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Dear Ms. Marconi:

**Re: EB-2022-0094: Ontario Energy Board Gas System Access Proceeding.**

**Industrial Gas Users Association (IGUA) Settlement Conference Participation.**

We write as legal counsel to IGUA to advise that IGUA wishes to participate in the settlement conference now rescheduled to January 9, 2024.

IGUA wishes to have access to a copy of EGI's initial draft connection procedure. Review of that draft procedure will enable us to better assess whether IGUA's interests are sufficiently served by waiting to provide any additional comments after the settlement process concludes or whether IGUA should seek to more actively participate in the settlement discussions.

While the particular provisions that are anticipated to result from this ongoing process would, at first instance, apply only to the tariff applicable to Ontario gas producers, IGUA members have an interest in two aspects of the anticipated provisions, as reflected in IGUA's August 25, 2023 *Reply to OPI's Submission*, to the extent that similar provisions may in future be applied to new or expanded connections for large volume load customers. These two aspects are; (i) the steps and associated timelines attendant on a request for new or expanded connection to EGI's system; and (ii) contestability of associated connection work.

Yours truly,



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