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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. 11/2017

Made: January 26, 2017

Filed: January 27, 2017

Prescribed Petroleum Products Prices

Order dated January 26, 2017
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**M07839**

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

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 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 January 25, 2017, are:

| | |
|-----------------------------|-----------------|
| Grade 1 Regular gasoline | 55.1¢ per litre |
| Ultra-low-sulfur diesel oil | 55.6¢ per litre |

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

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|-----------------------------|-----------------|
| Gasoline: | |
| Grade 1 | 55.1¢ per litre |
| Grade 2 | 58.1¢ per litre |
| Grade 3 | 61.1¢ per litre |
| Ultra-low-sulfur diesel oil | 55.6¢ 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 0.7¢ per litre |
| Ultra-low-sulfur diesel oil: | minus 0.2¢ per litre |

And whereas a winter blending adjustment of plus 6.5¢ 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., January 27, 2017.

Dated at Halifax, Nova Scotia, this 26th day of January, 2017.

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 January 27, 2017**

| 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 |
| Zone 1 | | | | | | | | |
| Regular Unleaded | 61.7 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 87.2 | 106.1 | 108.3 | 106.1 | 999.9 |
| Mid-Grade Unleaded | 64.7 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 90.2 | 109.6 | 111.8 | 109.6 | 999.9 |
| Premium Unleaded | 67.7 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 93.2 | 113.0 | 115.2 | 113.0 | 999.9 |
| Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel | 69.2 | 4.0 | 15.4 | 88.6 | 107.8 | 109.9 | 107.8 | 999.9 |
| Zone 2 | | | | | | | | |
| Regular Unleaded | 62.2 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 87.7 | 106.7 | 108.9 | 106.7 | 999.9 |
| Mid-Grade Unleaded | 65.2 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 90.7 | 110.2 | 112.4 | 110.2 | 999.9 |
| Premium Unleaded | 68.2 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 93.7 | 113.6 | 115.8 | 113.6 | 999.9 |
| Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel | 69.7 | 4.0 | 15.4 | 89.1 | 108.3 | 110.5 | 108.3 | 999.9 |
| Zone 3 | | | | | | | | |
| Regular Unleaded | 62.6 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 88.1 | 107.2 | 109.4 | 107.2 | 999.9 |
| Mid-Grade Unleaded | 65.6 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 91.1 | 110.6 | 112.8 | 110.6 | 999.9 |
| Premium Unleaded | 68.6 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 94.1 | 114.1 | 116.3 | 114.1 | 999.9 |
| Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel | 70.1 | 4.0 | 15.4 | 89.5 | 108.8 | 111.0 | 108.8 | 999.9 |
| Zone 4 | | | | | | | | |
| Regular Unleaded | 62.7 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 88.2 | 107.3 | 109.5 | 107.3 | 999.9 |
| Mid-Grade Unleaded | 65.7 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 91.2 | 110.7 | 112.9 | 110.7 | 999.9 |
| Premium Unleaded | 68.7 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 94.2 | 114.2 | 116.4 | 114.2 | 999.9 |
| Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel | 70.2 | 4.0 | 15.4 | 89.6 | 108.9 | 111.1 | 108.9 | 999.9 |
| Zone 5 | | | | | | | | |
| Regular Unleaded | 62.7 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 88.2 | 107.3 | 109.5 | 107.3 | 999.9 |
| Mid-Grade Unleaded | 65.7 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 91.2 | 110.7 | 112.9 | 110.7 | 999.9 |
| Premium Unleaded | 68.7 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 94.2 | 114.2 | 116.4 | 114.2 | 999.9 |
| Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel | 70.2 | 4.0 | 15.4 | 89.6 | 108.9 | 111.1 | 108.9 | 999.9 |
| Zone 6 | | | | | | | | |
| Regular Unleaded | 63.4 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 88.9 | 108.1 | 110.3 | 108.1 | 999.9 |
| Mid-Grade Unleaded | 66.4 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 91.9 | 111.6 | 113.7 | 111.6 | 999.9 |
| Premium Unleaded | 69.4 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 94.9 | 115.0 | 117.2 | 115.0 | 999.9 |
| Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel | 70.9 | 4.0 | 15.4 | 90.3 | 109.7 | 111.9 | 109.7 | 999.9 |

N.S. Reg. 12/2017

Made: January 31, 2017

Filed: February 1, 2017

Milk Classes and Categories Regulations–amendment

Order dated January 31, 2017

Amendment to regulations made by the Natural Products Marketing Council
pursuant to clauses 8(d) and 9(r) of the *Dairy Industry Act***Natural Products Marketing Council**

I certify that on January 31, 2017, the Natural Products Marketing Council, pursuant to clauses 8(d) and 9(r) of Chapter 24 of the Acts of 2000, the *Dairy Industry Act*, carried a motion to amend the *Milk Classes and Categories Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 3/2006, made by the Natural Products Marketing Council on February 1, 2006, in the manner set out in Schedule “A”, effective on and after February 1, 2017.

