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**BY EMAIL** 

March 16, 2016

Kirsten Walli Board Secretary 2300 Yonge Street, Suite 2701 Toronto, Ontario M4P 1E4

Dear Ms. Walli:

## Re: Union Gas Limited (Union) 2015-2020 DSM Plan Draft Rate Order Board File Number: EB-2015-0029

In response to the OEB's Decision and Order dated February 24, 2016, Union filed a draft rate order on Monday, March 14, 2016. OEB staff has reviewed Union's draft rate order and has some clarification questions.

In an effort to ensure the OEB has a full and complete record prior to deciding on Union's draft rate order, OEB staff is requesting a short extension to the current timelines for comments on the draft rate order.

OEB staff requests approval of the following updated draft rate order comment schedule:

No.	Activity	Current Due Date	Requested Due Date
1	Written Interrogatories from OEB staff	N/A	March 17, 2016
2	Written responses from Union Gas	N/A	March 23, 2016
3	Written submission from OEB staff	March 17, 2016	March 25, 2016
4	Written reply submission from Union Gas	March 22, 2016	March 30, 2016

OEB staff believes that this short extension of the draft rate order process will ensure that the record is complete prior to the OEB making a finding on Union's draft rate order.

Yours Truly,

Original Signed By

Josh Wasylyk Project Advisor

cc: All participants in EB-2015-0029 and EB-2015-0049