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VIA RESS, COURIER & E-MAIL

Ms. Kirsten Wallii Ontario Energy Board PO Box 2319 2300 Yonge Street, 27th Floor Toronto, Ontario M4P 1E4

Dear Ms. Walli:

Re: EPCOR Southern Bruce Gas Inc. EB-2016-0137/EB-2016-0138/EB-2016-0139 Intervention Request of Enbridge Gas Distribution Inc.

Enclosed please find Enbridge Gas Distribution's Intervention Request in the above noted proceeding.

This request has been submitted through the Board's Regulatory Electronic Submission System.

Please contact the undersigned if you have any questions.

Yours truly,

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Lorraine Chiasson Regulatory Coordinator

cc: Britt Tan – EPCOR Fred Cass – Aird & Berlis

ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

IN THE MATTER OF the *Municipal Franchises Act*, R.S.O. 1990, c. M.55, as amended; and in particular, Sections 8 and 9 thereof;

AND IN THE MATTER OF the *Ontario Energy Board Act,* S.O. 1998, c. 15, Sched. B, as amended; and in particular, Sections 21(5) and 36 thereof;

AND IN THE MATTER OF an Application by EPCOR Southern Bruce Gas Inc. for an Order approving the terms and conditions upon which, and the period for which, the Corporation of the Municipality of Arran-Elderslie, the Municipality of Kincardine and the Township of Huron-Kinloss are, by by-law, to grant to EPCOR Utilities Inc., the ultimate parent company of EPCOR Southern Bruce Gas Inc., the right to construct and operate works for the distribution, transmission and storage of natural gas and the right to extend and add to the works in the Municipality of Arran-Elderslie, the Municipality of Kincardine and the Township of Huron-Kinloss;

AND IN THE MATTER OF an Application by EPCOR Southern Bruce Gas Inc. for an Order directing and declaring that the assent of the municipal electors of the Municipality of Arran-Elderslie, the Municipality of Kincardine and the Township of Huron-Kinloss to the by-law is not necessary;

AND IN THE MATTER OF an Application by EPCOR Southern Bruce Gas Inc. for an Order issuing a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to construct works and supply gas to certain areas in the Municipality of Arran-Elderslie, the Municipality of Kincardine and the Township of Huron-Kinloss.

INTERVENTION OF ENBRIDGE GAS DISTRIBUTION INC.

- 1. Enbridge Gas Distribution Inc. ("Enbridge" or the "Company") hereby applies for intervenor status in this proceeding.
- 2. Enbridge is a distributor, transmitter and storage provider of natural gas in Ontario. The supply, transmission and distribution and storage of natural gas within Ontario are all of vital concern to the Company and its customers.

- 3. Enbridge has a direct interest in all matters of jurisdiction, substance, and procedure in the regulation of public utilities, and in any decision of the Ontario Energy Board (the "Board"), which may create a precedent for, or otherwise affect, the Company's own applications.
- 4. Enbridge reserves the right to be heard in English, to appear by or with counsel of its choice, to cross-examine on all subject matters in this hearing that may relate to its interests, to adduce evidence on specific matters that are relevant to these proceedings, and to present argument.
- 5. Enbridge requests that copies of all documents filed or issued in connection with this proceeding, including the evidence and submissions of the Applicant and all intervenors, and any notices or correspondence, be forwarded to:

Mr. Andrew Mandyam Director, Regulatory Affairs, Financial Planning & Analysis Enbridge Gas Distribution Inc.

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And

The Applicant's counsel:

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Enbridge will not be seeking an award of costs.

Dated at Toronto, Ontario, January 16, 2017

ENBRIDGE GAS DISTRIBUTION INC.

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Andrew Mandyam Director, Regulatory Affairs, Financial Planning & Analysis