

## Part II Regulations under the Regulations Act

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**In force date of regulations:** As of March 4, 2005\*, the date a regulation comes into force is determined by subsection 3(6) of the *Regulations Act*. The date a regulation is made, the date a regulation is approved, the date a regulation is filed and any date specified in a regulation are important to determine when the regulation is in force.

\*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. 91/2014

Made: June 17, 2014 Filed: June 19, 2014

**Summary Offence Tickets Regulations** 

Order dated June 17, 2014

Amendment to regulations made by the Minister of Justice and Attorney General pursuant to Section 8 of the *Summary Proceedings Act* 

#### Order

Made under Section 8 of Chapter 450 of the Revised Statutes of Nova Scotia, 1989, the Summary Proceedings Act

I, Lena Metlege Diab, Attorney General and Minister of Justice for the Province of Nova Scotia, pursuant to Section 8 of Chapter 450 of the Revised Statutes of Nova Scotia, 1989, the *Summary Proceedings Act*, hereby

- (a) amend the *Summary Offence Tickets Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 281/2011, made by order of the Attorney General and Minister of Justice dated October 4, 2011, to designate an offence under the *Fish Harvester Organizations Support Act* as a summary offence ticket offence, in the manner set forth in the attached Schedule "A"; and
- (b) order and direct that the penalty to be entered on a summons in respect of an offence set out in amendments to the schedules to the *Summary Offence Tickets Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 281/2011, as set forth in the attached Schedule "A", is the out-of-court settlement amount listed in the out-of-court settlement column set out opposite the description for the offence, and includes the charge provided for in, and in accordance with, Sections 8 and 9 of the Act.

This Order is effective on and after the date it is made.

Dated and made June 17, 2014, at Halifax, Halifax Regional Municipality, Province of Nova Scotia.

sgd.: *Lena M. Diab* Honourable Lena Metlege Diab Attorney General and Minister of Justice

#### Schedule "A"

Amendment to the Summary Offence Tickets Regulations
made by the Attorney General and Minister of Justice pursuant to Section 8
of Chapter 450 of the Revised Statutes of Nova Scotia, 1989,
the Summary Proceedings Act

The *Summary Offence Tickets Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 281/2011, made by order of the Attorney General and Minister of Justice dated October 4, 2011, are amended by adding the following Schedule immediately after Schedule 39:

	Schedule 40 Fish Harvester Organizations Support Act				
	Offence	Section	Out of Court Settlement		
1	Failing to pay annual dues first offence subsequent offence	14(1)	\$1268.95 \$2993.95		

#### N.S. Reg. 92/2014

Made: June 19, 2014 Filed: June 23, 2014

Prescribed Petroleum Products Prices

Order dated June 19, 2014
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-14-26

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:** Kulvinder S. Dhillon, P. Eng., 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 June 18, 2014, are:

Grade 1 Regular gasoline 84.4¢ per litre Ultra-low-sulfur diesel oil 86.1¢ per litre

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

#### Gasoline:

 $\begin{array}{ccc} \text{Grade 1} & 84.4 \text{¢ per litre} \\ \text{Grade 2} & 87.4 \text{¢ per litre} \\ \text{Grade 3} & 90.4 \text{¢ per litre} \\ \text{Ultra-low-sulfur diesel oil} & 86.1 \text{¢ per litre} \end{array}$ 

**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: plus  $0.4\phi$  per litre Ultra-low-sulfur diesel oil: plus  $0.6\phi$  per litre

**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., June 20, 2014.

Dated at Halifax, Nova Scotia, this 19th day of June, 2014.

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 June 20, 2014

Nova Scotia Petroleum Price Schedule								
<b>Petroleum Prices in Cent</b>	Petroleum Prices in Cents/Litre				Self-Service Pump Prices			Service Prices
					(Pump	Prices inc	clude <del>s</del> 15	% HST)
	Base Wholesale Price	Fed. Excise Tax	Prov. Tax	Wholesale Selling Price	Min	Max	Min	Max
Zone 1								
Regular Unleaded	91.9	10.0	15.5	117.4	140.5	142.6	140.5	999.9
Mid-Grade Unleaded	94.9	10.0	15.5	120.4	144.0	146.0	144.0	999.9
Premium Unleaded	97.9	10.0	15.5	123.4	147.4	149.5	147.4	999.9
Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel	93.8	4.0	15.4	113.2	135.7	137.8	135.7	999.9
Zone 2								
Regular Unleaded	92.4	10.0	15.5	117.9	141.1	143.2	141.1	999.9
Mid-Grade Unleaded	95.4	10.0	15.5	120.9	144.6	146.6	144.6	999.9
Premium Unleaded	98.4	10.0	15.5	123.9	148.0	150.1	148.0	999.9
Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel	94.3	4.0	15.4	113.7	136.3	138.3	136.3	999.9
Zone 3								
Regular Unleaded	92.8	10.0	15.5	118.3	141.6	143.6	141.6	999.9
Mid-Grade Unleaded	95.8	10.0	15.5	121.3	145.0	147.1	145.0	999.9
Premium Unleaded	98.8	10.0	15.5	124.3	148.5	150.5	148.5	999.9
Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel	94.7	4.0	15.4	114.1	136.7	138.8	136.7	999.9

