



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

DECISION AND ORDER

EB-2016-0261

UNIVERSAL ENERGY CORPORATION

Application for a Gas Marketer Licence

BY DELEGATION,

BEFORE: Peter Fraser
Vice President

November 24, 2016

Universal Energy Corporation (Universal Energy) filed an application on August 25, 2016 with the Ontario Energy Board (OEB), under section 50 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998* (the Act) for a Gas Marketer Licence. The licence would allow the applicant to market natural gas to low volume customers in Ontario.

A Notice of Application and Written Hearing was posted on the OEB's website on September 12, 2016. The Notice provided time for interrogatories and submissions on the application evidence, as well responses from the applicant. No parties responded to the Notice.

This Decision and Order is being issued by Delegated Authority, pursuant to Section 6 of the Act.

After considering the evidence, I find it to be in the public interest to issue a Gas Marketer licence to Universal Energy. However, I find that the licence should be conditioned. The decision and order granting Universal Energy's existing Gas Marketer licence GM-2011-0410 contained a condition that required certain information be provided to the OEB should Universal Energy intend to resume marketing natural gas under its licence. In its application, Universal Energy stated that it does not currently intend to market natural gas but that should it decide to, it will notify the OEB prior to commencement. I find that the notification required by the condition is appropriate to keep the OEB aware of the activities of this licensee.

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

1. The application for a Gas Marketer licence is granted, on such conditions as are contained in the attached licence, as well as the following condition,
 - a. Universal Energy (or Just Energy on behalf of Universal Energy) must notify the OEB if it intends to resume marketing under the authority of this licence, and with that notification, provide the following information:
 - i. The date marketing will commence;
 - ii. A description of all types of marketing that Universal Energy will use; and
 - iii. Confirmation that the requisite training of its sales representatives has been undertaken.

DATED at Toronto, November 24, 2016

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Original signed by

Peter Fraser
Vice President