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\*Date that subsections 3(6) and (7) and Sections 11 and 13 of the *Regulations Act* and amendments to the *Regulations Act* made by Chapter 46 of the Acts of 2004 were proclaimed in force.

**N.S. Reg. 321/2013**

Made: October 24, 2013

Filed: October 25, 2013

Prescribed Petroleum Products Prices

Order dated October 24, 2013  
made by the Nova Scotia Utility and Review Board  
pursuant to Section 14 of the *Petroleum Products Pricing Act*  
and Sections 16 to 19 of the *Petroleum Products Pricing Regulations*

**Order****NSUARB-GAS-W-13-43****In the Matter of the *Petroleum Products Pricing Act*****- and -**

**In the Matter of Prescribing Prices for Petroleum Products  
pursuant to Section 14 of the *Petroleum Products Pricing Act* and  
Sections 16 to 19 of the *Petroleum Products Pricing Regulations***

**Before:** Roberta J. Clarke, Q.C., Member**Order**

**Whereas** the purpose of the *Petroleum Products Pricing Regulations* is to ensure just and reasonable prices for specified petroleum products taking into consideration the objectives of preserving the availability of such products in rural areas, stabilizing prices of such products and minimizing the variances in prices of such products across the Province;

**And whereas** the Nova Scotia Utility and Review Board (“Board”) considered the manner in which it would proceed to set petroleum prices in its decision, 2006 NSUARB 108, issued on October 16, 2006;

**And whereas** the Board revised the retail margin and transportation allowance effective January 6, 2012, in its decision, 2011 NSUARB 181, issued on November 23, 2011;

**And whereas** the Board revised the wholesale margin effective January 4, 2013, in its decision 2012 NSUARB 213, issued on December 12, 2012;

**And whereas** the average of the average of the daily high and low reported product prices (in Canadian cents) for the week ended October 23, 2013, are:

Grade 1 Regular gasoline	72.9¢ per litre
Ultra-low-sulfur diesel oil	81.4¢ per litre

**Now therefore** the Board prescribes the benchmark prices for petroleum products to be:

Gasoline:	
Grade 1	72.9¢ per litre
Grade 2	75.9¢ per litre
Grade 3	78.9¢ per litre
Ultra-low-sulfur diesel oil	81.4¢ per litre

**And now therefore** the Board has determined, based on historical data regarding price changes and to achieve revenue neutrality, it is appropriate to apply, and the Board so orders, forward averaging corrections of:

Gasoline:	minus 0.6¢ per litre
Ultra-low-sulfur diesel oil:	minus 0.5¢ per litre

**And whereas** a winter blending adjustment of plus 3.2¢ per litre is required for ultra-low-sulfur diesel oil;

**And now therefore** the Board prescribes the prices for petroleum products as set forth in Schedule “A” effective on and after 12:01 a.m., October 25, 2013.

Dated at Halifax, Nova Scotia, this 24th day of October, 2013.

Sgd: Elaine Wagner  
Clerk of the Board

**Schedule "A"**

**Prices Prescribed for Petroleum Products  
under the *Petroleum Products Pricing Act* and the  
*Petroleum Products Pricing Regulations*  
effective on and after 12:01 a.m. on October 25, 2013**

Nova Scotia Petroleum Price Schedule								
Petroleum Prices in Cents/Litre					Self-Service Pump Prices		Full-Service Pump Prices	
					(Pump Prices includes 15% HST)			
	Base Wholesale Price	Fed. Excise Tax	Prov. Tax	Wholesale Selling Price	Min	Max	Min	Max
<b>Zone 1</b>								
Regular Unleaded	79.5	10.0	15.5	105.0	126.3	128.3	126.3	999.9
Mid-Grade Unleaded	82.5	10.0	15.5	108.0	129.7	131.8	129.7	999.9
Premium Unleaded	85.5	10.0	15.5	111.0	133.2	135.2	133.2	999.9
Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel	91.2	4.0	15.4	110.6	132.7	134.8	132.7	999.9
<b>Zone 2</b>								
Regular Unleaded	80.0	10.0	15.5	105.5	126.8	128.9	126.8	999.9
Mid-Grade Unleaded	83.0	10.0	15.5	108.5	130.3	132.4	130.3	999.9
Premium Unleaded	86.0	10.0	15.5	111.5	133.7	135.8	133.7	999.9
Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel	91.7	4.0	15.4	111.1	133.3	135.4	133.3	999.9
<b>Zone 3</b>								
Regular Unleaded	80.4	10.0	15.5	105.9	127.3	129.4	127.3	999.9
Mid-Grade Unleaded	83.4	10.0	15.5	108.9	130.8	132.8	130.8	999.9
Premium Unleaded	86.4	10.0	15.5	111.9	134.2	136.3	134.2	999.9
Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel	92.1	4.0	15.4	111.5	133.7	135.8	133.7	999.9
<b>Zone 4</b>								
Regular Unleaded	80.5	10.0	15.5	106.0	127.4	129.5	127.4	999.9
Mid-Grade Unleaded	83.5	10.0	15.5	109.0	130.9	132.9	130.9	999.9
Premium Unleaded	86.5	10.0	15.5	112.0	134.3	136.4	134.3	999.9
Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel	92.2	4.0	15.4	111.6	133.9	135.9	133.9	999.9
<b>Zone 5</b>								
Regular Unleaded	80.5	10.0	15.5	106.0	127.4	129.5	127.4	999.9
Mid-Grade Unleaded	83.5	10.0	15.5	109.0	130.9	132.9	130.9	999.9
Premium Unleaded	86.5	10.0	15.5	112.0	134.3	136.4	134.3	999.9
Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel	92.2	4.0	15.4	111.6	133.9	135.9	133.9	999.9
<b>Zone 6</b>								
Regular Unleaded	81.2	10.0	15.5	106.7	128.2	130.3	128.2	999.9
Mid-Grade Unleaded	84.2	10.0	15.5	109.7	131.7	133.7	131.7	999.9
Premium Unleaded	87.2	10.0	15.5	112.7	135.1	137.2	135.1	999.9
Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel	92.9	4.0	15.4	112.3	134.7	136.7	134.7	999.9

