



EB-2008-0048

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., pursuant to section 36(1) of the *Ontario
Energy Board Act*, 1998, for an order or orders approving or
fixing just and reasonable rates and other charges for the
sale, distribution, transmission, and storage of gas as of April
1, 2008;

AND IN THE MATTER OF the Quarterly Rate Adjustment
Mechanism approved by the Ontario Energy Board in RP-
2000-0040, in RP-2002-0133 and in RP-2003-0203.

BEFORE: Ken Quesnelle
Member

DECISION AND ORDER ON COST AWARDS

Background

Enbridge Gas Distribution Inc. ("EGDI" or the "Company") filed an application with the Ontario Energy Board (the "Board") dated February 29, 2008 for an order approving or fixing rates for the sale, distribution, transmission, and storage of gas effective April 1, 2008 (the "Application"). The Application was assigned file number EB-2008-0048. On March 19, 2008 the Board issued its Decision and Interim Order in this proceeding. Parties were directed to file their cost claims with the Board and Enbridge no later than March 31, 2008.

The Board received a letter from the Industrial Gas Users Association ("IGUA") dated March 5, 2008. In that letter, IGUA stated that it had completed its due diligence of the QRAM application, and did not object to the relief sought by the applicant. IGUA filed its cost claim with the Board, and Enbridge made no objections to the claim. The claim total is \$677.

The Board has reviewed IGUA's cost claim and finds IGUA to be entitled to 100% of its reasonably incurred costs of participating in this proceeding.

THE BOARD THEREFORE ORDERS THAT:

1. Pursuant to section 30 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998*, Enbridge shall immediately pay IGUA its costs equal to \$677.
2. Pursuant to section 30 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998*, Enbridge shall immediately pay the Board's costs of and incidental to, this proceeding immediately upon receipt of the Board's invoice.

DATED at Toronto, June 6, 2008

ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

Original signed by

Kirsten Walli
Board Secretary