



**Ontario Energy Board
Commission de l'énergie de l'Ontario**

DECISION AND ORDER ON COST AWARDS

EB-2015-0242

ENBRIDGE GAS DISTRIBUTION INC.

Application for quarterly rate adjustment mechanism

BY DELEGATION, BEFORE: Pascale Duguay

November 5, 2015

INTRODUCTION AND SUMMARY

Enbridge Gas Distribution Inc. (Enbridge) filed an application with the Ontario Energy Board (OEB) dated September 10, 2015 for an order approving or fixing rates for the sale, distribution, transmission, and storage of gas effective October 1, 2015 (application).

A Decision and Order was issued on September 24, 2015 which, among other things, directed eligible parties to file their cost claims with the OEB and Enbridge no later than October 9, 2015. Enbridge had until October 23, 2015 to object to any aspect of the costs claimed. Any responses to Enbridge's concerns were to be filed with the OEB and Enbridge by October 30, 2015.

The Canadian Manufacturers & Exporters and the Industrial Gas Users Association filed cost claims with the OEB and copied Enbridge.

On October 20, 2015, Enbridge filed a letter stating that it had no objection to the cost claims.

OEB Findings

I have reviewed the cost claims filed and found them to be reasonable and find both parties to be entitled to 100% of their reasonably incurred costs of participating in this proceeding.

THE BOARD ORDERS THAT:

Pursuant to section 30 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998*, Enbridge shall pay:

- Canadian Manufacturers & Exporters \$1,057.68
- Industrial Gas Users Association \$672.99

Pursuant to section 30 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998*, Enbridge shall pay the OEB's costs of, and incidental to, this proceeding immediately upon receipt of the OEB's invoice.

DATED at Toronto November 5, 2015

ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

Original Signed By

Kirsten Walli
Board Secretary