		-	
.000	TOTAL COMPUTER AND SOFTWARE	64,076,795	86,414,355	(22,337,560)				-	

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#### CALCULATION OF RATE RIDER APPLICABLE TO CHANGE IN NET SALVAGE METHODOLOGY (CDN

2017

PERCENTAGE TO RETURN:

20.4%

UNDERTAKING RESPONSE J9.2 - USE OF A 4.95% DISCOUNT RATE IN CDNS CALCUATIONS Original Submission - Gannett Fleming Report found at Exhibit D2, Tab 1, Schedule 1, Part III-13

	DEPRECIABLE GROUP	BOOK DEPRECIATION RESERVE 12/31/2010	CALCULATED DEPRECIATION RESERVE CDNS 12/31/2010	RESERVE VARIANCE AT 12/31/2010	VARIANCE DUE TO CDNS	AMOUNT TO REFUND	REFUND INCLUDED IN TABLE 1	RATE RIDER 2017
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)=(2)-(3)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
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	UNDERGROUND STORAGE PLANT							
451.10	LAND RIGHTS INTANGIBLE	20,903,515	16,085,552	4,817,963	-	-		-
452.00	STRUCTURES AND IMPROVEMENTS	4,707,662	3,317,885	1,389,777	-	-		-
453.00	WELLS	18,686,577	10,439,714	8,246,863	100,383	20,478.13	2,601	17,878
454.00	WELL EQUIPMENT	4,537,985	5,325,549	(787,564)	-	-	-	-
455.00	FIELD LINES	20,777,099	14,777,468	5,999,631	142,090	28,986.36	3,424	25,563
456.00	COMPRESSOR EQUIPMENT	31,054,880	29,669,665	1,385,215	285,288	58,198.75	10,225	47,973
457.00	MEASURING AND REGULATING EQUIPMENT TOTAL UNDERGROUND STORAGE PLANT	5,020,691 105,688,408	3,929,010 83,544,843	1,091,681 22,143,565	37,775 565,536	7,706.10 115,369	1,798.81 18,049	5,907 97,321
	TOTAL UNDERGROUND STORAGE PLANT	105,668,408	03,544,045	22,143,565	565,556	115,369	10,049	57,521
	DISTRIBUTION PLANT							
471.00	LAND RIGHTS	1,077,659	247,042	830,617		-		-
472.00	STRUCTURES AND IMPROVEMENTS			-		-		-
	VICTORIA PARK CENTRE	572,119	16,593,324	(16,021,205)		-		-
	KENNEDY ROAD	219,325	1,398,004	(1,178,679)		-		-
	OTTAWA OFFICE	1,519,771	5,613,515	(4,093,744)		-		-
	BROCKVILLE	42,438	138,100	(95,662)		-		-
	ARNPRIOR	102,517	257,902	(155,385)		-		-
	THOROLD OFFICE	1,373,703	4,035,857	(2,662,154)		-		-
	EASTERN	212,254	737,401	(525,147)		-		-
	KELFIELD	68,117	370,163	(302,046)		-		-
	OTTAWA DEPOT	313,477	1,388,308	(1,074,831)		-		-
	OTHER	835,027	1,966,614	(1,131,587)		-		-
	TOTAL STRUCTURES AND IMROVEMENTS	5,258,748	32,499,188	(27,240,440)	-	-	-	-
473.00	SERVICES	869,945,320	566,539,019	303,406,301	185,305,816	37,802,386.46	5,264,370	32,538,017
475.10	MAINS - CAST IRON	-9,973,664	11,964,507	(21,938,171)	(928,924)	(189,500.50)	(211,119)	21,619
475.20	MAINS - BARE STEEL	9,031,401	12,359,443	(3,328,042)	1,407,263	287,081.65	260,604	26,477
475.21	MAINS - COATED STEEL	464,144,414	383,354,529	80,789,885	185,687,347	37,880,218.79	4,135,576	33,744,643
475.30	MAINS - PLASTIC	463,148,188	248,538,374	214,609,814	193,245,049	39,421,990.00	3,396,222	36,025,768
475.EN	MAINS - ENVISION	19,041,660	19,756,593	(714,933)	-	-	-	-
476.00	COMPANY NGV COMPRESSOR STATIONS	1,605,736	1,585,128	20,608	-	-	-	-
477.00	MEASURING AND REGULATING EQUIPMENT	159,007,375	90,876,622	68,130,753	2,672,841	545,259.56	104,408	440,852
478.00	METERS	92,616,048	166,232,283	(73,616,235)		-		-
	TOTAL DISTRIBUTION PLANT	2,074,902,884	1,533,952,728	540,950,156	567,389,392	115,747,436	12,950,061	102,797,375
	GENERAL PLANT							-
483.01	OFFICE EQUIPMENT	2,894,801	1,983,518	911,283				
483.01	FURNISHINGS	6,067,053	8,271,686	(2,204,633)				
484.00	TRANSPORTATOIN EQUIPMENT	7,841,000	11,409,970	(3,568,970)		-		-
484.01	TRANSPORTATION - COMPANY NGV KITS	4,607,319	4,241,878	365,441		-		-
484.02	TRANSPORTATION - COMPANY NGV CYLINDERS	787,083	755,156	31,927		-		-
485.00	HEAVY WORK EQUIPMENT	6,829,160	5,247,763	1,581,397		-		-
486.00	TOOLS AND WORK EQUIPMENT	13,117,640	13,409,526	(291,886)		-		-
487.70	RENTAL - VRA'S	964,239	837,157	127,082		-		-
487.80	RENTAL - NGV STATION	3,100,277	3,912,367	(812,090)		-		-
487.90	RENTAL - NGV CYLINDERS	705,489	912,461	(206,972)		-		-
488.00	COMMUNICATION EQUIPMENT	2,122,651	2,107,849	14,802		-		-
	TOTAL GENERAL PLANT	49,036,712	53,089,331	(4,052,619)	-	-	-	-
400.00		4 054 40 -	40 744 000	(0.000.1.10)				
490.00		4,351,484	13,741,626	(9,390,142)		-		-
491.01 491.02		24,804,515	32,991,705	(8,187,190)		-		-
491.02 491.03	SOFTWARE - DEVELOPED CIS SOFTWARE ACQUIRED	19,179,561 15,741,236	20,616,303 19,064,721	(1,436,742) (3,323,485)		-		-
-01.00	TOTAL COMPUTER AND SOFTWARE	64,076,795	86,414,355	(22,337,560)				-
		2 202 704 702	4 757 004 057	E26 700 F40	EC7 0F4 000	145 000 005	12 000 400	102 804 000
		2,293,704,799	1,757,001,257	536,703,542	567,954,928	115,862,805	12,968,109	102,894,696

