



EB-2007-0897

IN THE MATTER OF the *Ontario Energy Board Act*, 1998, S.O. 1998, c.15 (Schedule B);

AND IN THE MATTER OF an application by Enbridge Gas Distribution Inc., pursuant to section 36(1) of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998*, for an order or orders approving or fixing just and reasonable rates and other charges for the sale, distribution, transmission, and storage of gas as of January 1, 2008;

AND IN THE MATTER OF the Quarterly Rate Adjustment Mechanism approved by the Ontario Energy Board in RP-2000-0040, in RP-2002-0133 and in RP-2003-0203.

BEFORE: Ken Quesnelle
Member

DECISION AND ORDER ON COST AWARDS

Background

Enbridge Gas Distribution Inc. ("EGDI" or the "Company") filed an application with the Ontario Energy Board (the "Board") dated November 30, 2007 for an order approving or fixing rates for the sale, distribution, transmission, and storage of gas effective January 1, 2008 (the "Application"). The Application was assigned file number EB-2007-0897. On December 18, 2007 the Board issued its Decision and Order in this proceeding. Parties were directed to file their cost claims with the Board and Enbridge no later than December 28, 2007.

The Board received a letter from the Industrial Gas Users Association (“IGUA”) dated December 7, 2007. In that letter, IGUA stated that it had completed its due diligence of the QRAM application, and did not object to the relief sought by the applicant. IGUA filed its cost claim with the Board, and Enbridge made no objections to the claim. The claim total is \$495.80.

The Board has reviewed the cost claim and finds that IGUA is entitled to 100% of its reasonably incurred costs of participating in this proceeding.

THE BOARD THEREFORE ORDERS THAT:

1. Pursuant to section 30 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998*, Enbridge shall immediately pay IGUA its costs equal to \$495.80.
2. Pursuant to section 30 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998*, Enbridge shall immediately pay the Board’s costs of and incidental to this proceeding immediately upon receipt of the Board’s invoice.

DATED at Toronto, June 5, 2008

ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

Original signed by

Kirsten Walli
Board Secretary