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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. 146/2012

Made: July 19, 2012

Filed: July 20, 2012

Prescribed Petroleum Products Prices

Order dated July 19, 2012
 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-12-29****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: Peter W. Gurnham, Q.C., 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 average of the average of the daily high and low reported product prices (in Canadian cents) for the week ended July 18, 2012, are:

Grade 1 Regular gasoline	75.4¢ per litre
Ultra-low-sulfur diesel oil	78.4¢ per litre

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

Gasoline:	
Grade 1	75.4¢ per litre
Grade 2	78.4¢ per litre
Grade 3	81.4¢ per litre
Ultra-low-sulfur diesel oil	78.4¢ 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:	plus 1.1¢ per litre
Ultra-low-sulfur diesel oil:	plus 0.8¢ 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., July 20, 2012.

Dated at Halifax, Nova Scotia, this 19th day of July, 2012.

Sgd: *D. Pedlar*
 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 July 20, 2012**

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	83.0	10.0	15.5	108.5	130.3	132.4	130.3	999.9
Mid-Grade Unleaded	86.0	10.0	15.5	111.5	133.7	135.8	133.7	999.9
Premium Unleaded	89.0	10.0	15.5	114.5	137.2	139.3	137.2	999.9
Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel	85.7	4.0	15.4	105.1	126.4	128.5	126.4	999.9
Zone 2								
Regular Unleaded	83.5	10.0	15.5	109.0	130.9	132.9	130.9	999.9
Mid-Grade Unleaded	86.5	10.0	15.5	112.0	134.3	136.4	134.3	999.9
Premium Unleaded	89.5	10.0	15.5	115.0	137.8	139.8	137.8	999.9
Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel	86.2	4.0	15.4	105.6	127.0	129.0	127.0	999.9
Zone 3								
Regular Unleaded	83.9	10.0	15.5	109.4	131.3	133.4	131.3	999.9
Mid-Grade Unleaded	86.9	10.0	15.5	112.4	134.8	136.9	134.8	999.9
Premium Unleaded	89.9	10.0	15.5	115.4	138.2	140.3	138.2	999.9
Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel	86.6	4.0	15.4	106.0	127.4	129.5	127.4	999.9
Zone 4								
Regular Unleaded	84.0	10.0	15.5	109.5	131.4	133.5	131.4	999.9
Mid-Grade Unleaded	87.0	10.0	15.5	112.5	134.9	137.0	134.9	999.9
Premium Unleaded	90.0	10.0	15.5	115.5	138.3	140.4	138.3	999.9
Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel	86.7	4.0	15.4	106.1	127.5	129.6	127.5	999.9
Zone 5								
Regular Unleaded	84.0	10.0	15.5	109.5	131.4	133.5	131.4	999.9
Mid-Grade Unleaded	87.0	10.0	15.5	112.5	134.9	137.0	134.9	999.9
Premium Unleaded	90.0	10.0	15.5	115.5	138.3	140.4	138.3	999.9
Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel	86.7	4.0	15.4	106.1	127.5	129.6	127.5	999.9
Zone 6								
Regular Unleaded	84.7	10.0	15.5	110.2	132.3	134.3	132.3	999.9
Mid-Grade Unleaded	87.7	10.0	15.5	113.2	135.7	137.8	135.7	999.9
Premium Unleaded	90.7	10.0	15.5	116.2	139.2	141.2	139.2	999.9
Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel	87.4	4.0	15.4	106.8	128.3	130.4	128.3	999.9

N.S. Reg. 147/2012

Made: June 28, 2012

Approved: July 12, 2012

Filed: July 20, 2012

Bulk Haulage Regulations

Order dated July 12, 2012

Amendment to regulations made by the Dairy Farmers of Nova Scotia and approved by the Natural Products Marketing Council pursuant to clause 15(1)(b) of the *Dairy Industry Act*

Dairy Farmers of Nova Scotia**Amendment to the *Bulk Haulage Regulations***

I certify that the Dairy Farmers of Nova Scotia, pursuant to clause 15(1)(b) of Chapter 24 of the Acts of 2000, the *Dairy Industry Act*, at a meeting held on June 28, 2012, amended the *Bulk Haulage Regulations* [N.S. Reg. 23/2003,] in the manner set out attached to this certificate as Schedule "A", effective on and after August 1, 2012.

Signed at Truro, in the County of Colchester, Nova Scotia on July 13, 2012.

Dairy Farmers of Nova Scotia

Sgd.: *B. Cameron*

per:

Brian Cameron

General Manager

Approved by the Natural Products Marketing Council at Truro, in the County of Colchester, Nova Scotia on July 12, 2012.

