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**VIA RESS, EMAIL and COURIER**

Ms. Kirsten Walli  
Board Secretary  
Ontario Energy Board  
2300 Yonge Street, 27th Floor  
Toronto, Ontario  
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Dear Ms. Walli:

**Re: Ontario Energy Board (“Board”) – Cap and Trade Framework for Natural Gas Utilities, Early Determination of Billing of Cap and Trade Related Costs and Customer Outreach – EB-2015-0363**

Enbridge has received and reviewed the recent letters of several intervenors and stakeholders requesting further explanation of the reasons for the Board’s early determination within the Cap and Trade Framework development.

Enbridge supports the principal of transparency and robust explanations as part of an evidence based regulatory decision making process and supports the above noted parties requests for greater clarity regarding the decision.

If you have any questions in this regard, please contact the undersigned.

Yours truly,

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cc: Fred Cass, Aird & Berlis (via email)