Zone 4								
Regular Unleaded	92.9	10.0	15.5	118.4	141.7	143.8	141.7	999.9
Mid-Grade Unleaded	95.9	10.0	15.5	121.4	145.1	147.2	145.1	999.9
Premium Unleaded	98.9	10.0	15.5	124.4	148.6	150.6	148.6	999.9
Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel	94.8	4.0	15.4	114.2	136.8	138.9	136.8	999.9
Zone 5								
Regular Unleaded	92.9	10.0	15.5	118.4	141.7	143.8	141.7	999.9
Mid-Grade Unleaded	95.9	10.0	15.5	121.4	145.1	147.2	145.1	999.9
Premium Unleaded	98.9	10.0	15.5	124.4	148.6	150.6	148.6	999.9
Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel	94.8	4.0	15.4	114.2	136.8	138.9	136.8	999.9
Zone 6								
Regular Unleaded	93.6	10.0	15.5	119.1	142.5	144.6	142.5	999.9
Mid-Grade Unleaded	96.6	10.0	15.5	122.1	145.9	148.0	145.9	999.9
Premium Unleaded	99.6	10.0	15.5	125.1	149.4	151.5	149.4	999.9
Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel	95.5	4.0	15.4	114.9	137.7	139.7	137.7	999.9

#### N.S. Reg. 93/2014

Made: June 16 and June 19, 2014

Filed: June 23, 2014

Teachers' Pension Plan Regulations

Order dated June 16 and June 19, 2014

Amendment to regulations made by the Minister of Finance and the Nova Scotia Teachers' Union pursuant to Sections 14 and 20 of the *Teachers' Pension Act* 

### Memorandum of Agreement between

Her Majesty the Queen in Right of the Province of Nova Scotia represented by the Minister of Finance

and

The Nova Scotia Teachers' Union a body corporate continued pursuant to the *Teaching Profession Act*, being Chapter 462 [of the] Revised Statutes [of Nova Scotia,] 1989

Whereas Sections 14 and 20 of Chapter 26 of the Acts of 1998, the *Teachers' Pension Act*, provides that the Minister of Finance ("the Minister") and the Nova Scotia Teachers' Union ("the Union") may make regulations setting out the terms of the Teachers' Pension Plan ("the Pension Plan");

**And whereas** the *Teachers' Pension Plan Regulations* ("the Regulations") were made as of March 31, 1999, as Nova Scotia Regulation 88/99;

**And whereas** the By-laws of the Union, as amended by Resolution 2000–15, authorize the Executive of the Union to exercise on behalf of the Union the powers of the Union under the *Teachers' Pension Act*;

**And whereas** by resolution of the Executive of the Union dated May 26, 2014, the Executive approved the amendments to the Regulations (Section 5) as set out in Schedule "A" attached hereto and authorized the President of the Union to sign the amendments to the Regulations on behalf of the Executive;

The Minister and the Union hereby make the amendments to the Regulations in the form and manner attached hereto as Schedule "A", effective on and after August 1, 2014.

Signed and sealed in the presence of:

Sgd.: Joan Collier	)	Sgd.: Diana Whalen
Witness	)	Honourable Diana C. Whalen
	)	Minister of Finance and Treasury Board
	)	
	)	June 19, 2014
	)	Date
	)	
	)	
Sgd.: Joan Ling	)	Sgd.: Shelley G. Morse
Witness	)	Shelley Morse
	)	President, Nova Scotia Teachers' Union
	)	
	)	June 16, 2014
	)	Date

#### Schedule "A"

Amendments to the Teachers' Pension Plan Regulations
(Section 5)
made pursuant to Sections 14 and 20
of the Acts of 1998, c. 26,
the Teachers' Pension Act

- 1 Add new subsection 5(2) as follows:
  - **5**(2) Despite subsection 5(1), effective August 1, 2014, every employed member shall contribute to the Fund the sum of
    - (a) 9.3% of the portion of the member's annual pensionable earnings that are equal to or less than the Y.M.P.E.; and
    - (b) 10.9% of the portion of the member's annual pensionable earnings that are in excess of the Y.M.P.E.
- 2 Add new subsection 5(2A) as follows:
  - **5(2A)** Despite subsections 5(1) and 5(2), effective August 1, 2015, every employed member shall contribute to the Fund the sum of
    - (a) 10.3% of the portion of the member's annual pensionable earnings that are equal to or less than the Y.M.P.E.; and
    - (b) 11.9% of the portion of the member's annual pensionable earnings that are in excess of the Y.M.P.E.

