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Ms. Kirsten Walli  
Board Secretary  
Ontario Energy Board  
P.O. Box 2319  
2300 Yonge Street, 27<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Toronto, ON M4P 1E4

Dear Ms. Walli,

**RE: EB-2019-0102 – EPCOR Natural Gas Limited Partnership – Revised QRAM Application**

Please find attached the revised April 1, 2019 QRAM application for EPCOR Natural Gas Limited Partnership (“ENGLP”).

As requested by Board Staff, ENGLP has revised the forecasted annual residential use used in calculating the bill impacts from 1,923.4 m<sup>3</sup> to 2,009.4 m<sup>3</sup>. This latter figure has been used previously by ENGLP in previous applications.

The revised forecast of the annual residential use does not impact on the calculation of the proposed PGCVA reference price, the GPRA reference price or the overall gas commodity charge.

The changes to the evidence as a result of the revised forecast of residential use are as follows:

- i) Schedule 1, page 9, line 9 – 1,923 is changed to 2,009 and \$10.13 is changed to \$10.59
- ii) Schedule 5 – The figures used in the Average Residential Consumption column have been revised to the levels used in previous QRAM applications, change the total from 1,923.4 m<sup>3</sup> to 2,009.4 m<sup>3</sup>.
- iii) Schedule 9 – The residential bill comparisons have been revised to reflect the revised average residential use figures. In particular, the annual impact is a change from a reduction of \$10.13 to a reduction of \$10.59.

iv) Appendix “C” – The customer notice has been revised in the third paragraph to reflect the change from 1,923 cubic meters and a \$10 decrease to 2,009 cubic meters and a \$11 decrease. In an unrelated change, in the first paragraph, December 2019 has been changed to March 2020. This was an oversight in the original filing.

Other than the above noted changes, there are no other changes to the application or evidence that was filed on March 14, 2019.

Sincerely,

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cc: S. Robinson, ENGLP  
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EB-2018-0235 Intervenors