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**TO: All Rate-Regulated Natural Gas Distributors  
All Participants in EB-2019-0137**

**RE: Consultation to Review Natural Gas Supply Plans – Final OEB Staff Report  
Ontario Energy Board File No. EB-2019-0137**

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Today the Ontario Energy Board (OEB) issued a *Final OEB Staff Report to the OEB: Consultation to Review Natural Gas Supply Plans* (Final OEB Staff Report). The Final OEB Staff Report sets out OEB staff's assessment of Enbridge Gas Inc.'s five-year natural gas supply plans.

The OEB thanks the 21 participants in this consultation. All material related to this consultation is available on the [OEB's website](#).

The OEB anticipates that rate-regulated natural gas distributors will file their annual updates to their current gas supply plans by May 1, 2020. OEB staff will initiate a consultation at the appropriate time to review the updates in accordance with the OEB's October 25, 2018 [Report of the Board: Framework for the Assessment of Distributor Gas Supply Plans](#).<sup>1</sup>

### **Cost Awards**

The issuance of the Final OEB Staff Report marks the conclusion of the consultation. Cost-eligible activities related to this consultation are complete. A Notice of Hearing for Cost Awards will be issued separately.

Yours truly,

*Original signed by*

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Registrar and Board Secretary

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<sup>1</sup> EB-2017-0129