

**BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF PUBLIC  
UTILITIES OF NEW BRUNSWICK**

**IN THE MATTER** of an application by Enbridge Gas New Brunswick to replace its Small General Service rate class with separate rate classes for Small General Service Commercial, Small General Service Residential Oil and Small General Service Residential Electric

**Order**

**WHEREAS** the Board of Commissioners of Public Utilities of New Brunswick (“Board”) has received an application dated October 26, 2006 (“Application”) from Enbridge Gas New Brunswick Limited Partnership, as represented by its general partner Enbridge Gas New Brunswick Inc. (“EGNB”) for an order approving the replacement of its Small General Service (“SGS”) rate class with separate rate classes for Small General Service Commercial (“SGSC”), Small General Service Residential Oil (“SGSRO”) and Small General Service Residential Electric (“SGSRE”);

**AND WHEREAS** EGNB’s Board approved SGS monthly distribution charge is \$7.6212 per GJ (the “Distribution Rate”); the Distribution Rate is currently reduced by a Board approved Revenue Adjustment Rate Rider (the “Rider”) of \$2.1776 per GJ;

**AND WHEREAS** EGNB is not proposing to change the Distribution Rate for any of the three new classes, nor the Rider for the SGSC or SGSRO rate classes;

**AND WHEREAS** EGNB does, however, wish to increase the Rider for the SGSRE rate class to \$5.2725 per GJ, thereby reducing the effective distribution charge for the SGSRE rate class to \$2.3487 per GJ, effective January 1, 2007;

**NOW THEREFORE IT IS ORDERED THAT:**

1. Notice of the process described in paragraphs 2 through 4 be published in the form or substantially in the form attached hereto marked “A” in either the English or French language as may be appropriate having regard to the principal language of publication, once in each of the following newspapers on or before Thursday, November 2, 2006:

The Times and Transcript (Moncton)  
The Daily Gleaner (Fredericton)  
The Telegraph Journal (Saint John)  
L'Acadie Nouvelle (Caraquet)

2. Parties who wish to receive copies of the Application, information provided to the Board in support of the Application and this Order may request it at any time by contacting Denise Melanson at EGNB, 440 Wilsey Road, Suite 101, Fredericton, NB E3B 7G5 Telephone: (506) 457-7731 Telecopier: (506) 452-2868 E-Mail: denise.melanson@enbridge.com. The information is also to be available on EGNB's website at <http://www.amazingenergy.ca>.
3. Parties who intend to intervene must notify the Board and EGNB, in writing, no later than 12:00 noon on Wednesday, November 22, 2006. The Board intends to proceed by way of a written proceeding. Any party who considers that the public interest would be better served by an oral hearing must provide the reasons why, in writing, to the Board and EGNB with its notice of intervention.
4. A Pre-Hearing Conference shall be held at the Board's offices, 15 Market Square, Suite 1400, Saint John, New Brunswick, on Friday, November 24, 2006 commencing at 10:00 in the forenoon, when and where interested parties may attend and make representations as to the procedure to be followed, the reasoning for an oral hearing and as to any other relevant matters.

**DATED** at the City of Saint John, New Brunswick, this 27<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2006.

**BY THE BOARD**

*(original signed by)*

David S. Nelson  
Chairman (Acting)

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