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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. 149/2018

Made: August 9, 2018 Filed: August 10, 2018 Prescribed Petroleum Products Prices

> Order dated August 9, 2018 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

M08823

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

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 product prices in its decision, 2006 NSUARB 108, issued on October 16, 2006;

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 Board revised the retail margin and the transportation allowance effective October 28, 2016, in its decision, 2016 NSUARB 168, issued on September 26, 2016;

And whereas the average of the average of the daily high and low reported product prices (in Canadian cents) for the week ended August 8, 2018, are:

| Grade 1 Regular gasoline | 70.6¢ per litre |
|-----------------------------|-----------------|
| Ultra-low-sulfur diesel oil | 73.3¢ per litre |

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

| Gasoline: | |
|-----------------------------|-----------------|
| Grade 1 | 70.6¢ per litre |
| Grade 2 | 73.6¢ per litre |
| Grade 3 | 76.6¢ per litre |
| Ultra-low-sulfur diesel oil | 73.3¢ 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 (Ultra-low-sulfur diesel oil: nil¢ per

minus 0.3¢ per litre nil¢ 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., August 10, 2018.

Dated at Halifax, Nova Scotia, this 9th day of August, 2018.

sgd: *Doreen Friis* 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 August 10, 2018

| Nova Scotia Petroleum Price Schedule | | | | | | | | | |
|--------------------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------|--------------|-------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|---|--|
| Petroleum Prices in Cents/Litre | | | | | | | Pump | Full-Service Pump Prices le s 15% HST) | |
| | Base Wholesale Price | Fed. Excise Tax | Prov. Tax | Wholesale Selling Price | Min | Max | Min | Max | |
| Zone 1 | | | | | | | | | |
| Regular Unleaded | 77.5 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 103.0 | 124.3 | 126.5 | 124.3 | 999.9 | |
| Mid-Grade Unleaded | 80.5 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 106.0 | 127.8 | 130.0 | 127.8 | 999.9 | |
| Premium Unleaded | 83.5 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 109.0 | 131.2 | 133.4 | 131.2 | 999.9 | |
| Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel | 80.6 | 4.0 | 15.4 | 100.0 | 120.9 | 123.0 | 120.9 | 999.9 | |
| Zone 2 | | | | | | | | | |
| Regular Unleaded | 78.0 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 103.5 | 124.9 | 127.1 | 124.9 | 999.9 | |
| Mid-Grade Unleaded | 81.0 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 106.5 | 128.3 | 130.5 | 128.3 | 999.9 | |
| Premium Unleaded | 84.0 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 109.5 | 131.8 | 134.0 | 131.8 | 999.9 | |
| Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel | 81.1 | 4.0 | 15.4 | 100.5 | 121.4 | 123.6 | 121.4 | 999.9 | |
| Zone 3 | | | | | | | | | |
| Regular Unleaded | 78.4 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 103.9 | 125.4 | 127.5 | 125.4 | 999.9 | |
| Mid-Grade Unleaded | 81.4 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 106.9 | 128.8 | 131.0 | 128.8 | 999.9 | |
| Premium Unleaded | 84.4 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 109.9 | 132.2 | 134.4 | 132.2 | 999.9 | |
| Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel | 81.5 | 4.0 | 15.4 | 100.9 | 121.9 | 124.1 | 121.9 | 999.9 | |
| Zone 4 | | | | | | | | | |
| Regular Unleaded | 78.5 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 104.0 | 125.5 | 127.6 | 125.5 | 999.9 | |
| Mid-Grade Unleaded | 81.5 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 107.0 | 128.9 | 131.1 | 128.9 | 999.9 | |
| Premium Unleaded | 84.5 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 110.0 | 132.4 | 134.6 | 132.4 | 999.9 | |
| Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel | 81.6 | 4.0 | 15.4 | 101.0 | 122.0 | 124.2 | 122.0 | 999.9 | |
| Zone 5 | | | | | | | | | |
| Regular Unleaded | 78.5 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 104.0 | 125.5 | 127.6 | 125.5 | 999.9 | |
| Mid-Grade Unleaded | 81.5 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 107.0 | 128.9 | 131.1 | 128.9 | 999.9 | |
| Premium Unleaded | 84.5 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 110.0 | 132.4 | 134.6 | 132.4 | 999.9 | |
| Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel | 81.6 | 4.0 | 15.4 | 101.0 | 122.0 | 124.2 | 122.0 | 999.9 | |
| Zone 6 | | | | | | | | | |
| Regular Unleaded | 79.2 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 104.7 | 126.3 | 128.5 | 126.3 | 999.9 | |
| Mid-Grade Unleaded | 82.2 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 107.7 | 129.7 | 131.9 | 129.7 | 999.9 | |
| Premium Unleaded | 85.2 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 110.7 | 133.2 | 135.4 | 133.2 | 999.9 | |
| Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel | 82.3 | 4.0 | 15.4 | 101.7 | 122.8 | 125.0 | 122.8 | 999.9 | |

