

SEC INTERROGATORY #5

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[B/1/2, p. 15]

With respect to the Enbridge EUL table:

- a. Please provide the basis for the EUL for Home Energy Conservation with furnace upgrade.
- b. Please provide reference 7.
- c. [also reference B/1/5, p. 6] Please advise which of the EULs is Equipment Life only, and which are adjusted for Measure Persistence. In the latter case, please advise the limitations presented by persistence, including business turnover forecasts, forecast early replacement, and any other limits

RESPONSE

- a. As an outcome of the 2012 audit, Enbridge's Audit Committee reviewed the approach to Home Energy Conservation ("HEC") and endorsed a deemed 15 year measure life for Community Energy Retrofit ("CER") (now HEC) participation where a furnace upgrade is included and a deemed 25 year measure life for HEC projects completed without a furnace. The Technical Evaluation Committee ("TEC") recommended that the approach be applicable to savings claimed in 2014. Enbridge maintained the same approach through 2015 being a rollover year. The measure life was retained again in 2016 as HEC was already in market when the Board issued its Decision on EB-2015-0049.

Effective 2017, Enbridge has adopted, based on best available information, the approach applied by Union Gas included in Union Gas' 2015-2020 Plan filing (EB-2015-0029), approved by the Board on January 16, 2016.

- b. "Measure Life for Retro-Commissioning and Continuous Commissioning Projects" (Finn Projects, Dec 31, 2008) is attached to this response.

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- c. Exhibit B, Tab 1, Schedule 5, p. 6 provides the Technical Reference Manual (“TRM”) glossary. The TRM Glossary addresses the prescriptive and quasi-prescriptive substantiation documents contained in the TRM. The TRM Glossary does not provide definitions for custom projects and/or Enbridge’s Measure Life Guide for commercial/industrial custom offers. The Measure Life table provides a guideline for the measure life only.

As per the Board’s letter of August 21, 2015 (EB-2015-0245), an Evaluation Contractor (“EC”) will be responsible for undertaking various studies which may include “examining the level of persisting natural gas savings from various programs and conducting other evaluation studies as required.”

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