#### CALCULATION OF RATE RIDER APPLICABLE TO CHANGE IN NET SALVAGE METHODOLOGY (CDNS)

2018

PERCENTAGE TO RETURN:

8.2%

UNDERTAKING RESPONSE J9.2 - USE OF A 4.95% DISCOUNT RATE IN CDNS CALCUATIONS Original Submission - Gannett Fleming Report found at Exhibit D2, Tab 1, Schedule 1, Part III-14

	DEPRECIABLE GROUP	BOOK DEPRECIATION RESERVE 12/31/2010	CALCULATED DEPRECIATION RESERVE CDNS 12/31/2010	RESERVE VARIANCE AT 12/31/2010	VARIANCE DUE TO CDNS	AMOUNT TO REFUND	REFUND INCLUDED IN TABLE 1	RATE RIDER 2018
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)=(2)-(3)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
		()		()()()				(-)
	UNDERGROUND STORAGE PLANT							
451.10	LAND RIGHTS INTANGIBLE	20,903,515	16,085,552	4,817,963	-	-		-
452.00	STRUCTURES AND IMPROVEMENTS	4,707,662	3,317,885	1,389,777	-	-		-
453.00	WELLS	18,686,577	10,439,714	8,246,863	100,383	8,231.41	2,601	5,631
454.00	WELL EQUIPMENT	4,537,985	5,325,549	(787,564)	-	-	-	-
455.00	FIELD LINES	20,777,099	14,777,468	5,999,631	142,090	11,651.38	3,424	8,228
456.00	COMPRESSOR EQUIPMENT	31,054,880	29,669,665	1,385,215	285,288	23,393.62	10,225	13,168
457.00	MEASURING AND REGULATING EQUIPMENT	5,020,691	3,929,010	1,091,681	37,775	3,097.55	1,798.81	1,299
	TOTAL UNDERGROUND STORAGE PLANT	105,688,408	83,544,843	22,143,565	565,536	46,374	18,049	28,325
	DISTRIBUTION PLANT							
471.00	LAND RIGHTS	1,077,659	247,042	830,617		-		-
472.00	STRUCTURES AND IMPROVEMENTS			-		-		-
	VICTORIA PARK CENTRE	572,119	16,593,324	(16,021,205)		-		-
	KENNEDY ROAD	219,325	1,398,004	(1,178,679)		-		-
	OTTAWA OFFICE	1,519,771	5,613,515	(4,093,744)		-		-
	BROCKVILLE	42,438	138,100	(95,662)		-		-
	ARNPRIOR	102,517	257,902	(155,385)		-		-
	THOROLD OFFICE	1,373,703	4,035,857	(2,662,154)		-		-
	EASTERN	212,254	737,401	(525,147)		-		-
	KELFIELD	68,117	370,163	(302,046)		-		-
	OTTAWA DEPOT	313,477	1,388,308	(1,074,831)		-		-
	OTHER	835,027	1,966,614	(1,131,587)		-		-
	TOTAL STRUCTURES AND IMROVEMENTS	5,258,748	32,499,188	(27,240,440)	-	-	· · ·	-
473.00	SERVICES	869,945,320	566,539,019	303,406,301	185,305,816	15,195,076.91	5,264,370	9,930,707
475.10	MAINS - CAST IRON	-9,973,664	11,964,507	(21,938,171)	(928,924)	(76,171.77)	(211,119)	134,947
475.20	MAINS - BARE STEEL	9,031,401	12,359,443	(3,328,042)	1,407,263	115,395.57	260,604	(145,209)
475.21	MAINS - COATED STEEL	464,144,414	383,354,529	80,789,885	185,687,347	15,226,362.45	4,135,576	11,090,787
475.30	MAINS - PLASTIC	463,148,188	248,538,374	214,609,814	193,245,049	15,846,094.02	3,396,222	12,449,872
475.EN	MAINS - ENVISION	19,041,660	19,756,593	(714,933)	-		-	
