Ontario

EB-2020-0293

Enbridge Gas Inc.

Application for leave to construct natural gas pipeline and associated facilities in the City of Ottawa

PROCEDURAL ORDER NO. 6 March 7, 2022

Enbridge Gas Inc. (Enbridge Gas) applied to the Ontario Energy Board (OEB) on March 2, 2021, under sections 90 and 97 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act*, *1998*, S.O. 1998, c.15, (Schedule B), for an order granting leave to construct approximately 19.8 kilometres of natural gas pipeline and associated facilities in the City of Ottawa (Project). The proposed natural gas pipeline would replace the existing St. Laurent Pipeline in two final phases of its multiple year project. Enbridge Gas also applied to the OEB for approval of the form of land-use agreements it offers to landowners for the routing and construction of the Project.

Procedural Order No. 5, issued on January 13, 2022, scheduled a virtual technical conference on March 4, 2022. In preparation for the technical conference, OEB staff received time estimates for questioning from Parties that exceeded the time allocation of one business day. The OEB extended the technical conference by a half day, on March 7, 2022, and is extending certain deadlines set out in Procedural Order No. 5 as a result of the extension of the technical conference. The dates for procedural steps set out in Procedural Order No. 5 are superseded by the dates below.

It is necessary to make provision for the following matters related to this proceeding. Further procedural orders may be issued by the OEB.

- 1. Responses to undertakings from the technical conference shall be filed with the OEB and sent to all parties by **March 14, 2022**.
- 2. Intervenors and OEB staff who wish to file final arguments shall file them with the OEB and send to all parties by **March 24, 2022**.
- 3. Enbridge Gas shall file its reply argument, if any, with the OEB and send it to all parties by **April 7, 2022**.

Parties are responsible for ensuring that any documents they file with the OEB, such as applicant and intervenor evidence, interrogatories and responses to interrogatories or any other type of document, **do not include personal information** (as that phrase is defined in the *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act*), unless filed in accordance with rule 9A of the OEB's <u>Rules of Practice and Procedure</u>.

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All communications should be directed to the attention of the Registrar at the address below and be received by end of business, 4:45 p.m., on the required date.

With respect to distribution lists for all electronic correspondence and materials related to this proceeding, parties must include the Case Manager, Zora Crnojacki at <u>Zora.Crnojacki@oeb.ca</u> and OEB Counsel, James Sidlofsky at <u>James.Sidlofsky@oeb.ca</u>

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DATED at Toronto, March 7, 2022 ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

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