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Ms. Kirsten Walli
Board Secretary
Ontario Energy Board
P.O. Box 2319 - 2300 Yonge Street
27th Floor, Suite 2700
Toronto, Ontario M4P 1E4

Dear Ms. Walli:

Re: EB-2008-0273: Union Gas Limited ("Union") - Application for Leave to Discontinue Service to Natural Resource Gas Limited ("NRG")

We are legal counsel to the corporation of the Town of Aylmer, and write on its behalf to confirm that it is requesting intervener status in the above-noted matter. An initial request in that regard was made by the Town by letter dated September 11, 2008.

The Town has received a copy of the Notice of Application issued by the Board in this matter, as one of the municipalities in which NRG supplies gas, in accordance with the Board's letter of Direction dated September 16, 2008. NRG supplies natural gas customers within the municipal boundaries of the Town pursuant to a Franchise Agreement with the Town dated February 27, 1984. As such, the Town has a direct interest in any issues regarding continuity of natural gas supply to customers and any financial security policies and practices in that regard which may be raised by this Notice of Application.

The representatives of the Town for the purposes of service and delivery of documents in the proceeding will be as follows:

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The nature and scope of the Town's participation in this proceeding will depend upon the evidence filed by to other parties and the issues raised at the public hearing currently scheduled for October 20 and 21, 2008. At this time the Town would request the rights, if so advised, to participate fully by way of filing of evidence and examination and cross-examination of witnesses at the hearing.

The Town may wish to seek an award of costs, dependent however upon the issues raised and the position taken by other parties herein. The Town will participate in the hearing in the English language.

We trust this is satisfactory. On behalf of the Town and the community it represents, we thank the Board for its consideration of this request.

Yours very truly,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'M. Philip Tunley', with a stylized, cursive script.

M. Philip Tunley
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