476.00	COMPANY NGV COMPRESSOR STATIONS	1,605,736	1,585,128	20,608				
477.00	MEASURING AND REGULATING EQUIPMENT	159,007,375	90,876,622	68,130,753	2,672,841	219,172.96	104,408	114,765
478.00	METERS	92,616,048	166,232,283	(73,616,235)	2,072,041	215,172.50	104,400	114,705
470.00	TOTAL DISTRIBUTION PLANT	2,074,902,884	1,533,952,728	540,950,156	567,389,392	46,525,930	12,950,061	33,575,869
	GENERAL PLANT							-
483.01	OFFICE EQUIPMENT	2,894,801	1,983,518	911,283		_		
483.02	FURNISHINGS	6,067,053	8,271,686	(2,204,633)				
484.00	TRANSPORTATOIN EQUIPMENT	7,841,000	11,409,970	(3,568,970)				
484.00	TRANSPORTATION - COMPANY NGV KITS	4,607,319	4,241,878	365,441				
484.01	TRANSPORTATION - COMPANY NGV CYLINDERS			31,927		-		-
484.02		787,083	755,156			-		-
	HEAVY WORK EQUIPMENT TOOLS AND WORK EQUIPMENT	6,829,160	5,247,763	1,581,397		-		-
486.00		13,117,640	13,409,526	(291,886)		-		-
487.70	RENTAL - VRA'S	964,239	837,157	127,082		-		-
487.80	RENTAL - NGV STATION	3,100,277	3,912,367	(812,090)		-		-
487.90	RENTAL - NGV CYLINDERS	705,489	912,461	(206,972)		-		-
488.00	COMMUNICATION EQUIPMENT TOTAL GENERAL PLANT	2,122,651 49,036,712	2,107,849 53,089,331	14,802 (4,052,619)				-
400.00		4 254 404	12 744 600	(0 200 142)				
490.00		4,351,484	13,741,626	(9,390,142)		-		-
491.01		24,804,515	32,991,705	(8,187,190)		-		-
491.02	SOFTWARE - DEVELOPED	19,179,561	20,616,303	(1,436,742)		-		-
491.03	CIS SOFTWARE ACQUIRED	15,741,236	19,064,721	(3,323,485)		-	······································	-
	TOTAL COMPUTER AND SOFTWARE	64,076,795	86,414,355	(22,337,560)	-	-	-	-
		2,293,704,799	1,757,001,257	536,703,542	567,954,928	46,572,304	12,968,109	33,604,195
		2,233,704,799	1,757,001,257	530,703,542	501,354,920	40,072,004	12,900,109	33,004,195

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## UNDERTAKING J9.7

## UNDERTAKING

TR 209

To provide what 3.73 would be with no negative salvage in the calculation.

## **RESPONSE**

In order to respond to this undertaking, Gannett Fleming has re-calculated proposed depreciation rates within its study assuming a zero percent net salvage percentage. Based on this assumption the average composite depreciation rate shown at Line 7, Column 6 within Exhibit D1, Tab 5, Schedule 1, page 15 would become 3.02% as opposed to the 3.73% currently included in evidence in that exhibit.

The Gannett Fleming evidence at Exhibit D2, Tab 1, Schedule 1 explains that such a scenario is not a reasonable assumption or approach to be considered by EGD or the Board. The witnesses who appeared on Day 9, Panel 12, in responses to cross examination further explained why such an approach is not reasonable.

