

EB-2017-0086

Enbridge Gas Distribution Inc.

Application for natural gas distribution, transmission and storage rates commencing January 1, 2018

PROCEDURAL ORDER NO. 2 November 23, 2017

Enbridge Gas Distribution Inc. (Enbridge Gas) filed an application dated September 25, 2017 (updated October 17, 2017) with the Ontario Energy Board (OEB) under section 36 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, S.O. 1998*, c.15, (Schedule B) for an order or orders approving rates for 2018.

In Procedural Order No. 1, dated October 25, 2017, the OEB scheduled dates for a number of procedural steps.

The OEB has determined that it is necessary to revise the deadlines for the remaining procedural steps due to a scheduling issue related to the oral hearing.

It is necessary to make provision for the following matters related to this proceeding. The OEB may issue further procedural orders from time to time.

THE ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD THEREFORE ORDERS THAT:

- 1. Any settlement proposal arising from the settlement conference shall be filed with the OEB by **November 29, 2017**. Any settlement proposal filed, whether complete or partial, shall include a draft rate order with recommendations on whether the rate order should be interim or final. If the settlement proposal is a partial settlement, the outstanding or disputed issues shall be scoped and well-defined, with a recommendation for hearing the issues orally or by written submission.
- 2. If a settlement proposal is filed, OEB staff's submission on the settlement proposal shall be filed with the OEB and served on all parties within **2 days** of the date that the settlement proposal is filed.

- 3. If there is no settlement proposal arising from the settlement conference, Enbridge Gas shall file a statement to that effect with the OEB by **November 29, 2017**.
- 4. The oral hearing will commence on **December 4, 2017 at 9:30 a.m.** in the OEB's hearing room at 2300 Yonge Street, 25th Floor, Toronto for the purposes of presenting any settlement proposal and if required, for the consideration of dates in respect of any outstanding or disputed issues.

All filings to the OEB must quote the file number, **EB-2017-0086** and be made electronically in searchable/unrestricted PDF format through the OEB's web portal at https://www.pes.ontarioenergyboard.ca/eservice/. Two paper copies must also be filed. Filings must clearly state the sender's name, postal address and telephone number, fax number and e-mail address. Parties must use the document naming conventions and document submission standards outlined in the RESS Document Guideline found at https://www.oeb.ca/industry. If the web portal is not available, parties may email their documents to the address below.

All communications should be directed to the attention of the Board Secretary at the address below, and be received no later than 4:45 p.m. on the required date.

With respect to distribution lists for all electronic correspondence and materials related to this proceeding, parties must include the Case Manager, Lawrie Gluck at lawrie.gluck@oeb.ca and Counsel, Michael Millar at michael.millar@oeb.ca.

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DATED at Toronto, November 23, 2017 **ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD**

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