**N.S. Reg. 322/2013**

Made: October 22, 2013

Filed: October 25, 2013

Proclamation summoning the General Assembly to meet on October 24, 2013

PROVINCE OF NOVA SCOTIA

sgd: *J.J. Grant*

G/S

ELIZABETH THE SECOND, by the Grace of God,  
of the United Kingdom, Canada and Her Other  
Realms and Territories, Queen, Head of the  
Commonwealth, Defender of the Faith.

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME, OR WHOM THE SAME MAY IN ANY WISE  
CONCERN,

GREETING:

**A PROCLAMATION**

WHEREAS in and by Our Writs for the election of Members to serve in the House of Assembly for the several Electoral Districts of the Province bearing date the 7th day of September, 2013, the respective Returning Officers of the said Districts are commanded to summon the persons elected according to the exigency of the said Writs to attend the General Assembly of Nova Scotia at such time and place as We shall notify by Proclamation for that purpose;

NOW KNOW YE THAT WE, being desirous and resolved as soon as may be to meet Our People of Our Province of Nova Scotia and to have their advice in General Assembly do hereby, by and with the advice of Our Executive Council for Nova Scotia, appoint Thursday, the 24th day of October, next, at Halifax, in the Halifax Regional Municipality, for the meeting of the General Assembly of Nova Scotia;

AND WE DO HEREBY require the Members who were elected to serve in the House of Assembly to attend in General Assembly on that day at Halifax, in the Halifax Regional Municipality aforesaid, of which they and all others concerned are to take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF We have caused these  
our Letters to be made Patent and the  
Great Seal of Nova Scotia to be  
hereunto affixed.

WITNESS, Our Trusty and Well Beloved His Honour  
Brigadier-General The Honourable J.J. Grant  
(Retired) Lieutenant Governor of the Province  
of Nova Scotia.

AT Annapolis Royal, Nova Scotia, this 22th [*sic*] day of  
October, in the year of Our Lord two thousand  
and thirteen and in the sixty-second year of  
Our Reign.

BY COMMAND:

Sgd: *Lena M. Diab*  
Provincial Secretary  
Minister of Justice and Attorney General

**N.S. Reg. 323/2013**

Made: October 31, 2013

Filed: November 1, 2013

Prescribed Petroleum Products Prices

Order dated October 31, 2013  
made by the Nova Scotia Utility and Review Board  
pursuant to Section 14 of the *Petroleum Products Pricing Act*  
and Sections 16 to 19 of the *Petroleum Products Pricing Regulations*

**Order****NSUARB-GAS-W-13-44****In the Matter of the *Petroleum Products Pricing Act*****- and -****In the Matter of Prescribing Prices for Petroleum Products  
pursuant to Section 14 of the *Petroleum Products Pricing Act* and  
Sections 16 to 19 of the *Petroleum Products Pricing Regulations*****Before:** Roland A. Deveau, Q.C., Vice-Chair**Order**

**Whereas** the purpose of the *Petroleum Products Pricing Regulations* is to ensure just and reasonable prices for specified petroleum products taking into consideration the objectives of preserving the availability of such products in rural areas, stabilizing prices of such products and minimizing the variances in prices of such products across the Province;

**And whereas** the Nova Scotia Utility and Review Board (“Board”) considered the manner in which it would proceed to set petroleum prices in its decision, 2006 NSUARB 108, issued on October 16, 2006;

