

DECISION AND ORDER

EB-2021-0254/EB-2021-0256/ EB-2021-0257/EB-2021-0258

PUBLIC ENERGY GAS INC.

PUBLIC ENERGY GAS 1 INC.

PUBLIC ENERGY GAS 2 INC.

PUBLIC ENERGY GAS 3 INC.

Application for an Electricity Generation Licence Amendment and Electricity Generation Licences

BY DELEGATION,

BEFORE: Brian Hewson Vice President, Consumer Protection & Industry Performance

December 16, 2021

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Public Energy Gas Inc. (PEG) filed an application on September 28, 2021, with the Ontario Energy Board (OEB) pursuant to section 74 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act*, *1998* (OEB Act), to amend its electricity generation licence EG-2019-0216. Public Energy Gas 1 Inc. (PEG 1), Public Energy Gas 2 Inc. (PEG 2) and Public Energy Gas 3 Inc. (PEG 3), each filed its respective application with the OEB on October 4, 2021, under section 60 of the OEB Act for an electricity generation licence.

Given the interrelated business relationship between the applicants, the OEB combined the applications into one proceeding, pursuant to section 21(5) of the OEB Act. This Decision and Order is being issued by the Delegated Authority without a hearing pursuant to section 6(4) of the OEB Act.

In its application to amend its electricity generation licence EG-2019-0216, PEG requested changes to the installed capacity of the three generation facilities listed in Schedule 1of its licence. PEG also requested the amendment of its licence authorization from owner and operator to only operator of all three generation facilities.

PEG explained that the request to amend the authorization under its electricity generation licence EG-2019-0216 is the result of a business reorganization, as the result of which special-purpose entities PEG 1, PEG 2 and PEG 3 were created to own electricity generation facilities, currently owned by PEG. The three entities PEG 1, PEG 2 and PEG 3 each applied for licences to authorize their ownership of specific generation facilities: PEG 1 will be the owner of the Confederation Freezers facility located in Brampton Ontario; PEG 2 will be the owner of Stanpac Inc. located in Smithville Ontario

The OEB finds that the applications should be granted. The applicants provided the necessary financial and technical information to be licensed as electricity generators.

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

- 1. Public Energy Gas Inc. application to amend Schedule 1 of its electricity generation licence EG-2019-0216 is granted. The amended licence is attached to this Decision and Order.
- 2. The application by Public Energy Gas 1 Inc. for an electricity generation licence is granted on such conditions as are contained in the attached licence.

- 3. The application by Public Energy Gas 2 Inc. for an electricity generation licence is granted on such conditions as are contained in the attached licence.
- 4. The application by Public Energy Gas 3 Inc. for an electricity generation licence is granted on such conditions as are contained in the attached licence.

DATED at Toronto, December 16, 2021

ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

Original Signed By

Brian Hewson Vice President, Consumer Protection & Industry Performance