N.S. Reg. 150/2018

Made: August 14, 2018 Filed: August 14, 2018 Renewable Electricity Regulations-amendment

> Order in Council 2018-230 dated August 14, 2018 Amendment to regulations made by the Governor in Council pursuant to Section 5 of the *Electricity Act*

The Governor in Council on the report and recommendation of the Minister of Energy and Mines dated July 11, 2018, and pursuant to Section 5 of Chapter 25 of the Acts of 2004, the *Electricity Act*, is pleased to amend the *Renewable Electricity Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 155/2010, made by the Governor in Council by Order in Council 2010-381 dated October 12, 2010, to allow for developmental tidal arrays to include devices with a nameplate capacity of 0.5 MW or less if approved by the Minister of Energy and Mines, in the manner set forth in Schedule "A" attached to and forming part of the report and recommendation, effective on and after August 14, 2018.

Schedule "A"

Amendment to the *Renewable Electricity Regulations* made by the Governor in Council under Section 5 of Chapter 25 of the Acts of 2004, the *Electricity Act*

- 1 The definition of "developmental tidal array" in subsection 3(1) of the *Renewable Electricity Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 155/2010, made by the Governor in Council by Order in Council 2010-381 dated October 12, 2010, is amended by adding ", unless the Minister approves a reduction in nameplate capacity under Section 28A" immediately after "0.5 MW" where it occurs in subclauses (i) and (ii).
- 2 The regulations are further amended by adding the following Section immediately after Section 28:

Application to vary nameplate capacity of device in developmental tidal array

- **28A** (1) The holder of a developmental tidal array feed-in tariff approval may apply to the Minister to reduce the nameplate capacity of 1 or more devices within the developmental tidal array.
 - (2) An application made under subsection (1) must include all the information that the Minister considers necessary to decide on the application.
 - (3) On receiving an application made under subsection (1), the Minister may allow the holder of a developmental tidal-array feed-in tariff approval to reduce the nameplate capacity of 1 or more devices in the developmental tidal array, even if the resulting nameplate capacity of a device is 0.5 MW or less.

N.S. Reg. 151/2018

Made: August 16, 2018 Filed: August 17, 2018 Prescribed Petroleum Products Prices

> Order dated August 16, 2018 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

M08833

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

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

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 Board revised the retail margin and the transportation allowance effective October 28, 2016, in its decision, 2016 NSUARB 168, issued on September 26, 2016;

And whereas the average of the average of the daily high and low reported product prices (in Canadian cents) for the week ended August 15, 2018, are:

| Grade 1 Regular gasoline | 69.3¢ per litre |
|-----------------------------|-----------------|
| Ultra-low-sulfur diesel oil | 73.3¢ per litre |

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

| Gasoline: | |
|-----------------------------|-----------------|
| Grade 1 | 69.3¢ per litre |
| Grade 2 | 72.3¢ per litre |
| Grade 3 | 75.3¢ per litre |
| Ultra-low-sulfur diesel oil | 73.3¢ 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 (|
|------------------------------|----------|
| Ultra-low-sulfur diesel oil: | nil¢ per |

minus 0.6¢ per litre nil¢ 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., August 17, 2018.