- 3 Add new subsection 5(2B) as follows:
  - **5(2B)** Despite subsections 5(1), 5(2) and 5(2A), effective August 1, 2016, every employed member shall contribute to the Fund the sum of
    - (a) 11.3% of the portion of the member's annual pensionable earnings that are equal to or less than the Y.M.P.E.; and
    - (b) 12.9% of the portion of the member's annual pensionable earnings that are in excess of the Y.M.P.E.

#### N.S. Reg. 94/2014

Made: June 16 and June 19, 2014

Filed: June 23, 2014

Teachers' Pension Plan Regulations

Order dated June 16 and June 19, 2014
Amendment to regulations made by the Minister of Finance and the Nova Scotia Teachers' Union pursuant to Sections 14 and 20 of the *Teachers' Pension Act* 

## Memorandum of Agreement between

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Whereas Sections 14 and 20 of Chapter 26 of the Acts of 1998, the *Teachers' Pension Act*, provides that the Minister of Finance ("the Minister") and the Nova Scotia Teachers' Union ("the Union") may make regulations setting out the terms of the Teachers' Pension Plan ("the Pension Plan");

**And whereas** the *Teachers' Pension Plan Regulations* ("the Regulations") were made as of March 31, 1999, as Nova Scotia Regulation 88/99;

**And whereas** the By-laws of the Union, as amended by Resolution 2000–15, authorize the Executive of the Union to exercise on behalf of the Union the powers of the Union under the *Teachers' Pension Act*;

And whereas by resolution of the Executive of the Union dated May 26, 2014, the Executive approved the amendments to the Regulations (subsections 5(2C), 5(2D) and 17(2A) and clauses 5(3)(a), 5(3)(b) and 31(1)(ai)) as set out in Schedule "A" attached hereto and authorized the President of the Union to sign the amendments to the Regulations on behalf of the Executive;

The Minister and the Union hereby make the amendments to the Regulations in the form and manner attached hereto as Schedule "A", effective on and after August 1, 2014.

Signed and sealed in the presence of:

Sgd.: <i>Joan Collier</i>	) Sgd.: Diana Whalen
Witness	) Honourable Diana C. Whalen
	) Minister of Finance and Treasury Board
	)
	) June 19, 2014
	) Date
	)
	)
Sgd.: Joan Ling	) Sgd.: Shelley G. Morse
Witness	) Shelley Morse
	) President, Nova Scotia Teachers' Union
	)
	) June 16, 2014
	) Date

#### Schedule "A"

Amendments to the *Teachers' Pension Plan Regulations* (subsections 5(2C), 5(2D) and 17(2A) and clauses 5(3)(a), 5(3)(b) and 31(1)(ai)) made pursuant to Sections 14 and 20 of the Acts of 1998, c. 26, the *Teachers' Pension Act* 

- 1 Add subsection 5(2C) as follows:
  - A member who commences receiving Union Long Term Disability Insurance benefits on or after August 1, 2014 shall contribute to the Fund and accumulate pensionable service on the same basis as an employed member who is in receipt of pensionable earnings from a participating employer.
- 2 Add subsection 5(2D) as follows:
  - A member who is contributing to the Fund under subsection (2C) shall make contributions based on the pensionable earnings they would receive for the position they held immediately prior to being absent from duty on unpaid sick leave or commencing to receive Union Long Term Disability Insurance benefits.
- Repeal clause 5(3)(a) and replace with:
  - 5(3)(a) The Minister shall match the contributions made by members employed by school boards, the Union or the Canadian Teachers' Federation, including members who are contributing to the Fund under subsection (2C).
- 4 Repeal clause 5(3)(b) and replace with:
  - **5(3)(b)** Participating employers other than those in clause (a) shall match the contributions made by the members they employ, including members who are contributing to the Fund under subsection (2C).

- 5 Add subsection 17(2A) as follows:
  - **17**(2A) Despite subsections (1) and (2), no application for a disability pension shall be received by the Plan administrator after July 31, 2014 unless the applicant was absent from duty on unpaid sick leave as at June 30, 2014 and the application is made before August 1, 2016.
- 6 Add clause 31(1)(ai) as follows:
  - 31(1)(ai) Despite clause (a), a member who commences receiving Union Long Term Disability Insurance benefits on or after August 1, 2014 may purchase a period of pensionable service equal to the period during which the member was absent from duty on unpaid sick leave without being subsequently re-employed for a period of not fewer than 50 days in a school year.

