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VIA EMAIL and RESS

Ms. Christine Long
Registrar
Ontario Energy Board
2300 Yonge Street, 27th Floor
Toronto, ON M4P 1E4

Dear Ms. Long:

**Re: Enbridge Gas Inc. (Enbridge Gas)
Ontario Energy Board (OEB) File: EB-2020-0293
St. Laurent Ottawa North Replacement Project**

Enbridge Gas is writing to provide the OEB with an update on the above noted application. As you are aware the OEB received a letter from the Ontario Ministry of Transportation (MTO) on April 9, 2021 (April 9th Letter). In that letter the MTO indicated that it was concerned with the Phase 4 Preferred Route (PR). MTO's concerns related to the Phase 4 PR were focused on the portion of the PR that follows the MTO property line along the westbound on ramp at Vanier Parkway and that portion of the PR that runs parallel to Highway 417. MTO also indicated that one of the alternative routes identified would be its preferred alignment for this segment of Phase 4.

Since receipt of the April 9th Letter, Enbridge Gas has continued consultations with the MTO and RCMP in order to determine a mutually acceptable PR for the segment of Phase 4 in question. This consultation is ongoing and Enbridge Gas is hopeful that a new PR will be agreed to by the week May 17th at the latest. Shortly thereafter Enbridge Gas will file an updated application with the OEB.

Please contact the undersigned if you have any questions.

Yours truly,

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