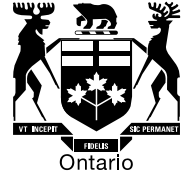


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September 21, 2018

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Dear Mr. Brandell:

**Re: EPCOR Natural Gas Limited Partnership (EPCOR)
Southern Bruce Leave to Construct Application
Ontario Energy Board File Number EB-2018-0263**

This will acknowledge receipt of EPCOR's application dated September 20, 2018, for an order granting leave to construct natural gas distribution pipelines and ancillary facilities to serve the Municipality of Arran-Elderslie, the Municipality of Kincardine and the Township of Huron-Kinloss, and the approval of franchise agreements with, and limited certificates of public convenience and necessity for, municipalities along the route. The OEB has assigned File Number EB-2018-0263 to this matter. Please refer to this file number in all future correspondence to the OEB regarding this matter. All information related to this matter must be filed with the Board Secretary.

Please direct any questions relating to this application to Azalyn Manzano, Advisor at 416-544-5180 or Azalyn.Manzano@oeb.ca.

Yours truly,

Original Signed By

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