

June 17, 2022

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Ms. Nancy Marconi Registrar Ontario Energy Board 27-2300 Yonge Street Toronto, ON M4P 1E4

Dear Ms. Marconi:

Re: EB-2022-0174: Quarterly Rate Adjustment Mechanism ("QRAM") Application EPCOR Natural Gas LP ("EPCOR") Southern Bruce for rates effective July 1, 2022

In response to OEB Staff's letter of comment received June 15, 2022, specifically page 5:

OEB staff notes that the near-term impact of the preferred approach on a typical residential customer over the next three months, subject to EPCOR's confirmation in its reply letter, is a total bill increase of approximately \$22, whereas the rate mitigation approach results in a total bill increase of approximately \$18 over three months. In other words, the rate mitigation approach only reduces the total bill impact by a little more than \$1/ month.

EPCOR confirms this statement to be accurate.

Sincerely,

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