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July 17, 2008

Mr. Crawford G. Smith Solicitor for Union Gas Limited 79 Wellington St W., Suite 300 Toronto ON M5K 1N2

Dear Mr. Smith:

Re: Commodity Pricing, Load Balancing and Cost Allocation Methodologies For Natural Gas Distributors in Relation to Regulated Gas Supply Objection of intervention of London Property Management Association (LPMA) and Federation of Rental Housing Providers of Ontario (FRPO) by Union Gas Limited

Board File No. EB-2008-0106

The Board is in receipt of your letter dated July 7, 2008, wherein you indicate that Union Gas Limited is opposed to the requests made by LPMA and FRPO for intervenor status In the alternative, if the Board determines that it will grant the parties intervenor status, Union requests an order of the Board limiting the participation of both parties or in the further alternative, limiting the parties right to recover costs.

By letter dated July 7, 2008 (to LPMA and copied to you), the Board granted intervenor status and cost award eligibility to LPMA and the Board does not intend to revisit this matter. With respect to FRPO, by way of a letter dated July 17, 2007 (also copied to you), the Board granted FRPO intervenor status and cost award eligibility. Noting the concerns you expressed in your letter the Board reminded FRPO that in determining the amount of a cost award to a party the Board considers, amongst other things, whether the party made reasonable efforts to combine its intervention with that of a similarly interested party and to co-operate with other parties to reduce duplication of evidence and questions on cross examination.

Yours truly,

Original signed by

John Pickernell Assistant Board Secretary

cc: Mr. Chris Ripley (UNION)

Mr. Randy Aiken (LPMA)
Mr. Dwayne Quinn (FRPO)