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Attention: Ian A. Mondrow
Counsel for IGUA

Dear Mr. Mondrow:

**Re: IGUA's Letter Regarding Submissions in Union Gas' Kingsville
Reinforcement Project
OEB File Number EB-2018-0013**

On July 24, 2018, the Industrial Gas Users Association (IGUA) filed a letter requesting that the OEB consider amending Procedural Order No. 3 to allow intervenors to file submissions after OEB staff. IGUA stated that it would be helpful to have the benefit of OEB staff's characterization of, and view on, certain issues in order to structure IGUA's submission.

On July 26, 2018 Union filed a letter commenting on IGUA's request. Union stated that there should not be a delay in the submission schedule. In addition, Union indicated that it considered certain issues identified in IGUA's letter to be beyond the scope of this proceeding.

After considering IGUA's request and Union's comments, the OEB has determined that it will not stagger or extend the dates for submissions in this proceeding. The OEB appreciates the inherent range of perspectives provided through submissions, reflecting each parties' role and/or representation.

Regarding Union's opinion that IGUA's letter identifies issues that are out of scope, the OEB disagrees. The OEB determined in its letter of February 27, 2018, that it would not hear Union's proposal for recovery of the project's net revenue requirement through an incremental capital module (ICM) at this time. However, the issues identified by IGUA

appear to relate to the OEB's economic feasibility tests considered in leave to construct proceedings, not an ICM proposal.

The dates for submissions established in Procedural Order No. 3 remain unchanged.

Yours truly,

Original signed by

Kirsten Walli
Board Secretary

c: All parties in EB-2018-0013