#### N.S. Reg. 95/2014

Made: June 17, 2014 Filed: June 24, 2014

Designation of the Nova Scotia Pension Agency as a Special Operating Agency

Order in Council 2014-212 dated June 17, 2014 Revocation of designation made by the Governor in Council pursuant to Section 16 of the *Public Service Act* 

The Governor in Council on the report and recommendation of the Minister of Finance and Treasury Board dated May 21, 2014, and pursuant to Section 16 of Chapter 376 of the Revised Statutes of Nova Scotia, 1989, the *Public Service Act*, and clause 19(f) of Chapter 235 of the Revised Statutes of Nova Scotia, 1989, the *Interpretation Act*, is pleased to effective June 17, 2014:

- (a) revoke the designation of Nova Scotia Pension Agency as a special operating agency, which designation was approved by Order in Council 2006-97, dated February 10, 2006; and [Clause (a) filed as N.S. Reg. 95/2014.]
- (b) revoke the operating charter of Nova Scotia Pension Agency, the establishment of which was approved by Order in Council 2008-327, dated June 17, 2008.

N.S. Reg. 96/2014

Made: June 24, 2014 Filed: June 24, 2014

Proclamation, S. 27, S.N.S. 2014, c. 3

Order in Council 2014-223 dated June 24, 2014
Proclamation made by the Governor in Council
pursuant to Section 27 of the
Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications System Reform (2014) Act

The Governor in Council on the report and recommendation of the Minister of Labour and Advanced Education dated June 6, 2014, and pursuant to Section 27 of Chapter 3 of the Acts of 2014, the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications System Reform (2014) Act*, is pleased to order and declare by proclamation that Chapter 3 of the Acts of 2014, the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications System Reform (2014) Act*, do come into force on and not before July 1, 2014.

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 Section 27 of Chapter 3 of the Acts of 2014, the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications System Reform (2014) Act*, it is enacted as follows:

27 This Act comes into force on such day as the Governor in Council orders and declares by proclamation.

AND WHEREAS it is deemed expedient that Chapter 3 of the Acts of 2014, the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications System Reform (2014) Act*, do come into force on and not before July 1, 2014;

NOW KNOW YE THAT WE, by and with the advice of the Executive Council of Nova Scotia, do by this Our Proclamation order and declare that Chapter 3 of the Acts of 2014, the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications System Reform (2014) Act*, do come into force on and not before July 1, 2014, of which all persons 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 Our Government House in the Halifax Regional Municipality, this 24th day of June in the year of Our Lord two thousand and fourteen and in the sixty-third year of Our Reign.

BY COMMAND:

sgd: Lena Metlege DiabProvincial SecretaryMinister of Justice and Attorney General

#### N.S. Reg. 97/2014

Made: June 24, 2014 Filed: June 24, 2014

Designation of the Nova Scotia Apprenticeship Agency as a Special Operating Agency

Order in Council 2014-224 dated June 24, 2014 Designation made by the Governor in Council pursuant to Section 16 of the *Public Service Act* 

The Governor in Council on the report and recommendation of the Minister of Labour and Advanced Education dated April 15, 2014, and pursuant to Section 16 of Chapter 376 of the Revised Statutes of Nova Scotia, 1989, the *Public Service Act*, is pleased to:

- (a) designate the Apprenticeship Training Division of the Skills and Learning Branch, Department of Labour and Advanced Education, as a special operating agency, to be known as the Nova Scotia Apprenticeship Agency, effective as of July 1, 2014; and [Clause (a) filed as N.S. Reg. 97/2014.]
- (b) establish an operating charter for the Nova Scotia Apprenticeship Agency in the form set forth in Schedule "A" attached to and forming part of the report and recommendation, effective as of July 1, 2014.

N.S. Reg. 98/2014

Made: June 24, 2014 Filed: June 24, 2014

Proclamation, S. 17, S.N.S. 2010, c. 31

Order in Council 2014-225 dated June 24, 2014 Proclamation made by the Governor in Council pursuant to Section 17 of the Adult Learning Act

The Governor in Council on the report and recommendation of the Minister of Labour and Advanced Education dated May 14, 2014, and pursuant to Section 17 of Chapter 31 of the Acts of 2010, the *Adult Learning Act*, is pleased to order and declare by proclamation that Chapter 31 of the Acts of 2010, the *Adult Learning Act*, do come into force on and not before June 24, 2014.

