

January 18, 2019

Ms. Kirsten Walli
Board Secretary
Ontario Energy Board
2300 Yonge Street, 27th Floor
Toronto, ON M4P 1E4

Dear Ms. Walli,

Re: EB-2018-0331 – Enbridge Gas Inc. – 2016-2018 Cap and Trade Deferral Account Disposition – Combined Extension Request

On December 7, 2018, the Ontario Energy Board (“OEB” or “Board”) issued a Notice of Hearing and Procedural Order No. 1 in the above noted proceeding. On December 19, 2018, Union Gas Limited (“Union”) submitted a letter to the OEB seeking an extension of the deadline for filing its supplemental evidence as directed by the Notice and Procedural Order No. 1 in order to include actual Cap-and-Trade-related deferral and variance account balances for its general service customers as of December 31, 2018.

On January 18, 2019 the OEB issued Procedural Order No. 2 granting Union an extension to file supplemental evidence by February 21, 2019.

Effective January 1, 2019, Enbridge Gas Distribution Inc. (“EGD”) and Union amalgamated to become Enbridge Gas Inc. (“Enbridge Gas”). As a matter of clarity and regulatory efficiency, Enbridge Gas wishes to file a single combined application and supplemental evidence reflecting 2016-2018 Cap-and-Trade-related deferral and variance account balances for the EGD rate zone and Union rate zones by February 21, 2019. To avoid filing two separate applications in this proceeding on behalf of Enbridge Gas: one for the EGD rate zone; and one for the Union rate zones,¹ Enbridge Gas hereby requests that the OEB grant Enbridge Gas the same extension granted to Union to file combined supplemental evidence by February 21, 2019.

Enbridge Gas notes that Procedural Order No. 2 cancelled the dates for interrogatories and interrogatory responses which had been included in Procedural Order No. 1. While dates for these steps are to be the subject of a future order, it is presumed that the Board will set only one date for each of these steps. Accordingly, Enbridge Gas believes that the granting of the extension requested in this letter will not cause any delay in the Board’s consideration of matters in this proceeding.

¹ Collectively, the Union North and Union South rate zones are referred to as the “Union rate zones”.

If you have any questions regarding this letter please contact me at (519) 436-4558.

Sincerely,

[Original signed by]

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cc:
Dennis O'Leary, Aird & Berlis
All Intervenors (EB-2018-0331)