Ontario Energy Board Commission de l'énergie de l'Ontario



EB-2014-0277

**IN THE MATTER OF** the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998*, S.O. 1998, c. 15, (Schedule B);

**AND IN THE MATTER OF** an application by Enbridge Gas Distribution Inc. for an order or orders approving the final balances and for clearance of certain Demand Side Management Variance Accounts into rates, within the next available QRAM following the Board's approval

## PROCEDURAL ORDER NO. 2 January 8, 2015

Enbridge Gas Distribution Inc. ("Enbridge") filed an application with the Ontario Energy Board (the "Board") dated October 2, 2014 under section 36 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998*, S.O. 1998, c.15, (Schedule B), for an order or orders approving the final balances in certain 2013 Demand Side Management ("DSM") Deferral and Variance Accounts. Enbridge is also seeking the disposition of the balances in these accounts, and inclusion into rates, within the next available Quarterly Rate Adjustment Mechanism following the Board's approval. The Board has assigned file number EB-2014-0277 to the application.

The accounts which are the subject of the application and the balances recorded are as follows:

DSM Incentive Deferral Account	\$4,538,188 (to shareholder)
Lost Revenue Adjustment Mechanism Variance Account	(\$50,317) (to ratepayers)
DSM Variance Account	(\$3,601,806) (to ratepayers)
The net balance of the DSM Accounts is \$886,065 to be collected	ed from ratepayers.

Enbridge has also applied to the Board for such final and interim orders and/or accounting orders as may be necessary in relation to clearance of the accounts which are the subject of this application.

On November 19, 2014, the Board issued Procedural Order No. 1 which, among other matters, established the timelines for intervenors and Board staff to request from Enbridge through written interrogatories any relevant information and documentation that is in addition to the evidence already filed.

The Board considers it necessary to make provision for the following matters related to this proceeding. The Board may issue further procedural orders from time to time.

## IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

- Board staff and intervenors wishing to file a written submission shall do so by January 22, 2015. Any submission should be filed with the Board and delivered to Enbridge and intervenors.
- 2. Enbridge may file a written reply to any written submission from Board staff and intervenors with Board, and deliver it to intervenors by **February 5, 2015.**

All filings to the Board must quote the file number, EB-2014-0277, and be made electronically through the Board's web portal at

<u>https://www.pes.ontarioenergyboard.ca/eservice/</u>, in searchable / unrestricted PDF format. Two paper copies must also be filed at the Board's address provided below. Filings must clearly state the sender's name, postal address and telephone number, fax number and e-mail address. Parties must use the document naming conventions and document submission standards outlined in the RESS Document Guideline found at <u>http://www.ontarioenergyboard.ca/OEB/Industry</u>. If the web portal is not available parties may email their documents to the address below. Those who do not have internet access are required to submit all filings on a CD in PDF format, along with two paper copies. Those who do not have computer access are required to file 7 paper copies.

All communications should be directed to the attention of the Board Secretary at the address below, and be received no later than 4:45 p.m. on the required date.

With respect to distribution lists for all electronic correspondence and materials related to this proceeding, parties must include the Case Manager, Vince Mazzone at <u>Vince.Mazzone@ontarioenrgyboard.ca</u> and Board Counsel, Michael Millar at <u>Michael.Millar@ontarioenergyboard.ca</u>.

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DATED at Toronto, January 8, 2015

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