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May 26, 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 Central Elgin
Board File No. EB-2014-0186**

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 Central Elgin.

In its application, NRG indicates that it has existing franchise agreements with the former Village of Belmont and the former Township of Yarmouth. NRG also notes that it has Certificates of Public Convenience and Necessity granting it the right to construct works to supply gas in the former Village of Belmont and the former Township of Yarmouth that now make up part of the Municipality of Central Elgin.

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 Central Elgin (expiring January 28, 2028 per EB-2007-0809) and that Union has a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity (EB-2007-0810), dated January 14, 2008, granting Union the right to construct works to supply natural gas within all areas of the Municipality of Central Elgin excluding those areas covered by the Certificates currently held by NRG (E.B.C. 242, E.B.C. 111 and E.B.C. 119) as well as sections of the Municipality that are not covered by any existing Certificate. I have attached a copy of EB-2007-0810 for reference.

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

Yours truly,

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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 Central Elgin

excluding those areas covered by the Certificates currently held by Natural Resource Gas Limited (E.B.C. 242, E.B.C. 111 and E.B.C. 119) as well as the following sections of the Municipality of Central Elgin that are not covered by any existing Certificate:

- Concession I - Lots 23 to 28 (inclusive)
- Concession II - Southern Part of Lots 23 to 25
- Concession II - Lots 26, 27 and 28
- Concession III - Lot 26
- Concession III - Part of Lots 27 and 28 south of Catfish Creek
- Concession IV - Part of Lots 26 and 27 south of Catfish Creek
- Range I south of Edgeware Road - Lots 20, 21 and 22
- Range I north of Edgeware Road - Lots 20, 21 and 22
- Range II north of Edgeware Road - Lots 20, 21 and 22
- Concession XIV - Lots 13, 14, 15 and 16
- Concession XV - Lots 14, 15 and 16

This certificate replaces the certificates and portions of certificates currently held by Union Gas Limited that are associated with the former entities that are now within the Municipality of Central Elgin.

DATED at Toronto, January 14, 2008

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