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## UNDERTAKING J10.1

## UNDERTAKING

TR 16

With reference to I.B18.EGDI.SEC.97, to provide the Envision rate base continuity for 2004 through 2018.

## **RESPONSE**

While completing this undertaking, the Company discovered that in the development of the analysis and calculations underpinning the Allowed Revenue amounts shown in Appendix B of Exhibit I.B18.EGDI.SEC.97, it had used incorrect property, plant and equipment balances in relation to Envision. An allocation of a portion of the 2013 Settlement Agreement capital expenditure reductions was misinterpreted as being applicable to Envision within the related Allowed Revenue derivation performed in the interrogatory response. Appendix B of Exhibit I.B18.EGDI.SEC.97 has been updated to show the appropriate Envision Allowed Revenue impacts.

The prior response to Exhibit I.B18.EGDI.SEC.97 was prepared subsequent to, and independent of the presentation of the overall Allowed Revenue amounts and sufficiency/deficiency calculations associated with the filed capital budgets. Appendix B to that response was intended to separately identify the Allowed Revenue implications applicable to Envision. Therefore, the update to Appendix B of Exhibit I.B18.EGDI.SEC.97 does not impact upon the overall overall Allowed Revenue amounts and sufficiency/deficiency calculations associated with the filed capital budgets.

The following table provides the continuity of capitalized Envision costs, and resultant property plant and equipment values, that are used to determine the rate base values shown in Updated Exhibit I.B18.EGDI.SEC.97, Appendix B, Line No. 1. The rate base values shown in Updated Exhibit I.B18.EGDI.SEC.97, Appendix B, Line No. 1 are the annual average-of-average Envision property plant and equipment amounts.

	18 cast	23.0	,	23.0		38.3)	04.3)	42.6)
	2018 Forecast	171,3		171,3.		(62,6.	(6,904.3)	(69,5
	2017 Forecast	171,323.0		171,323.0		(55,734.0)	(6,904.3)	(62,638.3)
	2016 Forecast	171,323.0		171,323.0		(48,829.7)	(6,904.3)	(55,734.0)
	2015 Forecast	163,323.0	8,000.0	171,323.0		(42,100.0)	(6,729.7)	(48,829.7)
	2014 Forecast	155,323.0	8,000.0	163,323.0		(35,692.7)	(6,407.3)	(42,100.0)
	2013 Approved	144,077.0	11,246.0	155,323.0		(29,686.3)	(6,006.4)	(35,692.7)
ontinuity	2012 2013 Bridge Year Approved	18,255.5 48,110.3 66,355.1 82,230.4 93,682.0 111,766.2 123,554.8 133,246.5 144,077.0 155,323.0 163,323.0 171,323.0 171,323.0	18,255.5 29,854.8 18,244.8 15,875.3 11,451.6 18,084.2 11,788.6 9,691.7 10,830.5 11,246.0 8,000.0	18,255.5 48,110.3 66,355.1 82,230.4 93,682.0 111,766.2 123,554.8 133,246.5 144,077.0 155,323.0 163,323.0 171,323.0 171,323.0 171,323.0 171,323.0		(183.0) (1,518.8) (3,706.5) (6,649.7) (10,199.5) (14,354.3) (19,041.6) (24,165.5) (29,686.3) (35,692.7) (42,100.0) (48,829.7) (55,734.0) (62,638.3)	(183.0) (1,335.8) (2,187.7) (2,943.2) (3,549.8) (4,154.8) (4,687.3) (5,123.9) (5,520.8) (6,006.4) (6,407.3) (6,729.7) (6,904.3) (6,904.3)	(183.0) (1,518.8) (3,706.5) (6,649.7) (10,199.5) (14,354.3) (19,041.6) (24,165.5) (29,686.3) (35,692.7) (42,100.0) (48,829.7) (55,734.0) (62,638.3) (69,542.6)
Envision Property Plant & Equipment Continuity	2011 <u>Actual</u> E	123,554.8	9,691.7	133,246.5		(19,041.6)	(5,123.9)	(24,165.5)
erty Plant & I	2010 Actual	111,766.2	11,788.6	123,554.8		(14,354.3)	(4,687.3)	(19,041.6)
ivision Prope	2009 <u>Actual</u>	93,682.0	18,084.2	111,766.2		(10,199.5)	(4, 154.8)	(14,354.3)
Eu	2008 <u>Actual</u>	82,230.4	11,451.6	93,682.0		(6,649.7)	(3,549.8)	(10,199.5)
	2007 <u>Actual</u>	66,355.1	15,875.3	82,230.4		(3,706.5)	(2,943.2)	(6,649.7)
	2006 <u>Actual</u>	48,110.3	18,244.8	66,355.1		(1, 518.8)	(2,187.7)	(3,706.5)
	2005 Actual	18,255.5	29,854.8	48,110.3		(183.0)	(1, 335.8)	(1, 518.8)
	2004 <u>Actual</u>	ı	18,255.5	18,255.5	<u>sciation</u>	ı	(183.0)	(183.0)
	(\$000's)	<u>Gross Plant</u> January 1	Additions	December 31	Accumulated Depreciation	January 1	Depreciation	December 31