Natural Products Marketing Council

Sgd.: *E. A. Crouse*

per:

Elizabeth A. Crouse, P.Ag.

General Manager

Schedule "A"

**Amendment to the *Bulk Haulage Regulations*
made by the Dairy Farmers of Nova Scotia
pursuant to clause 15(1)(b) of Chapter 24 of the Acts of 2000,
the *Dairy Industry Act***

Clause 7(a) of the *Bulk Haulage Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 23/2003, made by the Dairy Farmers of Nova Scotia and approved by the Natural Products Marketing Council on August 13, 2002, is amended by

- (a) striking out "\$2.39" directly opposite "Farmers Co-Operative Dairy Limited" and substituting "\$2.38";

- (b) striking out “\$3.41” directly opposite “Scotsburn Co-Operative Services Limited” and substituting “\$3.24”;
 - (c) striking out “\$1.73” directly opposite “Fisher Transport Limited” and substituting “\$1.71”;
 - (d) striking out “\$2.66” directly opposite “Winterthur Farm—Rudolph Burghardt” and substituting “\$2.62”; and
 - (e) striking out “\$1.85” directly opposite “Cook’s Dairy Farm Limited” and substituting “\$1.83”.
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N.S. Reg. 148/2012

Made: July 24, 2012

Filed: July 24, 2012

Nova Scotia Child Benefit Regulations

Order in Council 2012-229 dated July 24, 2012
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 dated June 14, 2012, 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 child benefit amounts, in the manner set forth in Schedule “A” attached to and forming part of the report and recommendation, effective on and after July 1, 2012.

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***

- 1 Section 3 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 amended by
 - (a) striking out “\$543” and substituting “\$624.96”;
 - (b) striking out “\$787” and substituting “\$825”; and
 - (c) striking out “\$878” and substituting “\$900”.
- 2 Subclause 4(2)(b)(i) is amended by striking out “8.9%” and substituting “8.93%”.
- 3 Subclause 4(2)(b)(ii) is amended by striking out “21.8%” and substituting “20.71%”.
- 4 Subclause 4(2)(b)(iii) is amended by
 - (a) striking out “21.8%” and substituting “20.71%”; and
 - (b) striking out “14.4%” and substituting “12.86%”.

N.S. Reg. 149/2012

Made: July 24, 2012

Filed: July 24, 2012

Business Registry Regulations

Order in Council 2012-231 dated July 24, 2012
 Amendment to regulations made by the Governor in Council
 pursuant to Section 4 of the *Business Electronic Filing Act*

The Governor in Council on the report and recommendation of the Minister of Service Nova Scotia and Municipal Relations and the Minister of Community Services dated June 28, 2012, and pursuant to Section 4 of Chapter 3 of the Acts of 1995-96, the *Business Electronic Filing Act*, is pleased to amend the *Business Registry Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 14/2000, made by the Governor in Council by Order in Council 2000-24 dated February 2, 2000, in the manner set forth in Schedule “A” attached to and forming part of the report and recommendation, effective on and after July 24, 2012.

Schedule “A”

**Amendment to the *Business Registry Regulations*
 made by the Governor in Council pursuant to Section 4 of
 Chapter 3 of the Acts of 1995-96,
 the *Business Electronic Filing Act***

The table in Section 3 of the *Business Registry Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 14/2000, made by the Governor in Council by Order in Council 2000-24 dated February 2, 2000, is amended by

- (a) adding the following rows immediately before the row that begins with “*Collection Agencies Act*”:

<i>Children and Family Services Act</i>	Section 15
Regulations under the <i>Children and Family Services Act</i> :	
<i>Children and Family Services Regulations</i>	Sections 8 and 13 to 30

- (b) adding the following row immediately before the row that begins with “*Direct Sellers’ Regulation Act*”:

<i>Day Care Act</i>	all
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- (c) adding the following row immediately before the row that begins with “*Insurance Act*”:

<i>Homes for Special Care Act</i>	all
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N.S. Reg. 150/2012

Made: June 12, 2012

Approved: July 19, 2012

Filed: July 25, 2012

Milk Production Regulations

Order dated July 19, 2012

Amendment to regulations made by the Natural Products Marketing Council
and approved by the Minister of Agriculture
pursuant to Section 11 of the *Dairy Industry Act*

Order**Amendment to Schedule 2–Milk Production Regulations**

I, John MacDonell, Minister of Agriculture for the Province of Nova Scotia, pursuant to Section 11 of Chapter 24 of the Acts of 2000, the *Dairy Industry Act*, hereby approve the amendment of *Schedule 2 - Milk Production Regulations*, made by the Natural Products Marketing Council in the form set forth in Schedule “A”.

This order is effective on and after August 1, 2012.

