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Ms. Kirsten Walli
Board Secretary
Ontario Energy Board
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Dear Ms. Walli:

**Re: Ontario Energy Board File No. EB-2014-0289
2014 Natural Gas Market Review – Consultation and Stakeholder Conference
Comments of Enbridge Gas Distribution Inc. – Intervenor Cost Claims**

For the above noted proceeding, Enbridge has reviewed the cost claims received from the following:

- Association of Power Producers of Ontario (APPrO)
- Building Owners and Managers Association Toronto (BOMA)
- Canadian Manufacturers & Exporters (CME)
- Consumers Council of Canada (CCC)
- Energy Probe Research Foundation
- Federation of Rental-housing Providers of Ontario (FRPO)
- Industrial Gas User's Association (IGUA)
- London Property Management Association (LPMA)
- Ontario Greenhouse Vegetable Growers (OGVG)
- School Energy Coalition (SEC)
- Vulnerable Energy Consumers Coalition (VECC)

The Company has reviewed the claims in comparison to the allowances of prescribed rates within the cost assessment guidelines, and in comparison to the consultation activities and maximum hours established for this proceeding, and makes the following observations:

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1. APPrO's cost claim does not include supporting time dockets or receipts.
2. CME's cost claim does not include supporting time dockets for counsel's hours.
3. The consulting fees included within Energy Probe's claim do not agree with the hours claimed.
4. FRPO and OGVG are represented by the same consultant. The Company believes that time spent by that consultant has been apportioned accurately between each of the invoices supporting the FRPO and OGVG cost claims, but notes that the invoice supporting the OGVG cost claim includes a description referencing the preparation of the FRPO submission.
5. The total hours claimed within the BOMA and VECC cost claims are within the total allowable prescribed by the Board, but the hours apportioned to the stakeholder conference preparation and attendance phase are above the prescribed limit.

The Company awaits the recommendations and or cost awards of the Board with respect to these cost claims.

Enbridge reserves the right to make submissions regarding any outstanding intervenor cost submissions which are subsequently received.

Yours truly,

(Original Signed)

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cc: APPrO, BOMA, CME, CCC, Energy Probe, FRPO, IGUA, LPMA, OGVG, SEC, and VECC.