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October 6, 2020

Christine E. Long
Registrar and Board Secretary
Ontario Energy Board
2300 Yonge Street, P.O. Box 2319
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Dear Ms. Long

**RE: EB-2020-0134 Enbridge Gas Disposition of 2019 Earnings Sharing and
Deferral and Variance Accounts Disposition Proceeding
Energy Probe Intervenor and Cost Eligibility Request Letter**

Energy Probe Research Foundation (Energy Probe) hereby applies for intervenor status and cost eligibility in the EB-2020-0134 proceeding, the application by Enbridge Gas Inc. to the Ontario Energy Board for the approval of its proposed disposition of 2019 Earnings Sharing and the balances in 2019 Deferral and Variance Accounts.

Statement of Interest

Energy Probe is a non-profit environmental and consumer organization which promotes economic efficiency in the use of resources. It will be representing its many individual residential customer supporters. Energy Probe argues for equitable rates that optimize results for all ratepayers by eliminating cross subsidies between ratepayer classes and between generations of ratepayers. It promotes sustainable resource use through individual responsibility and accountability. More information about Energy Probe can be found on the OEB website.

<https://www.oeb.ca/industry/applications-oeb/intervenor-information/annual-filings-frequent-intervenors>

Energy Probe's interest in this proceeding is the impact on customers of the 2019 Earnings Sharing and Deferral and Variance Accounts proposed by Enbridge Gas. Energy Probe will focus on the reasons for the balances in the 2019 Deferral and Variance accounts including Earnings Sharing, and whether the account balances were appropriately recorded.

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Hearing

Energy Probe hopes that all issues can be resolved through settlement negotiations and that a hearing will not be necessary. However, if a hearing is required, Energy Probe believes that it can be in 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 and Cost Eligibility Request Letter and all documents filed with the Board by the applicant and required by Energy Probe, should be directed to its consultant:

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