

ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD NOTICE TO CUSTOMERS OF NATURAL RESOURCE GAS LIMITED

Natural Resource Gas Limited has applied for approval to sell its natural gas distribution system to EPCOR Natural Gas Limited Partnership.

Learn more. Have your say.

Natural Resource Gas Limited has applied for approval to:

- sell its natural gas distribution system to EPCOR Natural Gas Limited Partnership
- transfer the Certificates of Public Convenience and Necessity, franchise agreements and rate orders now held by Natural Resource Gas Limited to EPCOR Natural Gas Limited Partnership

The applicant says that if the sale is approved, the current customers of Natural Resource Gas Limited will not be adversely affected with respect to prices because the costs to serve customers are not expected to be higher than they otherwise would have been with Natural Resource Gas Limited. The applicant also says that customers will not pay the costs of the sale or the premium paid by EPCOR Natural Gas.

THE ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD IS HOLDING A PUBLIC HEARING

The OEB will hold a public hearing to consider the application filed by Natural Resource Gas. We will question the company on the case. We will also hear arguments from individuals and from groups that represent the customers of Natural Resource Gas. At the end of this hearing, the OEB will decide whether to approve the application.

The OEB is an independent and impartial public agency. We make decisions that serve the public interest. Our goal is to promote a financially viable and efficient energy sector that provides you with reliable energy services at a reasonable cost.

BE INFORMED AND HAVE YOUR SAY

You have the right to information regarding this application and to be involved in the process.

- You can review the application on the OEB's website now.
- You can file a letter with your comments, which will be considered during the hearing.
- You can become an active participant (called an intervenor). Apply by **March 13, 2017** or the hearing will go ahead without you and you will not receive any further notice of the proceeding.
- At the end of the process, you can review the OEB's decision and its reasons on our website.

LEARN MORE

Our file number for this case is **EB-2016-0351**. To learn more about this hearing, find instructions on how to file letters or become an intervenor, or to access any document related to this case, please select the file number **EB-2016-0351** from the list on the OEB website: www.ontarioenergyboard.ca/notice. You can also phone our Consumer Relations Centre at 1-877-632-2727 with any questions.

ORAL VS. WRITTEN HEARINGS

There are two types of OEB hearings – oral and written. The applicant has requested a written hearing. The OEB is considering this request. If you think an oral hearing is needed, you can write to the OEB to explain why by **March 13, 2017**.

PRIVACY

If you write a letter of comment, your name and the content of your letter will be put on the public record and the OEB website. However, your personal telephone number, home address and email address will be removed. If you are a business, all your information will remain public. If you apply to become an intervenor, all information will be public.

This hearing will be held under sections 43(1)(a) and 18 of the Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998, S.O. 1998 c.15 (Schedule B).



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