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VIA RESS, EMAIL and COURIER

Kirsten Walli
Board Secretary
Ontario Energy Board
2300 Yonge Street
Suite 2700
Toronto, ON M4P 1E4

Dear Ms. Walli

**Re: Enbridge Gas Distribution Inc. ("Enbridge")
Ontario Energy Board (the "Board") File Number EB-2016-0307
Application for the Franchise Agreement with the Town of
Penetanguishene (the "Town") – Enbridge Response to Letter of Comment**

Further to the letter of comment filed with the Ontario Energy Board by Mr. Paterson on January 27, 2017, regarding the above noted franchise renewal. Enbridge will be drafting a response to Mr. Paterson within the next week as we have a vested interest in the relationship with the Town and any expansion opportunities.

As the Board is aware, the current franchise with the Town expires on March 26, 2017. We do not expect the letter from and response to Mr. Paterson delay the franchise renewal process.

Yours truly,

(Original Signed)

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