Signed at Truro, in the County of Colchester, Nova Scotia on January 31, 2017.

Natural Products Marketing Council

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

Schedule “A”

**Amendment to the *Milk Classes and Categories Regulations*
made by the Natural Products Marketing Council
pursuant to clauses 8(d) and 9(r) of Chapter 24 of the Acts of 2000,
the *Dairy Industry Act***

- 1 Section 4 of the *Milk Classes and Categories Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 3/2006, made by the Natural Products Marketing Council on February 1, 2006, is amended by striking out “4” and substituting it with “4(1)”.
- 2 The table in subsection 4(1) is amended by:
 - (a) striking out the row beginning “Class 3(b)” and substituting the following row:

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| Class 3(b) | Milk and any of its components that are processed to produce any of the following products: (a) cheddar cheese; (b) stirred cheese curd; (c) cream cheese; (d) creamy cheese bases or cheese mixes; (e) cheddar and cheddar-type cheese sold fresh; (f) any product not referred to in Class 3(a), elsewhere in 3(b), 3(c) or 3(d) made by coagulating milk, coagulating milk products or coagulating both milk and milk products with the aid of bacteria to form a curd excluding rennet casein curd used in the manufacture of non-standardized final products in the processed cheese category. |
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- (b) striking out the row beginning “Class 3(c)(2)” and substituting the following row:

| | |
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| Class 3(c)(2) | <p>Milk and any of its components that are processed to produce any of the following products:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) all types of mozzarella cheese except when declared in Class 3(d); (b) brick cheese; (c) colby cheese; (d) farmer cheese; (e) jack cheese; (f) paneer; (g) monterey jack cheese. |
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- (c) striking out the row beginning “Class 4(a)” and substituting the following row:

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|------------|---|
| Class 4(a) | <p>Milk and any of its components that are processed to produce any of the following products:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) butter and butteroil; (b) all types of powders other than those identified in Class 7; (c) all types of powders with over 4% butterfat content and packaged for retail; (d) liquid MPC and MPI made from whole milk or partly skimmed milk (greater than 4% butterfat), in any concentration, derived by any process; (e) concentrated milk, whether sweetened or not, not for retail; (f) all other products not elsewhere stated. |
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- (d) striking out the row beginning “Class 4(a)1”;
- (e) striking out the row beginning “Class 4(m)”;
- (f) adding the following row immediately under the row beginning “Class 5(d)”:

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| Class 7 | <p>Eligible components, products and ingredients:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) skim milk components in liquid and dry form, in any concentration, derived by any process, including MPC and MPI⁽¹⁾; (b) skim-milk powder; (c) whole milk powder⁽²⁾; (d) edible casein and edible caseinate powders⁽³⁾; (e) yogurt powders, sour cream powders, and partly-skimmed milk powder and blended milk powders with a maximum milk fat content of 4%; (f) rennet casein (dry or curd) used in the manufacture of non-standardized final products in the processed cheese category⁽⁴⁾. |
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| | <p>(1) Eligibility of liquid is subject to specific rules described in the administrative measures of the Harmonized Billing Mechanism.</p> <p>(2) Subject to rules that have yet to be established.</p> <p>(3) Including casein, sodium caseinate, calcium caseinate.</p> <p>(4) As per the procedure defined in the National Audit Standards.</p> |
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3 Section 4 is amended by adding the following subsection immediately after subsection 4(1):

- (2) Milk used to make the components, products and ingredients within Class 7, that are subsequently used to process a product in another class is deemed to come within that other class for milk pricing and billing purposes, as defined in the Harmonized Billing Mechanism pursuant to the *Milk Pricing Regulations* made under the Act.

N.S. Reg. 13/2017

Made: January 24, 2017

Approved: January 31, 2017

Filed: February 1, 2017

Milk Pricing Regulations—amendment

Order dated January 31, 2017

Amendment to regulations made by the Dairy Farmers of Nova Scotia
and approved by the Natural Products Marketing Council
pursuant to clause 9(b) 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 January 26, 2017, the Dairy Farmers of Nova Scotia, pursuant to clause 9(b) 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 February 1, 2017.

Signed at Truro, in the County of Colchester, Nova Scotia on January 31, 2017.

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 January 31, 2017.