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 Section 17 of Chapter 31 of the Acts of 2010, the *Adult Learning Act*, it is enacted as follows:

17 This Act comes into force on such day as the Governor in Council orders and declares by proclamation.

AND WHEREAS it is deemed expedient that Chapter 31 of the Acts of 2010, the *Adult Learning Act*, do come into force on and not before June 24, 2014;

NOW KNOW YE THAT WE, by and with the advice of the Executive Council of Nova Scotia, do by this Our Proclamation order and declare that Chapter 31 of the Acts of 2010, the *Adult Learning Act*, do come into force on and not before June 24, 2014, of which all persons 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 Our Government House in the Halifax Regional Municipality, this 24th day of June in the year of Our Lord two thousand and fourteen and in the sixty-third year of Our Reign.

BY COMMAND:

**sgd: Lena Metlege Diab**Provincial Secretary
Minister of Justice and Attorney General

#### N.S. Reg. 99/2014

Made: June 24, 2014 Filed: June 24, 2014

Bear Head L.N.G. Plant Municipal Property Taxation Regulations

Order in Council 2014-227 dated June 24, 2014
Amendment to regulations made by the Governor in Council pursuant to Section 5 of the *Oil Refineries and L.N.G. Plants Municipal Taxation Act* 

The Governor in Council on the report and recommendation of the Minister of Municipal Affairs dated May 28, 2014, and pursuant to Section 5 of Chapter 8 of the Acts of 2004, the *Oil Refineries and L.N.G. Plants Municipal Taxation Act*, is pleased to amend the *Bear Head L.N.G. Plant Municipal Property Taxation Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 209/2004, made by the Governor in Council by Order in Council 2004-382 dated September 23, 2004, to update provisions respecting the amount of municipal taxes payable before commercial operations commence, in the manner set forth in Schedule "A" attached to and forming part of the report and recommendation, effective July 1, 2014.

#### Schedule "A"

Amendment to the Bear Head L.N.G. Plant Municipal Property Taxation Regulations made under Section 5 of Chapter 8 of the Acts of 2004, the Oil Refineries and L.N.G. Plants Municipal Taxation Act

Section 4 of the *Bear Head L.N.G. Plant Municipal Property Taxation Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 209/2004, made by Governor in Council by Order in Council [2004-382] dated September 23, 2004, is repealed and the following Section substituted:

#### Municipal taxes payable before commercial operations commence

- The amount of municipal taxes payable with respect to the Bear Head L.N.G. Plant before the municipal taxation year in which commercial operations commence at the plant is based on the commercial rate of taxation multiplied by the assessed value of the plant and the property where the plant is located, commencing July 1, 2014.
- 2 Clause 5(2)(a) of the regulations is repealed and the following clause substituted:
  - (a) the municipal taxes payable with respect to the plant for the first municipal taxation year in which commercial operations commence at the plant are prorated as follows:
    - (i) during the part of the year in which the plant is engaged in commercial operations, based on the amount payable under subsection (1),

(ii) during the part of the year in which the plant is not engaged in commercial operations, based on the amount payable under Section 4; and

#### N.S. Reg. 100/2014

Made: June 26, 2014 Filed: June 26, 2014

Nova Scotia Child Benefit Regulations

Order in Council 2014-229 dated June 26, 2014 Amendment to regulations made by the Governor in Council pursuant to Section 80 of the *Income Tax Act* 

The Governor in Council on the report and recommendation of the Minister of Finance and Treasury Board and the Minister of Community Services dated June 6, 2014, and pursuant to Section 80 of Chapter 217 of the Revised Statutes of Nova Scotia, 1989, the *Income Tax Act*, is pleased to amend the *Nova Scotia Child Benefit Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 62/98, made by the Governor in Council by Order in Council 1998-430 dated August 28, 1998, to increase [the] upper income threshold for the Nova Scotia Child Benefit, in the manner set forth in Schedule "A" attached to and forming part of the report and recommendation, effective on and after July 1, 2014.

#### Schedule "A"

Amendment to the *Nova Scotia Child Benefit Regulations*made by the Governor in Council under Section 80 of Chapter 217 of
the Revised Statutes of Nova Scotia, 1989, the *Income Tax Act* 

- Clause 2(b) of the *Nova Scotia Child Benefit Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 62/98, made by the Governor in Council by Order in Council 1998-430 dated August 28, 1998, is repealed and the following clause substituted:
  - (b) "adjusted income" of an individual for a taxation year means the combined total income for the year of the individual and of the person who was the individual's cohabiting spouse or common-law partner at the end of the year, calculated as if
    - (i) no amount were included under paragraph 56(1)(q.1) or subsection 56(6) of the Federal Act,
    - (ii) no amount were included in respect of a gain from a disposition of property to which Section 79 of the Federal Act applies or a gain in subsection 40(3.21) of the Federal Act, and
    - (iii) no amount were deductible under paragraph 60(y) or (z) of the Federal Act;
- Clause 4(2)(b) of the regulations is amended by
  - (a) striking out "8.93%" in subclause (i) and substituting "7.81%";
  - (b) striking out "20.71%" in subclause (ii) and substituting "18.12%"; and
  - (c) in subclause (iii),
    - (i) striking out "20.71%" and substituting "18.12%", and
    - (ii) striking out "12.86%" and substituting "11.25%".

