



EB-2008-0080

IN THE MATTER OF the *Municipal Franchises Act*, R.S.O. 1990, c. M.55, as amended;

AND IN THE MATTER OF an application by Union Gas Limited for an order superseding those parts of an existing Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity for certain geographic areas that now form part of the Town of Halton Hills and replacing these with a single Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity for the Town of Halton Hills.

By delegation, before: Neil McKay

DECISION AND ORDER

Union Gas Limited (“Union”) filed an application dated April 3, 2008 with the Ontario Energy Board (the “Board”) under section 8 of the *Municipal Franchises Act*, R.S.O. 1990, c. M.55, as amended (the “Act”), for an order of the Board that supersedes those parts of an existing Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity (“Certificate”) for certain geographic areas for the former municipalities that now form part of The Town of Halton Hills (the “Municipality”) and replaces those aspects of the existing Certificate with a new Certificate for the amalgamated Corporation of the Town of Halton Hills. The Board has assigned file number EB-2008-0080 to this application.

The Board’s Notice of Application and Written Hearing was published on April 25, 2008. There were no intervenors. A Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity (F.B.C. 324) was issued by the Ontario Fuel Board on June 24, 1959 granting Union the right to construct works to supply natural gas to 14 municipalities. The former Town of Acton, the former Town of Georgetown and a portion of the former Township of Esquesing were three of these municipalities that now form the Town of Halton Hills.

The Board finds that it is in the public interest to grant the application and that public convenience and necessity requires that approval be given.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

1. Those areas included in the Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity F.B.C. 324 that relate to the former Town of Acton, the former Town of Georgetown and a portion of the former Township of Esquesing that now form the Town of Halton Hills are cancelled.
2. A Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity, attached as Appendix A to this Decision and Order, is granted to Union Gas Limited to construct works to supply gas in the Town of Halton Hills.

DATED at Toronto, May 14, 2008

ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

Neil McKay
Manager - Facilities

APPENDIX A

TO BOARD DECISION AND ORDER

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DATED: May 14, 2008

Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity

for the Town of Halton Hills

Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity

The Ontario Energy Board hereby grants

Union Gas Limited

approval under section 8 of the *Municipal Franchises Act*, R.S.O. 1990, c. M.55, as amended, to construct works to supply gas to the

Town of Halton Hills

This Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity replaces those parts of Certificate F.B.C. 324 for the former Town of Acton, the former Town of Georgetown and a portion of the former Township of Esquesing that are now within the Town of Halton Hills.

DATED at Toronto, May 14, 2008

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