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Tim Hesselink
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Dear Tim Hesselink:

Re: EPCOR Natural Gas Limited Partnership (EPCOR Natural Gas)

Southern Bruce 2026 Rate Application

OEB File Number: EB-2025-0178

Further to the Ontario Energy Board's (OEB) acknowledgment letter dated August 5, 2025, the OEB has completed its preliminary review of your 2026 Custom Incentive Rate Adjustment application and will now commence the processing of your application. The next steps will be communicated in due course.

Pursuant to Chapter 1 of the <u>OEB's Filing Requirements For Electricity Distribution Rate Applications</u>, EPCOR Natural Gas has confirmed that the documents it has filed in support of the above referenced application do not include any personal information (as that phrase is defined in the *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act*) that has not otherwise been redacted.

EPCOR is reminded that it is responsible for ensuring that the documents it files with the OEB, such as its evidence, responses to interrogatories and any other supporting documentation, 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*.

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Please direct any questions relating to this application to Randy Doradat, Advisor at Randy.Doradat@oeb.ca.

Yours truly,

Ritchie Murray Acting Registrar

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