## EB-2016-0004

## **ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD**

**IN THE MATTER OF** the *Ontario Energy Board Act*, *1998*, S.O. 1998, c.15, Schedule B;

**AND IN THE MATTER OF** an Application under the Ontario Energy Board's own motion to consider potential alternative approaches to recover costs of expanding natural gas service to communities that are not currently served

## INTERROGATORIES TO THE CANADIAN PROPANE ASSOCIATION ON BEHALF OF THE SCHOOL ENERGY COALITION

- 1. [p.5-6] At what level of internal utility cross-subsidization does it become an impermissible subsidy?
- 2. [p.7] Please provide the basis of the statement: "However, in the decades since EBO-134 was decided, the Board modernized its test through EBO-188 and its predecessors so that economic feasibility is the sole consideration in approving expansion projects."
- 3. [GMPi, p.9] Please provide the names of the companies who provide residential propane pricing data to GPMi and the geographical territories they serve. Please also confirm that the residential pricing data are actual prices each of the companies sells directly to residential customers.
- 4. [GMPi, p.19] Please provide a copy of the document cited in footnote 27.
- 5. [GMPi, p. 19] Please provide the difference in GHG emissions from upstream extraction and processing of propane versus natural gas.
- 6. [GMPi, p 19] Please provide the basis for the statement that "GMPi estimates that roughly 80% of the propane business in Ontario is in areas where natural gas utilities could consider expanding if the economic criteria suggested by Union in their Community Expansion application were to be approved." Please expand GMPi's estimate to include the expansion criteria set out in Enbridge's evidence.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the School Energy Coalition this 8th day of April, 2016

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