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Attention: Ms. Kirsten Walli
Board Secretary

Dear Ms. Walli:

Subject: Enbridge Gas Distribution Inc. – Rates for 2009
OEB File No. EB-2008-0219
TransCanada PipeLines Limited (“TransCanada”)
Application for Intervenor Status

TransCanada requests intervenor status in Ontario Energy Board proceeding EB-2008-0219. Attached is TransCanada’s Application in support of its request.

Yours truly,

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Patrick M. Keys
Vice President, Pipelines
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cc. Mr. Norm Ryckman, Enbridge Gas Distribution Inc.

**ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD
EB-2008-0219**

IN THE MATTER OF the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998*, S.O. c. 15,
as amended;

AND IN THE MATTER OF an Application by Enbridge Gas
Distribution Inc. for an Order of the Board approving or fixing rates for
the distribution, transmission and storage of natural gas, effective January
1, 2009.

To: Ms. Kristen Walli
Board Secretary
Ontario Energy Board

**TRANSCANADA PIPELINES LIMITED
APPLICATION FOR INTERVENOR STATUS**

1. TransCanada PipeLines Limited (“TransCanada”) is a federally incorporated Canadian company.
2. TransCanada owns and operates a high pressure natural gas transmission system which extends from Alberta across Saskatchewan, Manitoba and Ontario through a portion of Quebec, and connects to various downstream Canadian and international pipelines (the “Mainline”). The National Energy Board regulates TransCanada's operation of the Mainline.
3. TransCanada transports natural gas on the Mainline for others for use in the Canadian domestic market and for export from Canada to the United States.
4. Enbridge Gas Distribution Inc. (“Enbridge”) is a large domestic customer on the Mainline. TransCanada has an interest in matters involving Enbridge's system, rates and policies that may affect the services Enbridge requires on the Mainline.
5. TransCanada reserves its rights to participate in all aspects of the proceeding, including evidence, interrogatories, cross-examination, and argument.
6. TransCanada wants to receive all pre-filed material and any further notices or other material that may be issued or filed in connection with this proceeding. The names, mailing and electronic addresses, telephone and facsimile numbers of TransCanada representatives are as follows:

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7. TransCanada does not intend to seek an award of costs for its participation in this proceeding.
8. TransCanada does not have a preference for a written or an oral hearing.
9. TransCanada supports Enbridge's proposed two-phased approach to the review of the application.

**Calgary, Alberta
October 30, 2008.**

Respectfully submitted,
TransCanada PipeLines Limited

Original Signed by

Per: _____
Patrick M. Keys
Vice President, Pipelines
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