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VIA RESS AND EMAIL

Nancy Marconi
Registrar
Ontario Energy Board
2300 Yonge Street, 27th Floor
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Dear Nancy Marconi:

**Re: Enbridge Gas Inc. (Enbridge Gas)
Ontario Energy Board File No.: EB-2023-0062
2021 Demand Side Management (DSM) Deferral and Variance Account
Disposition Application**

Enclosed is Enbridge Gas's application and evidence concerning the final disposition and recovery of certain 2021 DSM program year-end deferral and variance account balances.¹ The accounts which are the subject of this Application and the balances recorded (excluding interest) are as follows in Tables 1 and 2.

Table 1

2021 DSM Deferral and Variance Account Balances - EGD Rate Zone

Account	2021
DSM Variance Account	\$1,862,404
DSM Incentive Deferral Account	\$4,961,553
LRAM Variance Account	\$37,476
Total Balance	\$6,861,433

Table 2

2021 DSM Deferral and Variance Account Balances - Union Rate Zones

Account	2021
DSM Variance Account	(\$11,372,617)
DSM Incentive Deferral Account	\$1,469,503
LRAM Variance Account ²	\$697,467
Total Balance	(\$9,205,646)

¹Enbridge Gas was formed by the amalgamation of Enbridge Gas Distribution Inc. (EGD) and Union Gas Limited (Union), on January 1, 2019 pursuant to the Ontario Business Corporations Act, R.S.O. 1990, c. B. 16. Enbridge Gas carries on the business of selling, distributing, transmitting and storing natural gas in Ontario within the meaning of the Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998 (the Act).

²The 2021 LRAMVA account balance includes volume variances related to 2019, 2020 and 2021 audited Union rate zones results at 2021 rates. This is discussed in further detail in Exhibit C, Tab 2, Schedule 1.

Enbridge Gas proposes that disposition of these deferral and variance account balances be implemented in alignment with other rate changes through the Quarterly Rate Adjustment Mechanism (QRAM), effective as soon as October 1, 2023. For a typical residential customer in the EGD rate zone with annual consumption of 2,400 m³, the estimated one-time billing adjustment charge is \$6.91. For a typical residential customer in the Union South rate zone with annual consumption of 2,200 m³, the estimated one-time billing adjustment is a refund of \$1.56. For a typical residential customer in the Union North rate zone with annual consumption of 2,200 m³, the estimated one-time billing adjustment is a refund of \$5.11.

The above noted submission has been filed electronically through the OEB's RESS and will be made available on Enbridge Gas's website at:

<https://www.enbridgegas.com/Regulatory-Proceedings>

If you have any questions, please contact the undersigned.

Sincerely,

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cc.: D. O'Leary (Aird & Berlis)
EB-2021-0002 (Intervenors)
EB-2022-0007(Intervenors)