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Vince Mazzone Advisor, Application Policy & Climate Change Ontario Energy Board 2300 Yonge Street, 27<sup>th</sup> Floor Toronto, ON M4P 1E4

Dear Vince,

Enbridge Gas Distribution "Enbridge" and Union Gas "Union" are providing a joint response in regards to the ABC/DCB retailer service charges.

Enbridge and Union agree the current practices for setting the prices of existing services provided by gas distributors to energy retailers are appropriate, fair and should remain unchanged. The two participating gas distributors support their respective costing methodologies and pricing mechanisms used to determine the type of energy retailer service charges. Should the Board consider making changes to the gas distributors' current ABC/DCB programs the gas distributors request that they be able to adjust rates accordingly.

Enbridge and Union would both support a new switch letter charge of \$1.25 per letter which includes current preparation and postage costs. This could increase over time as the underlying costs increase.

Sincerely,

Rob DiMaria
Manager, Large Volume Customer Strategy
and Direct Purchase

Tom Byng Manager, Contracting and Customer Support

ENBRIDGE GAS DISTRIBUTION INC.

**UNION GAS LIMITED**