N.S. Reg. 101/2014

Made: June 26, 2014 Filed: June 27, 2014

Prescribed Petroleum Products Prices

Order dated June 26, 2014

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-14-27

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 June 25, 2014, are:

Grade 1 Regular gasoline 84.2¢ per litre Ultra-low-sulfur diesel oil 86.4¢ per litre

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

#### Gasoline:

Grade 1 84.2¢ per litre
Grade 2 87.2¢ per litre
Grade 3 90.2¢ per litre
Ultra-low-sulfur diesel oil 86.4¢ 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: Nil

Ultra-low-sulfur diesel oil: plus 0.3¢ per litre

**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., June 27, 2014.

Dated at Halifax, Nova Scotia, this 26th day of June, 2014.

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 June 27, 2014

Nova Scotia Petroleum Price Schedule								
Petroleum Prices in Cents/Litre					Self-Service Pump Prices			ervice Prices
					(Pump	Prices inc	clude <del>s</del> 15	% HST)
	Base Wholesale Price	Fed. Excise Tax	Prov. Tax	Wholesale Selling Price	Min	Max	Min	Max
Zone 1								
Regular Unleaded	91.3	10.0	15.5	116.8	139.8	141.9	139.8	999.9
Mid-Grade Unleaded	94.3	10.0	15.5	119.8	143.3	145.4	143.3	999.9
Premium Unleaded	97.3	10.0	15.5	122.8	146.7	148.8	146.7	999.9
Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel	93.8	4.0	15.4	113.2	135.7	137.8	135.7	999.9
Zone 2								
Regular Unleaded	91.8	10.0	15.5	117.3	140.4	142.5	140.4	999.9
Mid-Grade Unleaded	94.8	10.0	15.5	120.3	143.9	145.9	143.9	999.9
Premium Unleaded	97.8	10.0	15.5	123.3	147.3	149.4	147.3	999.9
Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel	94.3	4.0	15.4	113.7	136.3	138.3	136.3	999.9
Zone 3								
Regular Unleaded	92.2	10.0	15.5	117.7	140.9	142.9	140.9	999.9
Mid-Grade Unleaded	95.2	10.0	15.5	120.7	144.3	146.4	144.3	999.9
Premium Unleaded	98.2	10.0	15.5	123.7	147.8	149.8	147.8	999.9
Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel	94.7	4.0	15.4	114.1	136.7	138.8	136.7	999.9
Zone 4								
Regular Unleaded	92.3	10.0	15.5	117.8	141.0	143.1	141.0	999.9
Mid-Grade Unleaded	95.3	10.0	15.5	120.8	144.4	146.5	144.4	999.9
Premium Unleaded	98.3	10.0	15.5	123.8	147.9	150.0	147.9	999.9
Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel	94.8	4.0	15.4	114.2	136.8	138.9	136.8	999.9
Zone 5								
Regular Unleaded	92.3	10.0	15.5	117.8	141.0	143.1	141.0	999.9
Mid-Grade Unleaded	95.3	10.0	15.5	120.8	144.4	146.5	144.4	999.9
Premium Unleaded	98.3	10.0	15.5	123.8	147.9	150.0	147.9	999.9
Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel	94.8	4.0	15.4	114.2	136.8	138.9	136.8	999.9
Zone 6								
Regular Unleaded	93.0	10.0	15.5	118.5	141.8	143.9	141.8	999.9
Mid-Grade Unleaded	96.0	10.0	15.5	121.5	145.2	147.3	145.2	999.9
Premium Unleaded	99.0	10.0	15.5	124.5	148.7	150.8	148.7	999.9
Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel	95.5	4.0	15.4	114.9	137.7	139.7	137.7	999.9

#### N.S. Reg. 102/2014

Made: June 24, 2014 Filed: July 2, 2014

**Technical Safety Standards Regulations** 

Order dated June 24, 2014
Regulations made by the Minister of Labour and Advanced Education pursuant to Section 50 of the *Technical Safety Act* 

## In the matter of Section 50 of Chapter 10 of the Acts of 2008, the *Technical Safety Act*

- and -

#### In the matter of the Technical Safety Standards Regulations

- I, Kelly Regan, Minister of Labour and Advanced Education for the Province of Nova Scotia, pursuant to Section 50 of Chapter 10 of the Acts of 2008, the *Technical Safety Act*, hereby
  - (a) repeal the *Technical Safety Standards Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 183/2012, made by the Minister by Order dated September 28, 2012; and
  - (b) make new regulations respecting technical safety standards in the form set forth in the attached Schedule "A", effective on and after July 1, 2014.

