

**EPCOR Natural Gas Limited Partnership**

**Application for gas distribution rates and other  
charges for the period from January 1, 2019 to  
December 31, 2028**

**PROCEDURAL ORDER NO. 2  
July 12, 2019**

EPCOR Natural Gas Limited Partnership (EPCOR Natural Gas) filed a custom incentive rate making application with the Ontario Energy Board (OEB) on April 11, 2019 under section 36 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998*, S.O. 1998, c. 15, (Schedule B), seeking approval for rates that EPCOR Natural Gas will charge for gas distribution, to be effective January 1, 2019 and for each following year through to December 31, 2028.

The OEB issued Procedural Order No. 1 on May 21, 2019, which set out an initial process for discovery of the evidence and scheduled a settlement conference.

On July 12, 2019, OEB staff filed a letter informing the OEB that the parties were not able to reach agreement on an issues list. OEB staff further recommended that the settlement conference scheduled to start on July 15, 2019 should be postponed. Accordingly, the OEB has decided to cancel the settlement conference until the OEB makes a determination on the next steps in the proceeding.

**IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:**

1. The settlement conference, scheduled to convene on July 15, 2019 to July 16, 2019, is cancelled. The OEB will issue further procedural orders outlining the next steps in the proceeding.

All filings to the OEB must quote the file number, EB-2018-0264, be made in searchable/unrestricted PDF format electronically through the OEB's web portal at <https://pes.ontarioenergyboard.ca/eservice>. Two paper copies must also be filed at the

OEB's address provided below. Filings must clearly state the sender's name, postal address and telephone number, fax number and e-mail address. Parties must use the document naming conventions and document submission standards outlined in the RESS Document Guideline found at <https://www.oeb.ca/industry>. If the web portal is not available parties may email their documents to the address below. Those who do not have internet access are required to submit all filings on a USB memory stick in PDF format, along with two paper copies. Those who do not have computer access are required to file 7 paper copies.

All communications should be directed to the attention of the Registrar at the address below, and be received no later than 4:45 p.m. on the required date.

With respect to distribution lists for all electronic correspondence and materials related to this proceeding, parties must include the Case Manager, Arturo Lau at [Arturo.Lau@oeb.ca](mailto:Arturo.Lau@oeb.ca) and OEB Counsel, Michael Millar at [Michael.Millar@oeb.ca](mailto:Michael.Millar@oeb.ca).

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**DATED** at Toronto, **July 12, 2019**

**ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD**

*Original Signed By*

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Board Secretary