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ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

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TO: Rosemarie T. Leclair, Chair, CEO, Ontario Energy Board,

Dear Ms. Leclair,

I understand that Enbridge Gas is requesting a 40% increase in its charges for natural gas. It seems, they say, that supply is down and demand is up so it is time to give the consumers a very good gouging so that they can, ah, ah, have more money! They don't intend to improve the product or increase supply.... they just want more money! Nothing whatsoever has been done to earn or merit it, they just want it!

May I be so bold as to point out that consumers are being gouged and ripped to the bone by the oil pirates and government chortles gleefully because of their (nearly invisible) ad valorem taxes. Major industries charge consumers breath-taking prices... very often much more for the same product than is charged in the USA. Big Pharma fleeces consumers with prices that are nothing short of shocking. We once had the cheapest and best electrical market in North America... now, after extensive government 'improvements' our hydro is nearly the most expensive in North America.

Simply put, Ms. Leclair, consumers are being ripped, gouged, fleeced and robbed on nearly every front. I ask you and your board to deny Enbridge their request for such a usurious price increase.

I worked all of my life in Ontario, paid every rate, contributed fully to CPP and OAS and every other social program. Now, in my turn, I am the grateful recipient of government pension largess. So, in spirit of fairness and generosity, I volunteer to allow Enbridge to have my entire monthly OAS increase for 2014; it amounts to 56¢. Of course, that and my equally shameful 6.00\$ monthly CPP increase have already been confiscated many times over by Bell Telephone, Ontario Hydro, the Oil Thieves and Big Pharma, et al. Of course, all of these companies are already obscenely profitable... but, still, they ahh.. ahh.. just wanted more. So they took it!

It is time for your Board to protect us victims from the likes of Enbridge. Please do that!

Thank you for reading my letter.

Sincerely,

