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April 29, 2014

Ms. Kirsten Walli
Board Secretary
Ontario Energy Board
2300 Yonge Street, 27th Floor
Toronto, ON M4P 1E4

Dear Ms. Walli:

**Re: Natural Resource Gas
Franchise Agreement with Municipality of Thames Centre
Board File No. EB-2014-0153**

Union Gas Limited (“Union”) has become aware that Natural Resource Gas (“NRG”) has submitted an application to the Ontario Energy Board seeking approval of a proposed franchise agreement with the Municipality of Thames Centre.

In its application, NRG indicates that it has an existing franchise agreement with the former Township of North Dorchester. NRG also notes that it has a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity granting it the right to construct works to supply gas in the former Township of North Dorchester that now makes up part of the Municipality of Thames Centre.

To ensure that the record is clear and complete, the Board should note that Union also has a franchise agreement in place with the Municipality of Thames Centre (expiring May 4, 2029 per EB-2009-0033) and that Union has a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity (EB-2009-0034), dated April 14, 2009, granting Union the right to construct works to supply natural gas within all areas of the Municipality of Thames Centre excluding those areas covered by Certificate E.B.C. 111 and 119 held by NRG. I have attached a copy of EB-2009-0034 for reference.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours truly,

[Original signed by]

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EB-2009-0034

Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity

The Ontario Energy Board hereby grants

Union Gas Limited

approval under section 8 of the *Municipal Franchises Act*, R.S.O. 1990, c. M.55, as amended, to construct works to supply gas to the

Municipality of Thames Centre

excluding those areas covered by Certificate E.B.C. 111, 119 held by Natural Resource Gas Limited.

This certificate replaces Certificate F.B.C. 99 and the part of Certificate F.B.C. 259 currently held by Union Gas Limited that is associated with the former Township of North Dorchester that is now within the Municipality of Thames Centre.

DATED at Toronto, April 14, 2009

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Original signed by

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