Application by Mr. Achiel Kimpe to determine the amount and method to calculate storage rights compensation in Bentpath Designated Gas Storage Pool operated by Union Gas Limited, located in the Township of Dawn-Euphemia in Lambton County.

EB-2016-0030

OEB STAFF INTERROGATORIES

<u>FOR</u>

UNION GAS LIMITED

Interrogatory 1

- Ref: EB-2016-0030 Submission of Union Gas Limited, April 13, 2017, page 8, paragraphs 35-37;
- page 10, paragraph 44; Notice of Application and Procedural Order No. 1 (EB-2016-0030), dated March 31, 2017

Preamble:

The OEB confirmed in the EB-2016-0030 Notice of Application and Procedural Order No. 1 that it will not examine storage rights compensation for the periods already covered by earlier OEB decisions where Mr. Kimpe was an applicant. The OEB set the period from January 1, 1991 to December 31, 1999 and for the period from January 1, 2009 to present as a Relevant Time Period to be considered in the current proceeding.

Question:

Union Gas' view is that the Relevant Time Period set by the OEB should be restricted to exclude period from 1991 to 1999 and period from 2009 to 2015.. Union Gas proposed that the OEB order that Mr. Kimpe be compensated for the period from December 18, 2015 to December 31, 2018 at the same rate as the other landowners in the Bentpath Pool.

Please clarify the rationale for Union Gas views regarding the Relevant Time Period for compensation.