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BY EMAIL

March 3, 2021

Mark Faught
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Dear Mr. Faught:

Re: EB-2020-0051 PUC Distribution Inc. Application for 2021 Rates

Pascale Duguay, the Ontario Energy Board's Manager, Natural Gas has been delegated authority under Section 6 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998* to make a decision on the 2021 Price Cap application filed by PUC Distribution Inc. on October 13, 2020.

Attached to this letter is a draft of the decision the delegated authority proposes to make based on the application and any subsequent updates or clarifications. All relevant information and updates to the application have either been provided to you earlier by OEB staff or are now being sent to you in this draft decision.

Please review the decision and the accompanying draft Rate Order for accuracy and completeness. Provide written comments or a confirmation that PUC Distribution Inc. has no comments by March 10, 2021.

The Manager, Natural Gas will consider your comments, if any, provided they have been received by the deadline, and issue a final decision and rate order in due course.

Any questions relating to this letter should be directed to Vince Mazzone at vince.mazzone@oeb.ca or 416-544-5159. The Board's toll-free number is 1-888-632-6273.

All materials filed with the OEB must quote the file number, **EB-2020-0051**, and be submitted in a searchable/unrestricted PDF format with a digital signature through the OEB's web portal at <https://p-pes.ontarioenergyboard.ca/PivotalUX/>. Filings must clearly state the sender's name, postal address, telephone number, fax number and e-mail address. Parties must use the document naming conventions and document submission standards outlined in the [Regulatory Electronic Submission System \(RESS\) Document Guidelines](#) found at www.oeb.ca/industry. Parties are encouraged to use RESS; however, parties who have not yet [set up an account](#), may email their documents to registrar@oeb.ca.

All communications should be directed to the attention of the Registrar and be received no later than 4:45 p.m. on the required date.

Yours Truly,

Original Signed By

Christine E. Long
Registrar