Natural Products Marketing Council

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

Schedule "A"

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

- 1 Section 1A 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 amended by adding the following definition immediately after the definition of "DFNS Organic Milk Policy":

"National Ingredients Strategy Implementation Policy" means a policy established by the Board under Section 1B;

- 2 The regulations are amended by adding the following Section immediately after Section 1A:

Board policy related to Ingredients Strategy

1B The Board may establish a policy with respect to the pricing of and payment for milk and milk components in accordance with the National Ingredients Strategy adopted by the Canadian Milk Supply Management Committee and the P5 Supervisory Body.

- 3 Subsection 3(1) 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) | 7.4556 | | | 75.1300 |
| 1(b) | 7.4556 | | | 60.9000 |
| 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) | 8.6276 | 5.9796 | 5.9796 | |

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|---------|--|---------|--------|--|
| 2(b) | 8.6276 | 5.9796 | 5.9796 | |
| 3(a) | 8.6276 | 13.9670 | 0.8776 | |
| 3(b) | 8.6276 | 12.5327 | 0.8776 | |
| 3(c)(1) | 8.6276 | 13.9670 | 0.8776 | |
| 3(c)(2) | 8.6276 | 13.9670 | 0.8776 | |
| 4(a) | 8.6276 | 3.5696 | 3.5696 | |
| 4(b) | 8.6276 | 5.5317 | 5.5317 | |
| 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) | 8.6276 | 3.5696 | 3.5696 | |

4 Subsection 3(2) is amended by striking out “4(a)l and 4(m)” and substituting “and 7”.

N.S. Reg. 14/2017

Made: February 2, 2017

Filed: February 3, 2017

Prescribed Petroleum Products Prices

Order dated February 2, 2017
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

M07845

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: Steven M. Murphy, MBA, P. Eng., Member

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 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 February 1, 2017, are:

| | |
|-----------------------------|-----------------|
| Grade 1 Regular gasoline | 53.6¢ per litre |
| Ultra-low-sulfur diesel oil | 55.6¢ per litre |

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

| | |
|-----------------------------|-----------------|
| Gasoline: | |
| Grade 1 | 53.6¢ per litre |
| Grade 2 | 56.6¢ per litre |
| Grade 3 | 59.6¢ per litre |
| Ultra-low-sulfur diesel oil | 55.6¢ 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 0.7¢ per litre |
| Ultra-low-sulfur diesel oil: | minus 0.2¢ per litre |

And whereas a winter blending adjustment of plus 6.0¢ 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., February 3, 2017.

Dated at Halifax, Nova Scotia, this 2nd day of February, 2017.

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 February 3, 2017**

| 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 |
| Zone 1 | | | | | | | | |
| Regular Unleaded | 60.1 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 85.6 | 104.3 | 106.5 | 104.3 | 999.9 |
| Mid-Grade Unleaded | 63.1 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 88.6 | 107.8 | 109.9 | 107.8 | 999.9 |
| Premium Unleaded | 66.1 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 91.6 | 111.2 | 113.4 | 111.2 | 999.9 |
| Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel | 68.6 | 4.0 | 15.4 | 88.0 | 107.1 | 109.2 | 107.1 | 999.9 |
| Zone 2 | | | | | | | | |
| Regular Unleaded | 60.6 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 86.1 | 104.9 | 107.1 | 104.9 | 999.9 |
| Mid-Grade Unleaded | 63.6 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 89.1 | 108.3 | 110.5 | 108.3 | 999.9 |
| Premium Unleaded | 66.6 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 92.1 | 111.8 | 114.0 | 111.8 | 999.9 |
| Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel | 69.1 | 4.0 | 15.4 | 88.5 | 107.6 | 109.8 | 107.6 | 999.9 |

