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



EB-2014-0276

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 approving or fixing rates for the sale, distribution, transmission and storage of gas commencing January 1, 2015.

PROCEDURAL ORDER NO. 1 January 12, 2015

Enbridge Gas Distribution Inc. ("Enbridge") filed an application dated November 28, 2014 with the Ontario Energy Board (the "Board") under section 36 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, S.O. 1998* for an order or orders approving rates commencing January 1, 2015 (the "Application"). The Board assigned file number EB-2014-0276 to the Application.

The Board issued a Notice dated December 10, 2014. Intervenor status was requested by:

- Association of Power Producers of Ontario ("APPrO");
- Building Owners and Managers Association ("BOMA");
- Canadian Manufacturers and Exporters ("CME");
- Consumers Council of Canada ("CCC");
- Energy Probe Research Foundation ("Energy Probe");
- Federation of Rental-housing Providers of Ontario ("FRPO");
- Just Energy Ontario L.P. ("Just Energy");
- Ontario Association of Physical Plant Administrators ("OAPPA");
- School Energy Coalition ("SEC");
- TransCanada Energy Ltd. ("TCE");

- TransCanada Pipelines Ltd. ("TransCanada");
- Union Gas Limited ("Union"); and
- Vulnerable Energy Consumers Coalition ("VECC").

APPrO, BOMA, CME, CCC, Energy Probe, FRPO, OAPPA, SEC, and VECC applied for cost eligibility. Enbridge did not object to the requests for intervenor status or cost eligibility.

I hereby grant intervenor status to all parties that requested it. A list of intervenors in this proceeding is attached as Appendix "A" to this Order. I have also determined that APPrO, BOMA, CME, CCC, Energy Probe, FRPO, OAPPA, SEC, and VECC will be eligible to apply for an award of costs under the Board's *Practice Direction on Cost Awards*.

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

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

- 1. The parties listed in Appendix "A" are granted intervenor status in the proceeding.
- 2. Board staff and intervenors seeking information and material from Enbridge that is in addition to the evidence filed with the Board, and that is relevant to this proceeding, shall request it by written interrogatories filed with the Board and delivered to Enbridge and intervenors on or before **January 29, 2015**.
- 3. Enbridge shall file with the Board complete responses to the interrogatories and deliver them to the intervenors no later than **February 19, 2015**.
- Unless the Board orders otherwise, a Technical Conference involving Board staff, intervenors and Enbridge will be convened on February 25, 2015 at 9:30 a.m. The Technical Conference will be held in the Board's hearing room at 2300 Yonge Street, 25th Floor, Toronto.
- 5. Any undertakings from the Technical Conference shall be filed with the Board and delivered to Enbridge, Board staff and all intervenors on or before **March 3, 2015**.

- Unless the Board orders otherwise, a Settlement Conference will be convened on March 5, 2015 at 9:30 a.m. with the objective of reaching a settlement among the parties on the issues. The Settlement Conference will be held in the Board's hearing room at 2300 Yonge Street, 25th Floor, Toronto, and may continue until March 6, 2015 if needed.
- 7. Any Settlement Proposal arising from the Settlement Conference shall be filed with the Board no later than 4:45 p.m. **March 12, 2015**.
- 8. Board staff shall file a submission on any Settlement Proposal with the Board and deliver it to all parties within 7 days from when such Settlement Proposal is filed.
- 9. If there is no settlement proposal arising from the Settlement Conference, Enbridge shall file a statement to that effect with the Board by **March 12, 2015**. In that event, parties shall file with the Board, and serve on the other parties by **March 19, 2015** any submissions on which issues they propose to be heard in writing, and which issues should be addressed in an oral hearing.

All filings to the Board must quote the file number, **EB-2014-0276** and be made electronically in searchable/unrestricted PDF format through the Board's web portal at <u>www.pes.ontarioenergyboard.ca/eservice/</u>. Two paper copies must also be filed.

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>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, Colin Schuch at

<u>Colin.Schuch@ontarioenergyboard.ca</u> and Board Counsel Michael Millar at <u>Michael.Millar@ontarioenergyboard.ca</u>.

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

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DATED at Toronto, January 12, 2015

ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

By delegation, before: Kristi Sebalj

Original Signed By

Kristi Sebalj Registrar **APPENDIX A**

PROCEDURAL ORDER NO. 1

APPLICANT AND LIST OF INTERVENORS

BOARD FILE NO. EB-2014-0276

DATED January 12, 2015

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