Dated and made at Halifax Regional Municipality, Halifax County, Province of Nova Scotia on June 24, 2014.

sgd.: *Kelly Regan*Honourable Kelly Regan
Minister of Labour and Advanced Education

#### Schedule "A"

Regulations Respecting Technical Safety Standards made by the Minister of Labour and Advanced Education under Section 50 of Chapter 10 of the Acts of 2008, [the] Technical Safety Act

#### Citation

1 These regulations may be cited as the *Technical Safety Standards Regulations*.

#### Edition of standard adopted

2 The edition listed by date in these regulations is the edition of the standard adopted by these regulations.

#### **Definitions**

- 3 In these regulations,
  - "API" means the American Petroleum Institute;
  - "ASME" means the American Society of Mechanical Engineers;

"ASHRAE" means the American Society of Heating, Refrigeration and Air-Conditioning Engineers;

"CSA" means the Canadian Standards Association;

"NBBI" means the National Board of Boiler and Pressure Vessel Inspectors.

#### **Boiler and pressure equipment standards (BPE standards)**

4 The following standards for boiler and pressure equipment are adopted as the standards for regulated work and regulated products prescribed under the *Boiler and Pressure Equipment Regulations*:

BPE Standard	Edition issue date (yyyy/mm/dd)
API:	
API 510, Pressure Vessel Inspection Code In-Service Inspection, Rating, Repair, and Alteration	2009-04-01
API 570, Piping Inspection Code Inspection, Repair, Alteration, and Re-Rating of In-Service Piping Systems	2009-11-01
ASME:	
ASME B31.1, Power Piping	2012-06-29
ASME B31.3, Process Piping	2013-01-10
ASME B31.5, Refrigeration Piping and Heat Transfer Components	2010-07-21
ASME, Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code, Section I–Rules for Construction of Power Boilers	2013-07-01
ASME, Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code, Section IV–Rules for Construction of Heating Boilers	2013-07-01
ASME, Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code, Section V– Nondestructive Examinations	2013-07-01
ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code, Section VIII (Division 1)–Rules for Construction of Pressure Vessels	2013-07-01
ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code, Section VIII (Division 2)–Alternative Rules–Rules for Construction of Pressure Vessels	2013-07-01
ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code, Section VIII (Division 3)–Alternative Rules–Rules for Construction of High Pressure Vessels	2013-07-01
ASME, Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code, Section IX-Welding and Brazing Qualifications	2012-07-01
ASME, Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code, Section X–Fiber- Reinforced Plastic Pressure Vessels	2013-07-01
ASME, Controls and Safety Devices (CSD-1) Controls and Safety Devices for Automatically Fired Boilers, Part CW only	2012-05-10

ASME PVHO-1, Safety Standard for Pressure Vessels for Human Occupancy	2012-05-31
CSA:	
CSA B51, Boiler, Pressure Vessel and Pressure Piping Code, Part 1 only	2014-01-01
CSA B52, Mechanical Refrigeration Code	2013-12-01
CSA Z180.1, Compressed Breathing Air and Systems	2000-06-02
CSA Z276 UPD1, Liquefied Natural Gas (LNG)–Production, Storage, and Handling	2011-01-01
CSA Z662, Oil and Gas Pipeline Systems	2011-06-01
NBBI:	
NBIC-National Board Inspection Code	2013-07-01

#### Crane operator standards (CO standards)

5 The following standards for crane operators are adopted as the standards for regulated work and regulated products prescribed under the *Crane Operators Regulations*:

CO Standard	Edition issue date (yyyy/mm/dd)
American Welding Society:	
American Welding Society (D14.1) Specification for Welding of Industrial and Mill Cranes and other Material Handling Equipment	2005-01-01
ASME:	
ASME B30.3, Tower Cranes	2009-10-06
ASME B30.4, Portal and Pedestal Cranes	2010-04-19
ASME B30.5, Mobile and Locomotive Cranes	2012-01-12
ASME B30.9, Slings	2011-01-18
ASME B30.11, Monorails and Underhung Cranes	2010-04-16
ASME B30.16, Overhead Hoists (Underhung)	2007-07-13
ASME B30.17, Overhead and Gantry Cranes (Top Running Bridge, Single Girder, Underhung Hoists)	2006-01-01
ASME B30.18, Stacker Cranes (Top or Under Running Bridge, Multiple Girder with Top or Under Running Trolley Hoist)	2011-04-29
CSA:	
CSA B167, Overhead Traveling Cranes–Design, Inspection, Testing, Maintenance and Safe Operation	2008-10-01

