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VIA RESS AND EMAIL

Nancy Marconi
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Ontario Energy Board
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Dear Nancy Marconi:

**Re: Enbridge Gas Inc. (Enbridge Gas, or the Company) EB-2022-0200 - 2024
Rebasing – Phase 1 Response Evidence to be filed by Enbridge Gas**

Enbridge Gas filed its 2024 Rates Application and the majority of its supporting evidence on October 31, 2022 and the balance of its evidence on November 30, 2022. In this Application, Enbridge Gas requests approval of rates for the sale, distribution, transmission, and storage of gas commencing January 1, 2024. Enbridge Gas also applies for approval of an incentive rate-making mechanism (IRM) for the years from 2025 to 2028.

Procedural Order No. 5 indicated that “[n]o later than May 15, 2023, Enbridge Gas shall advise the OEB of its intention to file evidence responding to Environmental Defence’s evidence regarding hydrogen, and the proposed filing date.”

After receiving and reviewing the evidence regarding hydrogen authored by Drs. Howarth and Jacobson submitted May 11, 2023, Enbridge Gas indicated in its May 15, 2023 letter to the OEB that it intends to file responding evidence, but that more time was required to establish a plan of action for this responding evidence, including who the authors of that evidence might be.

Enbridge Gas is now able to communicate its intention to file responding evidence authored by Company witnesses. This evidence will comment on the Howarth and Jacobson submission and will include references to other relevant literature on the topic of hydrogen emissions. Enbridge Gas intends to file this evidence by June 19, 2023. Enbridge Gas will send a copy of this letter to all parties in this proceeding.

Should you have any questions, please let us know.

Sincerely,

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