



**Enbridge Gas Inc.**

**Application for leave to construct natural gas pipelines  
in the City of Toronto**

**PROCEDURAL ORDER NO. 1**

**January 26, 2024**

Enbridge Gas Inc. (Enbridge Gas) has applied to the Ontario Energy Board (OEB) under sections 90 and 97 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998*, S.O. 1998, c.15, (Schedule B), for an order granting leave to construct approximately 345 metres of natural gas pipelines in the City of Toronto. Enbridge Gas states that the project is needed to accommodate the construction of the Scarborough Subway Extension Transit Project, which is a collaboration between the Province of Ontario, the City of Toronto, and Metrolinx. Enbridge Gas has also applied to the OEB for approval of the forms of land-use agreements it offers to landowners affected by the routing and construction of the proposed pipelines.

A Notice of Hearing was issued on December 1, 2023. Pollution Probe applied for intervenor status and cost eligibility.

Enbridge Gas filed a letter dated January 17, 2024, informing the OEB that it does not object to the intervention of Pollution Probe.

Pollution Probe is approved as an intervenor. The list of parties in this proceeding is attached as Schedule A to this Procedural Order.

Pollution Probe is eligible to apply for an award of costs under the OEB's [Practice Direction on Cost Awards](#) (Practice Direction).

Cost eligible intervenors should be aware that the OEB will not generally allow the recovery of costs for the attendance of more than one representative of any party unless a compelling reason is provided when cost claims are filed.

**Request for Confidentiality**

Enbridge Gas has requested confidential treatment for personal information in the Environmental Report (Exhibit F/Tab 1/Schedule 1/Attachment 1) and in the Landowner Lists (Exhibit G/Tab 1/Schedule 1/Attachments 3 and 4).

The OEB has reviewed Enbridge Gas's request for the redaction of personal information. The OEB finds that the redacted information in the Environmental Report (Exhibit F/Tab 1/Schedule 1/ Attachment 1) and in the Landowner Lists (Exhibit G/Tab 1/Schedule 1/ Attachments 3 and 4) is personal information as defined in the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act (FIPPA) and the OEB's [Practice Direction on Confidential Filings](#). Therefore, the information regarding property owners shall remain redacted and shall not be provided to the intervenors in this proceeding.

### Interrogatories

At this time, provision is being made for written interrogatories. In preparing their interrogatories, parties should refer to the OEB's [standard Issues List](#) for natural gas leave to construct applications. Parties should not engage in detailed exploration of issues that do not appear to be material. In making its decision on cost awards, the OEB will consider whether intervenors made reasonable efforts to ensure that their participation in the hearing was focused on material issues.

Parties should consult sections 26 and 27 of the OEB's [Rules of Practice and Procedure](#) regarding required naming and numbering conventions and other matters related to interrogatories.

### Submissions

At this time, the OEB is also setting a schedule for written submissions.

Further procedural orders may be issued by the OEB.

### IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

1. OEB staff and intervenors shall request any relevant information and documentation from Enbridge Gas that is in addition to the evidence already filed, by written interrogatories filed with the OEB and served on all parties by, **February 9, 2024**.
2. Enbridge Gas shall file with the OEB complete written responses to all interrogatories and serve them on intervenors by, **February 26, 2024**.
3. Any written submissions from OEB staff and intervenors, shall be filed with the OEB and served on all parties by, **March 18, 2024**.
4. Any written reply submissions from Enbridge Gas shall be filed with the OEB and served on intervenors by, **April 1, 2024**.

Parties are responsible for ensuring that any documents they file with the OEB, such as applicant and intervenor evidence, interrogatories and responses to interrogatories or

any other type of document, **do not include personal information** (as that phrase is defined in the *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act*), unless filed in accordance with rule 9A of the OEB's [Rules of Practice and Procedure](#).

Please quote file number, **EB-2023-0260** for all materials filed and submit them in searchable/unrestricted PDF format with a digital signature through the [OEB's online filing portal](#).

- Filings should clearly state the sender's name, postal address, telephone number and e-mail address.
- Please use the document naming conventions and document submission standards outlined in the [Regulatory Electronic Submission System \(RESS\) Document Guidelines](#) found at the [File documents online page](#) on the OEB's website.
- Parties are encouraged to use RESS. Those who have not yet [set up an account](#), or require assistance using the online filing portal can contact [registrar@oeb.ca](mailto:registrar@oeb.ca) for assistance.
- Cost claims are filed through the OEB's online filing portal. Please visit the [File documents online page](#) of the OEB's website for more information. All participants shall download a copy of their submitted cost claim and serve it on all required parties as per the [Practice Direction on Cost Awards](#).

All communications should be directed to the attention of the Registrar and be received by end of business, 4:45 p.m., on the required date.

With respect to distribution lists for all electronic correspondence and materials related to this proceeding, parties must include the Case Manager, Judith Fernandes at [Judith.Fernandes@oeb.ca](mailto:Judith.Fernandes@oeb.ca).

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**DATED** at Toronto, January 26, 2024

**ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD**

Nancy Marconi  
Registrar

**SCHEDULE A**  
**LIST OF APPLICANTS AND INTERVENORS**

**Enbridge Gas Inc.**

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## APPLICANT & LIST OF INTERVENORS

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