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'Patrick McMahon'

Cc:

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Subject:

EB-2006-0223- Union Gas Limited-Township of Mattice Val-Cote - Certificate of Public

Convenience and Necessity- DECISISON AND ORDER

Attachments: lod_dec_order_uniongas_matticevalcote_20061027.pdf; dec_order_uniongas_matticevalcote_20061027.pdf

Mr. McMahon,

The Board has issued its Decision and Order in the above matter. Please see attachments.

Thank you,

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BY EMAIL ONLY

October 27, 2006

Mr. Patrick McMahon Manager, Regulatory Research and Records Union Gas Limited P.O. Box 2001 50 Keil Drive North Chatham, Ontario N7M 5M1

LETTER OF DIRECTION

Dear Mr. McMahon:

Re: Union Gas Limited – Township of Mattice Val - Côté Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity Decision and Order Board File No. EB-2006-0223

The Board has now issued its Decision and Order and a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity for the Township of Mattice Val - Côté. An executed copy is enclosed.

You are directed:

- to immediately serve a copy of the Decision and Order on the Clerk of the Corporation of the Township of Mattice Val - Côté, either personally, by courier or registered mail; and
- 2. to file with the Board affidavit evidence demonstrating the above service immediately upon completion, with the Decision and Order and courier waybill information or original Post Office Registration Receipt (s) (where applicable) attached as appendices.

Yours truly,

Peter H. O'Dell

Assistant Board Secretary

Encl.

c. Mr. Mark Murray, Union Gas Limited



EB-2006-0223

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 to establish a single Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity for certain geographic areas now incorporated within the Township of Mattice Val - Côté.

By delegation, before: Mark C. Garner

DECISION AND ORDER

Union Gas Limited ("Union") filed an application dated September 14, 2006 with the Ontario Energy Board under the *Municipal Franchises Act*, R.S.O. 1990, c. M.55, as amended, for an order of the Board to establish a single Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity ("Certificate") for the former entities now incorporated within the Township of Mattice Val - Côté (the "Municipality"). The Board has assigned file No. EB-2006-0223 to this application.

An Act of the Government of Ontario to continue the Corporation of the Union of the Townships of Eilber and Devitt under the name of the Corporation of the Township of Mattice - Val Côté was given Royal Assent on November 9, 1983 and was effective January 1, 1984.

Union is presently serving the Municipality and has a Certificate (E.B.C. 40) for the former unorganized Township of Eilber. The geographic area of the former Township of Devitt does not currently have natural gas service and Union does not hold a Certificate for that area. Union has advised that it is the only gas utility in the area.

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. The approval granted under the existing Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity (E.B.C. 40) covering the former unorganized Township of Eilber is cancelled.
- 2. A Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity, attached as Appendix A, is granted to Union Gas Limited to construct works to supply gas in the Township of Mattice Val Côté.

DATED at Toronto, October 27, 2006

ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

Peter H. O'Dell

Assistant Board Secretary

APPENDIX A

TO BOARD DECISION AND ORDER

EB-2006-0223

DATED: October 27, 2006

Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity

For the

Township of Mattice Val – Côté

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

Township of Mattice Val - Côté

This approval replaces the approval granted under E.B.C. 40 for the former unorganized Township of Eilber that is now within the Township of Mattice Val - Côté.

Dated at Toronto, October 27, 2006

ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

Peter H. O'Dell

Assistant Board Secretary