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VIA EMAIL AND CANADA POST

Ms. Kirsten Walli Board Secretary **ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD** 2300 Yonge Street, 27th Floor Toronto, ON M4P 1E4

Dear Ms. Walli:

Re: EB-2006-0034 – Intervention by Direct Energy Marketing Limited.

I am writing to request intervenor status for Direct Energy Marketing Inc. ("Direct Energy") in the 2007 Rates Application of Enbridge Gas Distribution Inc, EB-2006-0034. As an energy services company and licensed retail marketer serving residential and commercial customers throughout Ontario, Direct Energy is interested in ensuring that the proposed rates and services will not adversely impact its retail and service operations or the competitive market in general.

Subject to a review of the application, Direct Energy plans to actively participate in the hearing and may file evidence. Direct Energy expects that matters which are not settled by the parties will be considered by the Board in an oral hearing due to the complexity of the issues and the need to test the evidence before the Board. Direct Energy will be represented by Eric Hoaken of Bennett Jones and will cover the cost of its intervention.

Yours truly,

DIRECT ENERGY

Per:

Dave Matthews

Director, Government & Regulatory Affairs - Eastern Canada

cc: Patrick Hoey, Director, Regulatory Affairs, ENBRIDGE GAS DISTRIBUTION INC.