101,780.4

97,411.9 104,513.2 109,081.0 114,390.7 119,630.3 121,223.0 122,493.3 115,589.0 108,684.7

83,482.5

62,648.6 75,580.7

46,591.5

18,072.5

Closing Net PP&E

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## UNDERTAKING J10.4

## UNDERTAKING

## TR 58

To provide the updated information in I.A10.EGDI.CME.9, and also equivalent ten-year GOC forecast, and also short-term forecasts, and also a current version of weekly spread estimates received from various financial institutions.

## <u>RESPONSE</u>

Enbridge Inc. follows a standard, mechanized approach for forecasting annual interest rates as part of the enterprise wide Long Range Planning (LRP) process. Each year, Enbridge Inc. requests forecasts from its banking relationships for the benchmark indices required for its LRP process. Only the banks that are able to provide the full suite of benchmark indices requested are utilized in the final calculation. The factors that change the number of banks used in the final calculation include the addition of new banking relationships and changes in the banks' ability to provide the full suite of benchmark indices.

As of February 2014, Enbridge Inc. has obtained current interest rate forecasts for purposes of 2014 LRP process. In doing so, Enbridge Inc. has been able to obtain forecasts from a wider group than 2013 (13 major Canadian, US and international banks). The banks that have provided information to Enbridge Inc. for forecasting interest rates have done so on the understanding that their current forecasts (as is the case with these February 2014 forecasts) will not be publicly disclosed. Accordingly, the response provided below does not identify the particular bank associated with any particular forecast. Given that the relevant take-away is the average of the forecasts from all banks, rather than particular forecasts associated with specific banks, EGD does not believe that the name of each bank is relevant or necessary.

Tables 1, 2 and 3 detail the source and calculations for forecast rates for short-term debt, Preferred Shares and long term debt as compiled in February 2014. Table 4 provides the updated forecast for credit spreads. Information from these tables would be used as inputs to the Board's ROE Formula.

Table 5 includes the 2013 10 year GOC Bond Rate Forecast that corresponds with the 30 year GOC Bond Rate Forecast included within Exhibit I.B17.EGDI.EP.20.

Witness: P. Bhatia K. Culbert

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As explained in testimony, EGD does not believe that it would be appropriate to apply this updated forecast information to its cost of capital forecasts within the Customized IR Application, because all the forecasts embedded within the Application and Allowed Revenue amounts represent a total view, as of the time of filing. Selective updating presents a misleading picture. Further, a complete update of all forecasts to represent the view as of February 2014 is not feasible at this time. Using that approach, one could continually be looking to update forecast information with more recent factors, which would include Board approved ROE for 2014 at 9.36% (which is higher than what is embedded within the Application).

		2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
3-Month CAD T-Bills	Bank 1	0.9%	1.1%	2.5%	3.5%	3.5%	3.5%	3.5%
	Bank 2	0.9%	1.3%	2.3%	3.1%	3.5%	3.5%	3.5%
m	Bank 3	1.0%	1.4%	2.1%	3.1%	3.5%	3.5%	3.5%
Ľ.	Bank 4	1.1%	1.9%	2.9%	2.9%	2.9%	2.9%	2.9%
3-Month CAD T-Bills	Bank 5	1.2%	1.8%	2.5%	3.3%	3.3%	3.3%	3.3%
	Bank 6	1.0%	1.0%	1.8%	2.5%	3.3%	4.0%	4.8%
	Bank 7	0.9%	1.0%	1.5%	2.0%	2.3%	2.0%	1.8%
	Bank 8	1.0%	1.7%	3.2%	3.3%	3.4%	3.4%	3.4%
Ē	Bank 9	1.1%	1.6%	2.3%	3.3%	3.3%	3.8%	3.8%
€.	Bank 10	0.8%	1.0%	1.5%	2.0%	2.5%	3.0%	3.5%
4	Bank 11	1.0%	1.3%	2.0%	2.8%	3.5%	4.0%	4.3%
0	Bank 12	1.3%	1.9%	3.3%	3.9%	4.3%	4.5%	4.5%
	Bank 13	1.0%	1.1%	1.6%	2.6%	3.8%	4.0%	4.0%
	3-Month CAD T-Bill Forecast	1.0%	1.4%	2.3%	2.9%	3.3%	3.5%	3.6%
	Historical Spread to 3-Month T-Bills*	0.3%	0.3%	0.3%	0.3%	0.3%	0.4%	0.4%
[	3-Month BA Forecast	1.3%	1.7%	2.6%	3.2%	3.6%	3.9%	4.0%