**And whereas** the Board revised the retail margin and transportation allowance effective January 6, 2012, in its decision, 2011 NSUARB 181, issued on November 23, 2011;

**And whereas** the Board revised the wholesale margin effective January 4, 2013, in its decision 2012 NSUARB 213, issued on December 12, 2012;

**And whereas** the average of the average of the daily high and low reported product prices (in Canadian cents) for the week ended October 30, 2013, are:

Grade 1 Regular gasoline	73.2¢ per litre
Ultra-low-sulfur diesel oil	81.1¢ per litre

**Now therefore** the Board prescribes the benchmark prices for petroleum products to be:

Gasoline:	
Grade 1	73.2¢ per litre
Grade 2	76.2¢ per litre
Grade 3	79.2¢ per litre
Ultra-low-sulfur diesel oil	81.1¢ per litre

**And now therefore** the Board has determined, based on historical data regarding price changes and to achieve revenue neutrality, it is appropriate to apply, and the Board so orders, forward averaging corrections of:

Gasoline:	minus 0.3¢ per litre
Ultra-low-sulfur diesel oil:	minus 0.2¢ per litre

**And whereas** a winter blending adjustment of plus 4.5¢ per litre is required for ultra-low-sulfur diesel oil;

**And now therefore** the Board prescribes the prices for petroleum products as set forth in Schedule “A” effective on and after 12:01 a.m., November 1, 2013.

Dated at Halifax, Nova Scotia, this 31st day of October, 2013.

Sgd: Elaine Wagner  
Clerk of the Board

**Schedule "A"**

**Prices Prescribed for Petroleum Products  
under the *Petroleum Products Pricing Act* and the  
*Petroleum Products Pricing Regulations*  
effective on and after 12:01 a.m. on November 1, 2013**

<b>Nova Scotia Petroleum Price Schedule</b>								
<b>Petroleum Prices in Cents/Litre</b>					<b>Self-Service Pump Prices</b>		<b>Full-Service Pump Prices</b>	
					<b>(Pump Prices includes 15% HST)</b>			
	<b>Base Wholesale Price</b>	<b>Fed. Excise Tax</b>	<b>Prov. Tax</b>	<b>Wholesale Selling Price</b>	<b>Min</b>	<b>Max</b>	<b>Min</b>	<b>Max</b>
<b>Zone 1</b>								
Regular Unleaded	80.1	10.0	15.5	105.6	127.0	129.0	127.0	999.9
Mid-Grade Unleaded	83.1	10.0	15.5	108.6	130.4	132.5	130.4	999.9
Premium Unleaded	86.1	10.0	15.5	111.6	133.9	135.9	133.9	999.9
Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel	92.6	4.0	15.4	112.0	134.3	136.4	134.3	999.9
<b>Zone 2</b>								
Regular Unleaded	80.6	10.0	15.5	106.1	127.5	129.6	127.6	999.9
Mid-Grade Unleaded	83.6	10.0	15.5	109.1	131.0	133.1	131.0	999.9
Premium Unleaded	86.6	10.0	15.5	112.1	134.4	136.5	134.4	999.9
Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel	93.1	4.0	15.4	112.5	134.9	137.0	134.9	999.9
<b>Zone 3</b>								
Regular Unleaded	81.0	10.0	15.5	106.5	128.0	130.1	128.0	999.9
Mid-Grade Unleaded	84.0	10.0	15.5	109.5	131.4	133.5	131.4	999.9
Premium Unleaded	87.0	10.0	15.5	112.5	134.9	137.0	134.9	999.9
Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel	93.5	4.0	15.4	112.9	135.4	137.4	135.4	999.9
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Regular Unleaded	81.1	10.0	15.5	106.6	128.1	130.2	128.1	999.9
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Premium Unleaded	87.1	10.0	15.5	112.6	135.0	137.1	135.0	999.9
Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel	93.6	4.0	15.4	113.0	135.5	137.5	135.5	999.9
<b>Zone 5</b>								
Regular Unleaded	81.1	10.0	15.5	106.6	128.1	130.2	128.1	999.9
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Premium Unleaded	87.1	10.0	15.5	112.6	135.0	137.1	135.0	999.9
Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel	93.6	4.0	15.4	113.0	135.5	137.5	135.5	999.9
<b>Zone 6</b>								
Regular Unleaded	81.8	10.0	15.5	107.3	128.9	131.0	128.9	999.9
Mid-Grade Unleaded	84.8	10.0	15.5	110.3	132.4	134.4	132.4	999.9
Premium Unleaded	87.8	10.0	15.5	113.3	135.8	137.9	135.8	999.9
Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel	94.3	4.0	15.4	113.7	136.3	138.3	136.3	999.9