

June 9, 2016

Kirsten Walli
Board Secretary
Ontario Energy Board
2300 Yonge Street
P.O. Box 2319
Toronto, Ontario
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Dear Ms. Walli:

Re: EB-2016-0142 – Enbridge Gas Distribution Inc. – 2015 Earnings Sharing Mechanism and Deferral and Variance Accounts

Please find, attached, interrogatories on behalf of the Consumers Council of Canada for Enbridge Gas Distribution Inc. pursuant to the above-referenced proceeding.

Please feel free to contact me if you have questions.

Yours truly,

Julie E. Girvan

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CC: All Intervenors
EGD, Regulatory Affairs
Fred Cass, Aird & Berlis

INTERROGATORIES FOR ENBRIDGE GAS DISTRIBUTION INC.

FROM THE CONSUMERS COUNCIL OF CANADA

**RE: 2015 EARNINGS SHARING AND DEFERRAL AND VARIANCE ACCOUNT
CLEARANCES**

EB-2016-0142

1.

(Ex. B/T1/S3/p. 2)

Please describe the transaction that resulted in the sale of base pressure gas of \$5.8 million. Please explain how the \$5.8 million amount was derived.

2.

(Ex. B/T2/S4/p. 1)

The LTC- GTA Reinforcement Costs are \$191.4 million over budget. Please provide a detailed calculation setting out how the \$191 was derived. How much is related to increased total project costs and how much is related to carryover costs due to delays? Please explain how these increased costs have impacted 2015 earnings.

3.

(Ex. B/T4/S2/p. 2)

Please explain why there was such a significant variance between forecast and actual severance payments in 2015? Will this result lower overall Human Resource costs in 2016 and beyond?

4.

(Ex. C/T1/S7/p. 2)

Does the GDAR Account have a materiality threshold associated with it? If so, what is the threshold?