Dated at Halifax, Nova Scotia, this 16th day of August, 2018.

sgd: *Bruce A. Kiley* 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 August 17, 2018

| Nova Scotia Petroleum Price Schedule | | | | | | | | |
|--------------------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------|--------------|-------------------------------|-------|-------|-------------------------------------|-------|
| Petroleum Prices in Cents/Litre | | | | | | Pump | ll-Service mp Prices 15% HST) | |
| | Base Wholesale Price | Fed. Excise Tax | Prov. Tax | Wholesale Selling Price | Min | Max | Min | Max |
| Zone 1 | | | | | | | | |
| Regular Unleaded | 75.9 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 101.4 | 122.5 | 124.7 | 122.5 | 999.9 |
| Mid-Grade Unleaded | 78.9 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 104.4 | 125.9 | 128.1 | 125.9 | 999.9 |
| Premium Unleaded | 81.9 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 107.4 | 129.4 | 131.6 | 129.4 | 999.9 |
| Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel | 80.6 | 4.0 | 15.4 | 100.0 | 120.9 | 123.0 | 120.9 | 999.9 |
| Zone 2 | | | | | | | | |
| Regular Unleaded | 76.4 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 101.9 | 123.0 | 125.2 | 123.0 | 999.9 |
| Mid-Grade Unleaded | 79.4 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 104.9 | 126.5 | 128.7 | 126.5 | 999.9 |
| Premium Unleaded | 82.4 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 107.9 | 130.0 | 132.1 | 130.0 | 999.9 |
| Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel | 81.1 | 4.0 | 15.4 | 100.5 | 121.4 | 123.6 | 121.4 | 999.9 |
| Zone 3 | | | | | | | | |
| Regular Unleaded | 76.8 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 102.3 | 123.5 | 125.7 | 123.5 | 999.9 |
| Mid-Grade Unleaded | 79.8 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 105.3 | 127.0 | 129.1 | 127.0 | 999.9 |
| Premium Unleaded | 82.8 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 108.3 | 130.4 | 132.6 | 130.4 | 999.9 |
| Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel | 81.5 | 4.0 | 15.4 | 100.9 | 121.9 | 124.1 | 121.9 | 999.9 |
| Zone 4 | | | | | | | | |
| Regular Unleaded | 76.9 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 102.4 | 123.6 | 125.8 | 123.6 | 999.9 |
| Mid-Grade Unleaded | 79.9 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 105.4 | 127.1 | 129.3 | 127.1 | 999.9 |
| Premium Unleaded | 82.9 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 108.4 | 130.5 | 132.7 | 130.5 | 999.9 |
| Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel | 81.6 | 4.0 | 15.4 | 101.0 | 122.0 | 124.2 | 122.0 | 999.9 |
| Zone 5 | | | | | | | | |
| Regular Unleaded | 76.9 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 102.4 | 123.6 | 125.8 | 123.6 | 999.9 |
| Mid-Grade Unleaded | 79.9 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 105.4 | 127.1 | 129.3 | 127.1 | 999.9 |
| Premium Unleaded | 82.9 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 108.4 | 130.5 | 132.7 | 130.5 | 999.9 |
| Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel | 81.6 | 4.0 | 15.4 | 101.0 | 122.0 | 124.2 | 122.0 | 999.9 |
| Zone 6 | | | | | | | | |
| Regular Unleaded | 77.6 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 103.1 | 124.4 | 126.6 | 124.4 | 999.9 |
| Mid-Grade Unleaded | 80.6 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 106.1 | 127.9 | 130.1 | 127.9 | 999.9 |
| Premium Unleaded | 83.6 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 109.1 | 131.3 | 133.5 | 131.3 | 999.9 |
| Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel | 82.3 | 4.0 | 15.4 | 101.7 | 122.8 | 125.0 | 122.8 | 999.9 |

N.S. Reg. 152/2018

Made: August 1, 2018 Approved: August 14, 2018 Filed: August 20, 2018 Milk Pricing Regulations-amendment