CSA Z150, Safety Code on Mobile Cranes	1998-11-01
CSA Z248, Code For Tower Cranes	2004-03-01
CSA Z150.3, Safety Code on Articulating Boom Cranes	2011-11-01

#### **Fuel safety standards (FS standards)**

The following standards for fuel safety are adopted for the regulated work and regulated products prescribed under the *Fuel Safety Regulations*:

FS Standard	Edition issue date (yyyy/mm/dd)
CSA B139, Installation Code for Oil Burning Equipment	2009-09-10
CSA B149.1, Natural Gas and Propane Installation Code	2010-01-04
CSA B149.2, Propane Storage and Handling Code	2010-01-04
CSA B149.3, Code for the Field Approval of Fuel Related Components on Appliances and Equipment	2010-01-04
CSA B149.6, Code for Digester Gas and Landfill Gas Installations	2011-07-26
CSA B108, Natural Gas Fueling Stations Installation Code	1999-03-22
CSA Z662, Oil and Gas Pipeline Systems	2011-06-01

#### Power engineers standards (PE standards)

7 The following standards for power engineers are adopted for the regulated work and regulated products prescribed under the *Power Engineers Regulations*:

PE Standard	Edition issue date (yyyy/mm/dd)
ASHRAE:	
ASHRAE-15, Safety Standard for Refrigerants	2013-01-01
ASHRAE-34, Designation and Safety Classification of Refrigerants	2013-01-01
ASME:	
ASME B31.1, Power Piping	2012-06-29
ASME B31.3, Process Piping	2013-01-10
ASME B31.5, Refrigeration Piping and Heat Transfer Components	2010-07-21
ASME, Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code, Section VI– Recommended Rules for the Care and Operation of Heating Boilers	2013-07-01

ASME, Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code, Section VII– Recommended Guidelines for the Care of Power Boilers	2013-07-01
ASME, Controls and Safety Devices (CSD-1)–Controls and Safety Devices for Automatically Fired Boilers	2012-05-10
CCA.	
CSA:	
CSA B51, Boiler, Pressure Vessel and Pressure Piping Code, Part 1 only	2014-01-01

#### N.S. Reg. 103/2014

Made: June 30, 2014 Filed: July 2, 2014

**Summary Offence Tickets Regulations** 

Order dated June 30, 2014

Amendment to regulations made by the Minister of Justice and Attorney General pursuant to Section 8 of the *Summary Proceedings Act* 

#### **Order**

## Made under Section 8 of Chapter 450 of the Revised Statutes of Nova Scotia, 1989, the Summary Proceedings Act

I, Lena Diab, Attorney General and Minister of Justice for the Province of Nova Scotia, pursuant to Section 8 of Chapter 450 of the Revised Statutes of Nova Scotia, 1989, the *Summary Proceedings Act*, hereby

- (a) amend Schedule 4 to the *Summary Offence Tickets Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 281/2011, made by order of the Attorney General and Minister of Justice dated October 4, 2011, to designate certain offences under the *Motor Vehicle Act* as summary offence ticket offences, in the manner set forth in the attached Schedule "A"; and
- (b) order and direct that the penalty to be entered on a summons in respect of an offence set out in amendments to the schedules to the *Summary Offence Tickets Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 281/2011, as set forth in the attached Schedule "A", is the out-of-court settlement amount indicated by category letter in the out-of-court settlement column set out opposite the description for the offence, and includes the charge provided for in, and in accordance with, Sections 8 and 9 of the Act.

This Order is effective on and after June 30, 2014.

Dated and made June 30, 2014, at Halifax, Halifax Regional Municipality, Province of Nova Scotia.

sgd.: *Lena M. Diab* Honourable Lena Diab Attorney General and Minister of Justice

#### Schedule "A"

# Amendment to the Summary Offence Tickets Regulations made by the Attorney General and Minister of Justice pursuant to Section 8 of Chapter 450 of the Revised Statutes of Nova Scotia, 1989, the Summary Proceedings Act

Schedule 4 to the *Summary Offence Tickets Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 281/2011, made by order of the Attorney General and Minister of Justice dated October 4, 2011, is amended by adding the following items after item 141:

141A	Public-safety driver failing to drive with due	106G(2)(a)	C
	regard for safety of person using highway		
141B	Public-safety driver failing to obey peace officer	106G(2)(b)	C
	on a highway		