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Ontario Energy Board P.O. Box 2319 2300 Yonge Street, 27th Floor Toronto, Ontario M4P 1E4 Filed electronically Original by Courier

Attention: Ms. Kristen Walli Board Secretary

Dear Ms. Walli:

Re: Consultation on Energy Issues Relating to Low Income Consumers

Ontario Energy Board ("Board")

File No. EB-2008-0150

TransCanada Energy Ltd. ("TCE")

Letter of Intent to Participate

The Board in its July 2, 2008 letter initiated a consultation process to examine issues associated with low income energy consumers in relation to their use of natural gas and electricity.

TCE is a market participant in Ontario and will have significant gas-fired generation coming onstream in the near future. TCE is a customer of Enbridge Gas Distribution and Union Gas Limited. Any potential regulatory policies and measures stemming from this consultation could directly influence the rates that TCE pays for service to these gas distributors. Accordingly, TCE has a direct interest in this proceeding, as the matters under consideration may affect the business and operations of TCE.

TCE intends to participate in the upcoming stakeholder conference. TCE does not intend to seek an award of costs for its participation in this proceeding.

Please direct all correspondence regarding this proceeding to the following:

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Yours truly, **TransCanada Energy Ltd.**

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