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## DELIVERED BY EMAIL

Dear Ms. Long,

## RE: EB-2019-0271 Enbridge Gas Inc. 2021 DSM Plan

We are writing to provide clarification with respect to an assertion by EGI in its reply argument filed earlier today.

At paragraph 65 of its Reply argument EGI expresses a concern with respect to OGVG's requested relief:

However, Enbridge Gas is concerned that OGVG's request is that the Company reveal the name of specific contract rate class customers and the reasons that are given by the customers for not participating, this could violate the customer confidentiality provisions of Gas Distribution Access Rule ("GDAR").

While OGVG does not perceive what part of its submissions led EGI to believe it was seeking disclosure of the names of specific contract rate class members, OGVG nonetheless can confirm that no part of its requested relief includes a requirement that EGI disclose the names of specific contract rate class members. It was and is OGVG's expectation that the reporting contemplated in its submissions would be done in accordance with Rule 5.3.2 of GDAR, which allows as follows:

5.3.2 A gas distributor may disclose information that has been sufficiently aggregated such that an individual consumer's information cannot reasonably be identified.

Yours very truly,

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CC: All Parties