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By email

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Ritchie Murray Acting Registrar Ontario Energy Board 2300 Yonge Street, 27th floor Toronto, ON M4P 1E4

Dear Mr. Murray

Re: EB-2025-0165- QRAM July 1st, 2025

We are writing on behalf of Canadian Manufacturers & Exporters ("CME"). Please consider this correspondence as CME's written comments regarding EGI's QRAM Application, which seeks changes to its rates for the sale, distribution, storage and transmission of natural gas effective July 1st, 2025.

As the Board is aware, it is CME's practice to conduct a due diligence review of EGI's QRAM applications. We have done so in this case. We have the following question related EGI's application:

• In its March 17, 2025, letter to the Board in EB-2025-0078, EGI stated that it would not adjust the facility related carbon charge for rates effective April 1, 2025. In this application, EGI stated that it was updating Rider J to remove the forecast cost of carbon associated with Company Use Volumes.

How much money did EGI collect with respect to the carbon charge on company use volumes for the period April 1 to July 1, 2025? Please confirm that that amount has been captured in the Facility Carbon Charge Variance Account as a credit to customers and will be subject to future disposition.

CME requests an award of its reasonably incurred costs in connection with conducting its examination of EGI's QRAM Application.

Yours very truly

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