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The Ontario Energy Board

-- Comment date -- 2022-11-21

-- Case Number --EB-2022-0200

-- Name --Melanie Barker

-- Phone --

-- Company --

-- Address --

-- Comments --

To Whom This May Concern,

I would like this letter to be considered at the application hearing

EB-2022-0200 for Enbridge Gas wanting to raise rates.

Looking at Enbridge's revenue for the past couple of years tells me there is no need for them to raise rates. They are not in the red, they, fact are seeing rising profits.

For instance, the following is from Macrotrends:

\*\*Enbridge Inc revenue for the twelve months ending September 30, 2022 was \$41.047B, a 16.32% increase year-over-year.

Enbridge Inc annual revenue for 2021 was \$37.558B, a 28.72% increase from 2020.\*\*

While their customers are already struggling to put food on the table and pay to keep a roof over their heads, I think raising these rates is like another kick in the gut to both the residential and commercial customers of Enbridge. We can't afford any more rate hikes! My gas bill doubled already from September to October this year and I only had the heat on maybe 5 days out of the month. It's already ridiculous how much we are paying for basic necessities just to live.

I don't want to have to make the choice of whether we eat this week or we have heat and I shouldn't have to! In reality, that's already something people are having to face and it's not right when large corporations are making money hand over fist.

I plead with you to see the bigger picture, not just a multi-billion dollar corporation's greed.

Thank you for your time,

A very concerned customer

-- Receive a copy of the decision? -- Yes

-- Attachment --