> Order dated August 14, 2018 Amendment to regulations made by the Dairy Farmers of Nova Scotia and approved by the Natural Products Marketing Council pursuant to clauses 9(b) and 14(1)(c) of the *Dairy Industry Act*

Dairy Farmers of Nova Scotia

Amendment to the *Milk Pricing Regulations* made under the *Dairy Industry Act*

I certify that on August 1, 2018, the Dairy Farmers of Nova Scotia, pursuant to clauses 9(b) and 14(1)(c) of Chapter 24 of the Acts of 2000, the *Dairy Industry Act*, as delegated by clause 2(1)(b) of the *Delegation of Powers to Dairy Farmers of Nova Scotia Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 136/2001, carried a motion to amend the *Milk Pricing Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 84/2008, made by the Dairy Farmers of Nova Scotia on September 21, 2007, and approved by the Natural Products Marketing Council on February 12, 2008, in the manner set forth in the attached Schedule "A", effective on and after September 1, 2018.

Signed at Truro, in the County of Colchester, Nova Scotia on August 15, 2018.

Dairy Farmers of Nova Scotia

per: sgd: Brian Cameron Brian Cameron General Manager

Approved by the Natural Products Marketing Council at Truro, in the County of Colchester, Nova Scotia on August 14, 2018.

Natural Products Marketing Council

per: sgd: *E.A. Crouse* Elizabeth A. Crouse, P.Ag. Director

Schedule "A"

Amendment to the *Milk Pricing Regulations* made by the Dairy Farmers of Nova Scotia pursuant to clauses 9(b) and 14(1)(c) of Chapter 24 of the Acts of 2000, the *Dairy Industry Act*

Subsection 3(1) of the *Milk Pricing Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 84/2008, made by the Dairy Farmers of Nova Scotia on September 21, 2007, and approved by the Natural Products Marketing Council on February 12, 2008, is repealed and the following subsection substituted:

3 (1) Except where otherwise specified in the National Ingredients Strategy Implementation Policy, milk processors in the Province must pay, on an F.O.B. plant basis, the prices of milk components set out in the following table for each class of milk specified:

| | Component Prices for Classes of Milk | | | | | | | |
|---|---|--|--------|-------------------------------|--|--|--|--|
| Class of Milk | Butterfat (\$ per kg) | Protein (\$ per kg) Other Solids (\$ per kg) | | Solids-Non-Fat (\$ per hl) | | | | |
| 1(a) | 8.0726 | | | 76.78 | | | | |
| 1(b) | 8.0726 | | | 62.55 | | | | |
| 1(c) | 1(c) Per current P5 policy for the 1c/4c Pricing Program for innovative products, the price discounts for milk cream and manufactured dairy products are respectively 25% for the first 12 months, 15% for the second 12-month period and 10% for the third 12-month period. The discounts will be deducted off the appropriate P5 target class component prices for approved products. | | | | | | | |
| 2(a) | 9.0101 | 6.1566 | 6.1566 | | | | | |
| 2(b) | 9.0101 | 6.1566 | 6.1566 | | | | | |
| 3(a) | 9.0101 | 14.0948 | 0.8770 | | | | | |
| 3(b) | 9.0101 | 13.7273 | 0.8770 | | | | | |
| 3(c)(1) | 9.0101 | 14.0948 | 0.8770 | | | | | |
| 3(c)(2) | 9.0101 | 15.2450 | 0.8770 | | | | | |
| 4(a) | 9.0101 | 5.6001 | 5.6001 | | | | | |
| 4(b) | 9.0101 | 5.7087 | 5.7087 | | | | | |
| 4(c) Per current P5 policy for the 1c/4c Pricing Program for innovative products, the price discounts for milk cream and manufactured dairy products are respectively 25% for the first 12 months, 15% for the second 12-month period and 10% for the third 12-month period. The discounts will be deducted off the appropriate P5 target class component prices for approved products. | | | | | | | | |
| 4(d) | 9.0101 | 5.6001 | 5.6001 | | | | | |