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THE PUBLIC UTILITIES BOARD OF MANITOBA
400-330 Portage Avenue
Winnipeg, Manitoba
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ATTENTION: Mr. H. M. Singh, Board Secretary and Executive Director

Dear Mr. Singh:

**RE: CENTRA GAS MANITOBA INC.
TRANSPORTATION & STORAGE PORTFOLIO APPLICATION**

Please find attached six (6) copies of Centra Gas Manitoba Inc.'s ("Centra") Transportation & Storage Portfolio Application.

Centra Gas Manitoba Inc. ("Centra") is applying to the Public Utilities Board of Manitoba (the "PUB") in accordance with Order 65/11 for an Order approving the fixed costs associated with the proposed contractual arrangements for natural gas storage and related inter-state transportation with the ANR Pipeline Company ("ANR") and the Great Lakes Gas Transmission Limited Partnership ("GLGT").

The proposed arrangements provide for total annual storage capacity of 15,500,000 GJ with 217,764 GJ/day of storage deliverability, with related pipeline capacity on GLGT and ANR. The total annual fixed cost for these arrangements is approximately \$14.0 million USD, which will remain fixed for each year of the seven year term beginning April 1, 2013. The fixed cost of these arrangements is approximately \$3.0 million USD less than the fixed cost related to the current U.S. transportation and storage portfolio.

Copies of Centra's submission have also been provided to the PUB advisors. We will await the direction of the PUB with respect to distribution of this Application to interested parties. Should you have any questions regarding this submission please contact the writer at 360-3257 or Willy Derksen at 360-3671.

Yours truly,

MANITOBA HYDRO LAW DEPARTMENT

Per:

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'B. Czarnecki', with a stylized flourish at the end.

Brent A. Czarnecki
Barrister & Solicitor

Att.

cc: Mr. B. Peters, Fillmore Riley
Mr. R. Cathcart, Cathcart Advisors Inc.
Mr. B. Ryall, Energy Consultants Inc.