

ENBRIDGE GAS DISTRIBUTION INC. RESPONSE TO
BOARD STAFF INTERROGATORY #3

INTERROGATORY

Issue: A-3

Are the costs of the facilities and the rate impacts to customers appropriate?

REF: Exhibit A, Tab 3, Schedule 9, page 4, paragraph 7

Preamble

Enbridge states that the open season will close no later than September 6, 2013 and will be used to allocate the available transportation capacity on Segment A.

Questions

- a) Please provide the rationale for setting the open season closing date to September 6, 2013.
- b) Please provide a link to Enbridge's Open Season web page for Segment A.

RESPONSE

- a) Per the OEB's Storage and Transportation Access Rule (Section 2.2.1(i)(d)), a transmitter is required to allow a minimum of 30 business days between the time an Open Season notice for new capacity is issued and the close of the Open Season period. Enbridge issued the Albion Pipeline Open Season at the end of day on July 24. Therefore, September 6 was chosen to provide for the required 30 business day Open Season period.
- b) Enbridge's Open Season documents for Segment A can be found at www.enbridgegas.com/openseason.

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