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April 13, 2020

Christine E. Long Registrar and Board Secretary Ontario Energy Board P.O. Box 2319 2300 Yonge Street, 27th Floor Toronto ON M4P 1E4

Dear Ms. Long,

# RE: EB-2020-0066 Enbridge Gas Inc.- Voluntary Renewable Natural Gas Program Energy Probe Intervenor Request Letter

Energy Probe Research Foundation (Energy Probe) applies for intervenor status in the EB-2020-0066 proceeding, the application by Enbridge Gas Inc. to the Ontario Energy Board for approval of its Voluntary Renewable Natural Gas Program.

## **Statement of Interest**

Energy Probe is an environmental and consumer organization which promotes economic efficiency in the use of resources. Energy Probe will be representing its natural gas residential and small commercial customer supporters in Ontario, which we have some number of thousands. Energy Probe's supporters will be directly affected by the outcome of this proceeding through rate impacts on residential and small commercial customers. In order to protect the interests of its supporters, Energy Probe will focus on the following three concerns that it hopes will be dealt with in this proceeding.

- 1. Does Enbridge's program meet the requirements of the EB-2011-0242/0283 Decision?
- 2. Enbridge's evaluation of three voluntary RNG programs and its selection of the proposed program.
- 3. Enbridge's ten year forecast of program revenues and costs including the results of market research.

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## Hearing

Energy Probe hopes that all issues can be resolved through settlement negotiations and that an oral or a written hearing will not be necessary. However, if a hearing is required, Energy Probe plans to be an active participant in the hearing, whether it is in oral or written form.

## Costs

Energy Probe is a non-profit organization which relies on individual donations to help protect the public interest. Without the prospect of an award of costs, Energy Probe's ability to participate in proceedings would be very limited. Energy Probe intends to seek a cost award in this proceeding, and expects to intervene responsibly, cognizant of the Board's guidelines regarding cost awards.

### Communications

Communications relating to this Intervenor Request Letter, including but not limited to all documents filed with the Board by the applicant and required by Energy Probe, should be directed to consultants:

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Respectfully submitted on behalf of Energy Probe.

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