## Table 1: February 2014 Short Term Debt Forecast

\*Source: Bloomberg

## Table 2: February 2014 Preferred Share Rate Forecast

	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
3-Month CAD T-Bill Forecast (From Table 1)	1.0%	1.4%	2.3%	2.9%	3.3%	3.5%	3.6%
Historical Spread to 3-Month T-Bills*	2.0%	2.0%	2.1%	2.1%	2.1%	2.1%	2.1%
CAD Prime	3.0%	3.4%	4.4%	5.0%	5.4%	5.6%	5.7%
Preferred Share Rate (80% of CAD Prime)	2.4%	2.7%	3.5%	4.0%	4.3%	4.5%	4.6%

\*Source: Bloomberg

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# Table 3: February 2014 10-Year and 30-year Government of Canada Bond ("GoC")Rate Forecast

10-Year and 30-year GoC rate forecasts are a consensus representing forecasts from thirteen financial institutions as of February 2014.

		2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
10 Year GOC	Bank 1	2.9%	3.7%	4.1%	4.3%	4.4%	4.4%	4.4%
	Bank 2	2.8%	3.3%	3.6%	3.7%	3.8%	3.8%	3.8%
	Bank 3	3.1%	3.6%	4.1%	4.5%	4.6%	4.6%	4.6%
	Bank 4	3.4%	4.1%	4.5%	4.5%	4.5%	4.5%	4.5%
	Bank 5	2.8%	3.2%	3.7%	3.9%	3.9%	3.9%	3.9%
0 Year GO	Bank 6	2.9%	3.2%	3.6%	3.9%	4.0%	4.2%	4.5%
	Bank 7	3.4%	3.9%	4.4%	4.7%	4.2%	3.9%	3.7%
γ.	Bank 8	3.4%	3.7%	4.1%	4.3%	4.3%	4.3%	4.3%
ο.	Bank 9	3.1%	3.6%	4.5%	5.0%	4.5%	5.0%	5.0%
÷	Bank 10	2.0%	2.3%	2.7%	3.2%	3.6%	4.1%	4.5%
	Bank 11	3.2%	3.6%	4.1%	4.6%	5.0%	5.5%	6.0%
	Bank 12	3.6%	4.2%	5.0%	5.4%	6.0%	6.2%	6.2%
	Bank 13	3.2%	3.8%	3.9%	3.9%	4.0%	4.3%	4.3%
I	2014 LRP	3.1%	3.5%	4.0%	4.3%	4.4%	4.5%	4.6%

		2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
	Bank 1	3.5%	4.3%	4.6%	4.7%	4.7%	4.7%	4.7%
	Bank 2	3.4%	3.6%	3.7%	3.8%	3.8%	3.8%	3.8%
30 Year GOC	Bank 3	3.6%	4.0%	4.5%	5.0%	5.0%	5.1%	5.1%
	Bank 4	3.9%	4.4%	4.8%	4.8%	4.8%	4.8%	4.8%
Q.	Bank 5	3.5%	3.8%	4.0%	4.0%	4.0%	4.0%	4.0%
ar (	Bank 6	3.4%	3.5%	3.7%	4.0%	4.2%	4.4%	4.7%
	Bank 7	3.9%	4.4%	5.0%	5.3%	4.8%	4.5%	4.3%
	Bank 8	3.9%	4.0%	4.3%	4.8%	4.8%	4.8%	4.8%
6	Bank 9	3.6%	4.1%	5.0%	5.5%	5.0%	5.5%	5.5%
õ	Bank 10	3.0%	3.3%	3.7%	4.2%	4.6%	5.1%	5.5%
	Bank 11	3.8%	4.1%	4.6%	5.1%	5.5%	5.9%	6.4%
	Bank 12	4.0%	4.6%	5.7%	5.9%	6.4%	6.6%	6.6%
	Bank 13	3.7%	4.1%	4.1%	4.1%	4.2%	4.3%	4.3%
Ī	2014 LRP	3.6%	4.0%	4.4%	4.7%	4.7%	4.9%	5.0%

Witness: P. Bhatia K. Culbert

## Table 4: February 2014 10-Year and 30-year Credit Spreads Forecast

10-Year and 30-year Credit spreads represent the mean reverted average of weekly spread estimates received from banks as of February 2014.

