

ENBRIDGE GAS INC.
Answer to Interrogatory from
Board Staff (STAFF)

Reference: Exhibit B1/ Tab 1/ Sch. 1/ Appendix H/pgs. 6-7, Enbridge Gas Distribution Inc., Fenelon Falls, Decision and Order EB-2017-0147, pgs. 10-16 and Union Gas Limited, 2019 Community Expansion Application EB-2018-0142, Exhibit A/ Tab 1/ pg. 3

Question:

The current application appears to reflect the System Expansion Surcharge (SES) framework approved by the OEB in Enbridge Gas Distribution's Fenelon Falls application. The current application does not address a Temporary Connection Surcharge (TCS) proposed by Union Gas in its 2019 Community Expansion application (which application is now in abeyance).

- a) Has Enbridge Gas adopted verbatim the SES framework approved by the OEB in the Fenelon Falls proceeding? If not, please identify and explain any differences.
- b) Does Enbridge Gas believe that the SES framework approved by the OEB in the Fenelon Falls proceeding is applicable to the former Union Gas rate zones? Please explain.
- c) Does Enbridge Gas intended to seek approval of a TCS? Please provide a detailed response..

Response

When reviewing the evidence the Company discovered that the definition of a community expansion project set out at Exhibit B, Tab 1, Schedule 1, Appendix H, page 6 is not complete. Section 25 of Appendix H has been updated and is filed along with the interrogatory response.

- a- c) Enbridge Gas has adopted the SES framework approved by the OEB in the Fenelon Falls proceeding for the EGD rate zone. Enbridge Gas intends to file updated community expansion applications with the Board later this year which will consider and address the adoption of the Fenelon Falls SES framework for the Union rate zones.
- b) Enbridge Gas believes that the Fenelon Falls SES framework could be applicable to the Union rate zones. Enbridge Gas believes that a Board decision and order would be required to apply the Fenelon Falls SES framework to the Union rate zones.