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Dear Mr. Rheaume, Mr. Dunberry, Ms. Hivon, Mr. Reinisch, Mr. Smith, Mr. Pelletier, Ms. Davis, Mr. Yates and Mr. Cameron:

Review and Variance Application filed by TransCanada (Review Application) Hearing Order MH-002-2013 – Updated Procedural Schedule

On 12 August 2013, TransCanada PipeLines Limited (TransCanada) filed the Review Application with the National Energy Board. TransCanada requested, among other things, that the Board rescind Hearing Order MH-002-2013 and hold oral hearing that allows for cross-examination commencing on 9 December 2013.

On 13 August 2013, the Board set out a process for how it would hear the Review Application.

On 15 August 2013, Société en commandite Gaz Métro (Gaz Métro) and Union Gas Limited (Union) filed submissions on the Review Application and, on 16 August 2013, TransCanada responded to those submissions.

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After considering the Review Application, and the submissions on it, the Board has decided to update the timetable of events and establish a hearing procedure that allows for cross-examination. An updated timetable of events setting out the procedural steps for the proceeding is attached as Appendix I to this letter.

The Board's reasons for its decision on the Review Application will follow.

The Board directs Union or Gaz Métro to serve a copy of this letter on the List of Parties, which is attached as Appendix II to this letter. The Board has decided to allow Nexen Energy ULC to participate in the MH-002-2013 proceeding although its submission was received after the filing deadline.

If you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact Parvez Khan, Board Counsel at 403-299-3933 (Parvez.Khan@neb-one.gc.ca) or toll free at 1-800-899-1265.

Yours truly,

for

Sheri Young

Secretary of the Board

Attachments

Appendix I

Timetable of Events

Step	Action	Person Responsible	Timing
1	Notice of Application, published and served	Applicants, TransCanada	13 August 2013
2	Notice of Intention to Participate	Interested persons	16 August 2013
3	Information Requests to Applicants	Intervenors & Board	29 August 2013
4	Responses to Information Requests	Applicants	13 September 2013
5	Motion Day	Intervenors	16 September 2013
6	Intervenors file written Evidence	Intervenors	4 October 2013
7	Information Requests to the Intervenors	Applicants, Board and Intervenors	16 October 2013
8	Responses to Information Requests	Intervenors	1 November 2013
9	Motion Day	Applicants and Intervenors	4 November 2013
10	Reply Evidence	Applicants	12 November 2013
11	Oral Hearing commences	Applicants and Intervenors	18 November 2013