	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
10 yr	1.1%	1.1%	1.1%	1.1%	1.2%
30 yr	1.4%	1.4%	1.5%	1.4%	1.5%

## Table 5: 10-Year GoC Rate Forecast per 2013 LRP

10-Year GoC rate forecast is a consensus representing forecasts from seven financial institutions as of February 2013.

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Bank 1	2.4%	3.0%	4.0%	5.3%	5.3%	5.3%	5.3%	5.3%
Bank 2	2.2%	2.9%	3.7%	4.1%	4.4%	4.4%	4.4%	4.4%
Bank 3	2.3%	2.8%	3.8%	4.7%	4.6%	4.6%	4.6%	4.6%
Bank 4	2.3%	2.7%	3.1%	3.6%	3.8%	3.8%	3.8%	3.8%
Bank 5	2.5%	3.1%	3.4%	3.8%	4.1%	4.3%	4.0%	4.5%
Bank 6	2.6%	3.2%	3.9%	4.1%	4.6%	5.3%	6.0%	6.4%
Bank 7	1.6%	1.6%	3.2%	4.5%	5.0%	5.0%	5.0%	5.0%
2013 LRP	2.3%	2.7%	3.6%	4.3%	4.5%	4.7%	4.7%	4.9%

#### ALLOWED REVENUE Envision (2014 - 2018 Cap. Structure)

(\$000's)

Line No.						
110.		2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
		2014	2010	2010	2017	2010
	Cost of capital					
1.	Rate base	120,453.5	121,885.0	119,041.5	112,137.2	105,232.9
2.	Required rate of return	<u>6.76%</u>	<u>6.90%</u>	<u>7.02%</u>	<u>7.04%</u>	<u>7.10%</u>
3.	Cost of capital	8,142.7	8,410.1	8,356.7	7,894.5	7,471.5
	Cost of service					
4.	Gas costs	-	-	-	-	-
5.	Operation and Maintenance	888.9	888.9	-	-	-
6.	Depreciation and amortization	6,407.3	6,729.7	6,904.3	6,904.3	6,904.3
7.	Municipal and other taxes					-
8.	Cost of service	7,296.2	7,618.6	6,904.3	6,904.3	6,904.3
	Misc. & Non-Op. Rev					
9.	Other operating revenue	-	-	-	-	-
10.	Other income		-	-		
11.	Misc, & Non-operating Rev.	-	-	-	-	-
	Income taxes on earnings					
12.	Excluding tax shield	2,026.2	1,867.2	3,162.8	4,222.8	4,222.8
13.	Tax shield provided by interest expense	(1,069.3)	(1,072.3)	(1,041.0)	(980.6)	(925.8)
14.	Income taxes on earnings	956.9	794.9	2,121.8	3,242.2	3,297.0
	Taxes on (def) / suff.					
15.		(622.7)	(1,210.6)	(1,975.9)	(2,868.3)	(2,362.3)
16.	Net (def.) / suff.	(457.7)	(889.8)	(1,452.3)	(2,108.2)	(1,736.3)
17.	Taxes on (def.) / suff.	165.0	320.8	523.6	760.1	626.0
18.	Allowed Revenue	16,560.8	17,144.4	17,906.4	18,801.1	18,298.8
	Revenue at existing Rates					
19.	Revenue at existing rates	15,935.2	15,935.2	15,935.2	15,935.2	15,935.2
20.	Rounding adjustment	4.6	( <u>1.7</u> )	<u>3.7</u>	<u>1.6</u>	3.8
21.	Revenue at existing rates	15,939.8	15,933.5	15,938.9	15,936.8	15,939.0
22.	Gross revenue (def.) / suff.	( <u>621.0</u> )	( <u>1,210.9</u> )	( <u>1,967.5</u> )	( <u>2,864.3</u> )	( <u>2,359.8</u> )

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## SEC INTERROGATORY #111

## **INTERROGATORY**

Issue B18: Is the rate base for each of 2014, 2015 and 2016 appropriate, including:

- a. Opening rate base;
- b. Forecast level of Capital expenditures;
- c. Forecast Customer additions;
- d. Proposed Capital additions;

e. Allocation of the cost and use of capital assets between utility and nonutility (unregulated) operations;

- f. Working capital allowance; and
- g. All other components of and adjustments to rate base

[B2/5] Please provide, for each of the tables in Tab 5 of Exhibit B2, an expanded version of the table showing 2007 through 2012 actuals, and 2013 forecast actuals (9+3 or 10+2).