Dated and made at Halifax Regional Municipality, Province of Nova Scotia, July 19, 2012.

Sgd.: *John MacDonell*

Honourable John MacDonell

Minister of Agriculture

Schedule “A”**Natural Products Marketing Council****Amendment to Schedule 2–Milk Production Regulations**

I certify that the Natural Products Marketing Council has consulted with the Dairy Farmers of Nova Scotia and the Processor Association in accordance with Section 11 of Chapter 24 of the Acts of 2000, the *Dairy Industry Act* and, at a meeting held on June 12, 2012, the Council, pursuant to Section 11 of the Act, carried a motion to approve amendments to *Schedule 2–Milk Production Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 117/94, made under the *Dairy Commission Act*, in the form attached.

The amendment is effective on and after August 1, 2012.

Signed at Truro, in the County of Colchester, Nova Scotia on June 14, 2012.

Natural Products Marketing Council

Sgd.: *E. A. Crouse*

Per: Elizabeth A. Crouse, P.Ag.

General Manager

**Amendment to Schedule 2–Milk Production Regulations, N.S. Reg. 117/94
pursuant to Section 11 of the Dairy Industry Act**

Section 56 of *Schedule 2–Milk Production Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 117/94, is amended by striking out “not more than 50 000 colonies per ml, and a somatic cell count of not more than 500 000 per ml” and substituting “not more than 50,000 cfu per ml total living mesophilic aerobic bacteria per ml or 121,000 Individual Bacterial Count per ml (i.e., Bactoscan®), and a somatic cell count of not more than 400,000 per ml”.

N.S. Reg. 151/2012

Made: July 26, 2012

Filed: July 27, 2012

Prescribed Petroleum Products Prices

Order dated July 26, 2012
 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-12-30****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 average of the average of the daily high and low reported product prices (in Canadian cents) for the week ended July 25, 2012, are:

Grade 1 Regular gasoline	73.4¢ per litre
Ultra-low-sulfur diesel oil	79.2¢ per litre

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

Gasoline:	
Grade 1	73.4¢ per litre
Grade 2	76.4¢ per litre
Grade 3	79.4¢ per litre
Ultra-low-sulfur diesel oil	79.2¢ 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	¢ per litre
Ultra-low-sulfur diesel oil:	plus 0.8¢	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., July 27, 2012.

Dated at Halifax, Nova Scotia, this 26th day of July, 2012.

Sgd: *D. Pedlar*
 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 July 27, 2012**

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	79.9	10.0	15.5	105.4	126.7	128.8	126.7	999.9
Mid-Grade Unleaded	82.9	10.0	15.5	108.4	130.2	132.3	130.2	999.9
Premium Unleaded	85.9	10.0	15.5	111.4	133.6	135.7	133.6	999.9
Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel	86.5	4.0	15.4	105.9	127.3	129.4	127.3	999.9
Zone 2								
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	87.0	4.0	15.4	106.4	127.9	130.0	127.9	999.9
Zone 3								
Regular Unleaded	80.8	10.0	15.5	106.3	127.8	129.8	127.8	999.9
Mid-Grade Unleaded	83.8	10.0	15.5	109.3	131.2	133.3	131.2	999.9
Premium Unleaded	86.8	10.0	15.5	112.3	134.7	136.7	134.7	999.9
Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel	87.4	4.0	15.4	106.8	128.3	130.4	128.3	999.9
Zone 4								
Regular Unleaded	80.9	10.0	15.5	106.4	127.9	130.0	127.9	999.9
Mid-Grade Unleaded	83.9	10.0	15.5	109.4	131.3	133.4	131.3	999.9
Premium Unleaded	86.9	10.0	15.5	112.4	134.8	136.9	134.8	999.9
Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel	87.5	4.0	15.4	106.9	128.5	130.5	128.5	999.9
Zone 5								
Regular Unleaded	80.9	10.0	15.5	106.4	127.9	130.0	127.9	999.9
Mid-Grade Unleaded	83.9	10.0	15.5	109.4	131.3	133.4	131.3	999.9
Premium Unleaded	86.9	10.0	15.5	112.4	134.8	136.9	134.8	999.9
Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel	87.5	4.0	15.4	106.9	128.5	130.5	128.5	999.9
Zone 6								
Regular Unleaded	81.6	10.0	15.5	107.1	128.7	130.8	128.7	999.9
Mid-Grade Unleaded	84.6	10.0	15.5	110.1	132.1	134.2	132.1	999.9
Premium Unleaded	87.6	10.0	15.5	113.1	135.6	137.7	135.6	999.9
Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel	88.2	4.0	15.4	107.6	129.3	131.3	129.3	999.9