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Ontario Energy Board 2300 Yonge Street 27th Floor Toronto, Ontario M4P 1E4

Attn: Kirsten Walli, Board Secretary

Dear Ms. Walli:

Re: EB-2016-0256 - Enbridge Gas 2017 Rates - SEC Interrogatories

We are counsel to the School Energy Coalition ("SEC"). Enclosed, please the interrogatories on behalf of SEC.

Yours very truly, **Jay Shepherd P.C.**

Original signed by

Mark Rubenstein

cc: Wayne McNally, SEC (by email)
Applicant and intervenors (by email)

ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

IN THE MATTER OF the *Ontario Energy Board Act*, 1998, S.O. 1998, c.15 (Sched. B), as amended;

AND IN THE MATTER OF an Application by Enbridge Gas Distribution Inc. for an Order or Orders approving or fixing rates for the sale, distribution, transmission and storage of gas.

INTERROGATORIES

ON BEHALF OF THE

SCHOOL ENERGY COALITION

- 1. [C2-1-4, p.3] Please add two columns to Table 1, providing Q1 through Q3 gross customer additions for both 2015 and 2016.
- 2. [D1] On September 6, Enbridge Inc. (parent of EGDI) announced the purchase of Spectra Energy (parent of Union Gas). Please explain how EGD, as the soon to be affiliate of Union Gas, plan to utilize the new increase market share to benefit consumers in the purchase of commodity, the transportation, and storage of natural gas. Please explain the expected impacts of the increased market share on the 2017 gas supply plan.
- 3. [D1] Please explain the potential consequences of the proposed changes to TransCanada's Storage and Transportation Service (STS). If the National Energy Board approves the proposed changes, please explain how this will affect Enbridge's 2017 gas supply plan.
- 4. [E1-3-1, p.2] What is the basis for the coupon rate forecasts for the 2017 issuances? What is the basis for the Canada yield and coupon spread forecasts?
- 5. [E1-3-1, p.2] Please provide a chart showing the forecast long-debt issuances and rates made in each of the past three annual rates applications, and the actual debt issuances and rates for those issuances. Please explain all material variances.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the School Energy Coalition, this 3rd day of November, 2016.

Original signed by

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