



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

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**DECISION AND ORDER ON COST  
AWARDS**

**EB-2015-0163**

**ENBRIDGE GAS DISTRIBUTION INC.**

**Application for July 1, 2015 gas cost change pursuant to the  
quarterly rate adjustment mechanism**

**By Delegation, before: Pascale Duguay**

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**July 27, 2015**

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## INTRODUCTION AND SUMMARY

Enbridge Gas Distribution Inc. (Enbridge) filed an application with the Ontario Energy Board (OEB) dated June 10, 2015 for an order approving or fixing rates for the sale, distribution, transmission, and storage of gas effective July 1, 2015.

A Decision and Order was issued on June 24, 2015 which, among other things, directed eligible parties to file their cost claims with the OEB and Enbridge no later than July 10, 2015. Enbridge had until July 17, 2015 to object to any aspect of the costs claimed. Any responses to Enbridge's concerns were to be filed with the OEB and Enbridge by July 22, 2015.

The Canadian Manufacturers & Exporters and the Industrial Gas Users Association filed cost claims with the OEB and copied Enbridge.

On July 17, 2015, Enbridge filed a letter stating that it had no objection to the cost claims.

I have reviewed the cost claims filed and find them to be reasonable and find both parties to be entitled to 100% of their reasonably incurred costs of participating in this proceeding.

### THE BOARD ORDERS THAT:

1. Pursuant to section 30 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998*, Enbridge shall immediately pay the following amounts to the intervenors for their costs:

- Canadian Manufacturers & Exporters \$1,182.83
- Industrial Gas Users Association \$617.05

2. Pursuant to section 30 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998*, Enbridge shall pay the OEB's costs of, and incidental to, this proceeding immediately upon receipt of the OEB's invoice.

**DATED** at Toronto, July 27, 2015

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Original Signed By

Pascale Duguay  
Manager, Natural Gas Applications