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|-------------------------|------|------|------|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Zone 3 | | | | | | | | |
| Regular Unleaded | 61.0 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 86.5 | 105.3 | 107.5 | 105.3 | 999.9 |
| Mid-Grade Unleaded | 64.0 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 89.5 | 108.8 | 111.0 | 108.8 | 999.9 |
| Premium Unleaded | 67.0 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 92.5 | 112.2 | 114.4 | 112.2 | 999.9 |
| Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel | 69.5 | 4.0 | 15.4 | 88.9 | 108.1 | 110.3 | 108.1 | 999.9 |
| Zone 4 | | | | | | | | |
| Regular Unleaded | 61.1 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 86.6 | 105.5 | 107.6 | 105.5 | 999.9 |
| Mid-Grade Unleaded | 64.1 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 89.6 | 108.9 | 111.1 | 108.9 | 999.9 |
| Premium Unleaded | 67.1 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 92.6 | 112.4 | 114.5 | 112.4 | 999.9 |
| Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel | 69.6 | 4.0 | 15.4 | 89.0 | 108.2 | 110.4 | 108.2 | 999.9 |
| Zone 5 | | | | | | | | |
| Regular Unleaded | 61.1 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 86.6 | 105.5 | 107.6 | 105.5 | 999.9 |
| Mid-Grade Unleaded | 64.1 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 89.6 | 108.9 | 111.1 | 108.9 | 999.9 |
| Premium Unleaded | 67.1 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 92.6 | 112.4 | 114.5 | 112.4 | 999.9 |
| Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel | 69.6 | 4.0 | 15.4 | 89.0 | 108.2 | 110.4 | 108.2 | 999.9 |
| Zone 6 | | | | | | | | |
| Regular Unleaded | 61.8 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 87.3 | 106.3 | 108.4 | 106.3 | 999.9 |
| Mid-Grade Unleaded | 64.8 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 90.3 | 109.7 | 111.9 | 109.7 | 999.9 |
| Premium Unleaded | 67.8 | 10.0 | 15.5 | 93.3 | 113.2 | 115.3 | 113.2 | 999.9 |
| Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel | 70.3 | 4.0 | 15.4 | 89.7 | 109.0 | 111.2 | 109.0 | 999.9 |

N.S. Reg. 15/2017 to 16/2017

Made: September 16, 2015

Filed: February 6, 2017

Pharmacy Practice Regulations—amendment and
Drug Schedules Regulations—amendment

Order dated September 16, 2015

Amendment to regulations made by the Council of the Nova Scotia College of Pharmacists
pursuant to Sections 80 and 81 of the *Pharmacy Act*

Certificate

I hereby certify that the Council of the Nova Scotia College of Pharmacists, at a duly convened meeting of the Council held on September 16, 2015, pursuant to Sections 80 and 81 of Chapter 11 of the Acts of 2011, the *Pharmacy Act* (the “Act”),

- (a) pursuant to Section 80 of the Act, carried a motion to amend the *Pharmacy Practice Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 258/2013, made by the Council on November 15, 2012, in the manner set forth in the attached Schedule “A”; and
- (b) pursuant to Section 81 of the Act, carried a motion to amend the regulations prescribing drug schedules, N.S. Reg. 164/2003, made by the Council on November 29, 2002, in the manner set forth in the attached Schedule “B”.

The amendments referred to in clauses (a) and (b) are to be effective on and after March 1, 2017.

Signed at Halifax, in the Halifax Regional Municipality, Nova Scotia on February 2, 2017.

Council of the Nova Scotia College of Pharmacists

per: *sgd. Bev Zwicker*

Bev Zwicker

Registrar, Nova Scotia College of Pharmacists

N.S. Reg. 15/2017

Pharmacy Practice Regulations—amendment

Schedule “A”

**Amendment to the *Pharmacy Practice Regulations*
made by the Council of the Nova Scotia College of Pharmacy [Pharmacists]
under Section 80 of Chapter 11 of the Acts of 2011,
the *Pharmacy Act***

- 1 Section 8 of the *Pharmacy Practice Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 258/2013, made by the Council of the Nova Scotia College of Pharmacy [Pharmacists], is amended by striking out the references to “*Pharmacy Regulations*” and substituting “*Registration, Licensing and Professional Accountability Regulations*.”
- 2 Section 15 is amended by:
 - (a) repealing subsection (2);
 - (b) repealing subsection (3) and substituting the following subsection:
 - (2) The creation of a written record of a prescription as set out in the *Food and Drug Regulations* (Canada) must be carried out before the prescription is dispensed.
 - (c) striking out “or electronic” in subsection (4);
 - (d) striking out “or a paper record attached to the prescription” in subsection (7);
 - (e) striking out “paper” in subsection (9);
 - (f) renumbering subsections (4) to (11).
- 3 Clause 20(1)(b) of the regulations is repealed and the following clause substituted:
 - (b) have been practising direct patient care pharmacy in Canada for a total of 12 months in the past five years;

N.S. Reg. 16/2017

Drug Schedules Regulations—amendment

Schedule “B”

**Amendment to the Regulations Prescribing Drug Schedules
made by the Council of the Nova Scotia College of Pharmacy [Pharmacists]
under Section 81 of Chapter 11 of the Acts of 2011,
the *Pharmacy Act***

- 1 The regulations prescribing drug schedules, N.S. Reg. 164/2003, made by the Council of the Nova Scotia College of Pharmacy [Pharmacists], is amended by adding the following Section immediately after the introductory paragraph:

Short title

- 1 These regulations may be cited as the *Drug Schedules Regulations*.
- 2 Schedule 1 of the regulations is amended by repealing Section 2 and substituting the following Section:
- 2 The drugs and medicines in this Schedule require a prescription as a condition of sale.