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## **VIA EMAIL and RESS**

November 2, 2022

Nancy Marconi  
Registrar  
Ontario Energy Board  
2300 Yonge Street, Suite 2700  
Toronto, Ontario, M4P 1E4

Dear Ms. Marconi:

**Re: Enbridge Gas Inc. (“Enbridge Gas” or the “Company”)  
Ontario Energy Board (“OEB”) File No. EB-2022-0157  
Panhandle Regional Expansion Project  
Extension Requests**

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Within its Procedural Order (“PO”) No. 2 dated October 14, 2022, the OEB established a procedural timeline for intervenor evidence submissions (October 28, 2022) and a deadline for Enbridge Gas to file reply evidence (November 4, 2022). In addition, the OEB established a procedural timeline for OEB staff and intervenor written submissions (December 9, 2022) and a deadline for Enbridge Gas to file its written reply submission (December 16, 2022). On October 28, 2022, in accordance with PO No. 2, Environmental Defense submitted intervenor evidence.

Given the nature (i.e., scope and complexity) of Environmental Defense’s evidence, Enbridge Gas is requesting an extension to the procedural timeline to permit the Company to file reply evidence by November 11, 2022. In addition, based on the current and anticipated evidentiary record in this proceeding, Enbridge Gas believes the time afforded to the Company to file its written reply submission (one week following receipt of OEB staff and intervenor written submissions) will not be sufficient to complete a comprehensive reply submission. As per the updated OEB’s Applicant & List dated September 13, 2022, there are 11 approved intervenors engaged in the proceeding, and as such the Company expects to receive up to 12 written submissions (including OEB Staff) covering a wide variety of issues. To provide sufficient time for Enbridge Gas to review written submissions, and with consideration of year-end holidays, the Company is requesting an extension to file its reply submission by January 9, 2023.

To assist the OEB, if the above noted requests are granted and all remaining procedural timelines are extended one week, the new procedural timeline established by the OEB may be similar to the example set out below:

- Enbridge Gas to file its reply evidence, if any, with the OEB and serve it on all parties by, **November 11, 2022**.

- Enbridge Gas, OEB staff and intervenors to request any relevant information and documentation from Environmental Defence and Courey Law that is related to its evidence, by written interrogatories filed with the OEB and serve them on all parties by, **November 18, 2022**.
- OEB staff and intervenors to request any relevant information and documentation from Enbridge Gas that is related to its reply evidence, if any, by written interrogatories filed with the OEB and serve them on all parties by, **November 18, 2022**.
- Environmental Defence and Courey Law to file with the OEB complete written responses to all interrogatories and serve them on all parties by, **November 28, 2022**.
- Enbridge Gas to file with the OEB complete written responses to all interrogatories and serve them on all parties by, **November 28, 2022**.
- Enbridge Gas to file its argument-in-chief with the OEB and send to all parties by, **December 5, 2022**.
- OEB staff and intervenors to file their written submissions with the OEB and serve them on all parties by, **December 16, 2022**.
- Enbridge Gas to file a written reply submission, if any, with the OEB and serve it on all parties by, **January 9, 2023**.

If you have any questions, please contact the undersigned.

Sincerely,

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c.c. Charles Keizer (Torys)  
Zora Cronjacki (OEB Staff)  
Intervenors (EB-2022-0157)