## **RESPONSE**

Historically, pre-2013, the Company did not track capital expenditures using the same categorization as specified in the Exhibit B2, Tab 5, Schedules 1 to 6. In 2013, EGD began categorizing the System Integrity and Reliability in the same manner as filed in the B2 Exhibits. Table 1 below shows the historic profile at a summary level as identified in Table 2 of Exhibit B2, Tab 5, Schedule 1, page 8. Please note that the contractor fixed costs which are a component of line item 5 System Integrity Resource Costs, for 2013 and beyond are embedded in lines 1 and 2 for years 2007 to 2012. Table 2 below provides the 2013 Actual of each respective line item from Table 1 in the more granular format as filed in the exhibits at B2, Tab 5, Schedules 1 to 6. As noted above, this categorization of capital expenditures is not available for the years prior to 2013.

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				Tab	le 1								_
	Syste	m Integrity	and Reliab	ility - Actu	als 2007-20	13 and Fo	recast 201	4- <u>2016</u>					
				(\$K	('s)								
							Per B2-5-1	Table 2					
		Col 1	Col 2	Col 3	Col 4	Col 5	Col 6	Col 7	Col 8	Col 9	Col 10	Col 11	
Line		2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2013	2014	2015	2016	
Number		Actual	Actual	Actual	Actual	Actual	Actual	Actual	Budget	Forecast	Forecast	Forecast	
1	Mains Replacement	22,853	25,281	24,660	30,404	30,731	29,764	31,582	18,237	24,604	24,098	22,110	
2	Service Replacement	31,750	22,153	28,867	39,579	36,842	38,577	23,551	17,843	21,118	25,011	41,216	
3			8,019	6,161	7,599	10,246	12,015	9,200	15,767	23,990	26,442	24,517 /	u
4	Other System Integrity and Reliability	25,215	22,447	22,362	20,328	25,448	27,562	35,058	32,906	41,808	42,650	35,810 /	u
5	System Integrity Direct Resource Costs	2,501	2,727	2,621	2,747	3,359	6,731	14,509	15,330	20,813	16,925	17,449	
6	Total System Integrity and Reliability	93,065	80,627	84,671	100,657	106,626	114,649	113,900	84,753	132,333	135,126	141,102 /	u

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	Table 2					
	System Integrity and Reliability - Actual 2013	, 2013 Budge	t, 2014-2016	Forecast		
	(\$K's)					
		Col 1	Col 2	Col 3	Col 4	Col 5
		2013	2013	2014	2015	2016
		Actual	Budget	Forecast	Forecast	Forecast
1.1	Miscellaneous Replacement Mains	20,646	8,482	6,960	7,655	5,388
1.2	Compression Couplings	1,114	1,100	1,622	2,040	2,062
1.3	Load Shed Planning Program		1,000	1,145	1,171	1,194
1.4	Maximum Operating Pressure Verification Prgm	2,230	794	3,296	3,397	3,195
1.5	In Line Inspection and Assessment Prgm	7,506	6,861	11,000	8,900	8,502
1.6	Right of Way Easement Monitoring Prgm	86		581	935	1,770
1	Mains Replacement	31,582	18,237	24,604	24,098	22,110
2.1	Service Replacements (Misc Relays)	19,326	10,975	8,180	7,426	6,59
2.2	AMP Fitting Replacement Prgm	1,290	4,000	8,543	13,100	30,04
2.3	Compression Outlet Service Tee Replacement Prgm	2,266	1,029	2,866	2,924	2,98
2.4	Sewer Safety Prgm	669	1,839	1,530	1,561	1,592
2	Service Replacement	23,551	17,843	21,119	25,011	41,21
3.1	Gate Stations	4,255	6,642	12,160	10,440	7,06
3.2	District Station	4,945	3,201	7,977	11,625	12,56
3.3	Commercial and Industrial Low Pressure Regulator Stations	-	2,000	1,530	2,341	2,38
3.4	Paper Chart Recorders Replacement Prgm	-	1,673	1,758	1,794	1,830
3.5	Station Replacements and Upgrade Projects	-	2,251	565	602	68
3	Station Replacement	9,200	15,767	23,990	26,802	24,51
4.1	Meters and Regulator Replacement Prgm	28,300	23,520	24,169	25,911	28,11
4.1	Distribution Records Management Prgm	6,758	9,386	9,639	8,740	7,69
4.2	Envision Extension Project	0,758	9,300	8,000	8,740	7,03.
4	Other System Integrity and Reliability	35,058	32,906	41,808	42,651	35,81
5.1	Incremental System Integrity and Reliability Resources	11,260	10,687	15,185	11,185	11,59
5.2	Construction and Service Contractor Fixed Costs	3,249	4,643	5,628	5,740	5,85
5	System Integrity Direct Resource Costs	14,509	15,330	20,813	16,925	17,44