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Dear Sirs:

Re: Application under Section 43 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act* for Leave to Transfer All the Voting Shares of Union Gas Limited from Westcoast Energy Inc to a Limited Partnership Board File Number EB-2008-0304

This letter acknowledges receipt of your letter dated September 15, 2008 requesting leave, under section 43 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998* S.O. 1998, c. 15, (Sched. B), to transfer 100% of the voting shares in Union Gas Limited from Westcoast Energy Inc. to a limited partnership that is to be organized. The applicants are Westcoast Energy Inc. and Union Gas Limited. The Board has assigned File Number EB-2008-0304 to this application. The applicants also requested that the Board dispose of this application without a hearing. On the assumption that the Board will not be requiring an oral hearing, the Board expects that it will be able to render a decision and/or order for this application on or about December 31, 2008.

Please direct any questions relating to this application to Wilfred Teper, Advisor at 416-440-7719 or e-mail <u>teperwi@oeb.gov.on.ca</u>.

Yours truly,

Original Signed By

John Pickernell Assistant Board Secretary