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Ontario Energy Board P.O. Box 2319 2300 Yonge Street, 27th Floor Toronto, ON M4P 1E4

Attention Ms. Kirsten Walli, Board Secretary

Dear Ms Walli,

Re: Enbridge Gas Distribution Inc. and Union Gas Limited

Application for Amalgamation

Ontario Energy Board File No.: EB-2017-0306

I am the lawyer for Unifor, a trade union that is the bargaining agent pursuant to the *Labour Relations Act, 1995* for various employees of Enbridge Gas and Union Gas in all parts of Ontario. This letter is Unifor's application for intervenor status in the hearing of this application which is for approval of an amalgamation.

Unifor has a direct interest in the outcome of the application. As set out in the application, the amalgamation if approved will have wide ranging effects on the employment of Unifor members. The employees for whom Unifor acts as bargaining agent are involved in all aspects of the operations of Enbridge and Union Gas and have particular knowledge of the issues in the application including issues about safety, security and customer service.

If granted intervenor status, Unifor intends to participate actively in all aspects of the hearing. The hearing should be an oral hearing as other intervenors have requested.

We do not make a request for costs at the present time.

Copies of all written materials filed in connection with the application may be provided to me at the following contact information:

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Yours very truly,

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