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**In force date of regulations:** As of March 5, 2005\*, the date that a regulation comes into force is determined by subsection 3(6) of the *Regulations Act*. The date that a regulation is filed and any specified effective dates are important in determining when the regulation is in force.

\*Effective November 28, 2023, subsection 3(6) of the *Regulations Act* was replaced. (See subsection 3(5) of Chapter 54 of the Acts of 2022, *An Act to Amend Chapter 393 of the Revised Statutes, 1989, the Regulations Act*.)

**N.S. Reg. 173/2026**

Made: July 16, 2026

Filed: July 16, 2026

Prescribed Petroleum Products Prices

Order dated July 16, 2026  
made by the Nova Scotia Energy Board  
pursuant to Section 14 of the *Petroleum Products Pricing Act*  
and Sections 16 to 19 of the *Petroleum Products Pricing Regulations*

[Please note: *Prescribed Petroleum Products Prices* filed with the Office of the Registrar of Regulations on and after January 23, 2023, will no longer be published in the *Royal Gazette Part II*. Publication of the *Prescribed Petroleum Products Prices* has been dispensed with by order of the Attorney General dated January 23, 2023, and published on page 63 of the February 10, 2023, issue of the *Royal Gazette Part II*. Current and historical *Prescribed Petroleum Products Prices* are available for inspection in person at the Office of the Registrar of Regulations and can be viewed on the Nova Scotia Energy Board's website at the following address:  
<https://nserbt.ca/nseb/mandates/gasoline-diesel-pricing>.]

**N.S. Reg. 174/2026**

Made: July 6, 2026

Approved: July 22, 2026

Filed: July 22, 2026

Bulk Haulage Regulations—amendment

Order dated July 22, 2026  
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*  
made under the *Dairy Industry Act***

I certify that on July 6, 2026, the Dairy Farmers of Nova Scotia, pursuant to clause 15(1)(b) of Chapter 24 of the Acts of 2000, the *Dairy Industry Act*, carried a motion to amend the *Bulk Haulage Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 23/2003, made by the Dairy Farmers of Nova Scotia on July 17, 2002, and approved by the Natural Products Marketing Council on August 13, 2002, in the manner set forth in the attached Schedule "A", effective on and after August 1, 2026.

Signed at Bible Hill, in the County of Colchester, Nova Scotia, on July 22, 2026.

**Dairy Farmers of Nova Scotia**

per: sgd. *Jordan McCue*  
Jordan McCue  
Acting General Manager

Approved by the Natural Products Marketing Council at Bible Hill, in the County of Colchester, Nova Scotia,

on July 22, 2026.

**Natural Products Marketing Council**

per: sgd. *Danielle Dorn Kouwenberg*  
Danielle Dorn Kouwenberg  
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***

Section 7 of the *Bulk Haulage Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 23/2003, made by the Dairy Farmers of Nova Scotia on July 17, 2002, and approved by the Natural Products Marketing Council on August 13, 2002, is amended by repealing clause (a) and substituting the following clause:

- (a) for farm milk pick-up that occurs on a set schedule of every second day:

| <b>Transporter</b>          | <b>Maximum Rate/100 L</b> |
|-----------------------------|---------------------------|
| Fisher Transport Limited    | \$3.23                    |
| Burghardt Transport Limited | \$4.18                    |

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**N.S. Reg. 175/2026**

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Prescribed Petroleum Products Prices

Order dated July 23, 2026  
made by the Nova Scotia Energy Board  
pursuant to Section 14 of the *Petroleum Products Pricing Act*  
and Sections 16 to 19 of the *Petroleum Products Pricing Regulations*

[Please note: *Prescribed Petroleum Products Prices* filed with the Office of the Registrar of Regulations on and after January 23, 2023, will no longer be published in the *Royal Gazette Part II*. Publication of the *Prescribed Petroleum Products Prices* has been dispensed with by order of the Attorney General dated January 23, 2023, and published on page 63 of the February 10, 2023, issue of the *Royal Gazette Part II*. Current and historical *Prescribed Petroleum Products Prices* are available for inspection in person at the Office of the Registrar of Regulations and can be viewed on the Nova Scotia Energy Board's website at the following address:  
<https://nserbt.ca/nseb/mandates/gasoline-diesel-pricing>.]

**N.S. Reg. 176/2026**

Made: July 28, 2026

Filed: July 28, 2026

Proclamation, S. 133(1), S.N.S. 2026, c. 3—S. 65 to 70 (re amendments to the *Insurance Act*)

Order in Council 2026-237 dated July 28, 2026

Proclamation made by the Governor in Council

pursuant to subsection 133(1) of the

*Financial Measures (2026) Act*

The Governor in Council on the report and recommendation of the Minister of Finance and Treasury Board dated June 18, 2026, pursuant to subsection 133(1) of Chapter 3 of the Acts of 2026, the *Financial Measures (2026) Act*, and subsection 3(7) of Chapter 235 of the Revised Statutes of Nova Scotia, 1989, the *Interpretation Act*, is pleased to order and declare by proclamation that Sections 65 to 70 of Chapter 3 of the Acts of 2026, the *Financial Measures (2026) Act*, do come into force on and not before July 28, 2026.

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**Canada**  
**Province of Nova Scotia**

**Charles the Third**, by the Grace of God King of Canada and His Other Realms and Territories, Head of the Commonwealth.

**To all to whom these presents shall come, or whom the same may in any wise concern,**

**Greeting!**

**A Proclamation**

**Whereas** in and by subsection 133(1) of Chapter 3 of the Acts of 2026, the *Financial Measures (2026) Act*, it is enacted as follows:

**133(1)** Clause 55(b), Sections 56, 57, 63, 65 to 70, 76 to 88 and 90 to 93, clause 94(b) and Sections 95 to 97, 102 and 104 come into force on such day as the Governor in Council orders and declares by proclamation.

**And Whereas** it is deemed expedient that Sections 65 to 70 of Chapter 3 of the Acts of 2026, the *Financial Measures (2026) Act*, do come into force on and not before July 28, 2026;

**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 Sections 65 to 70 of Chapter 3 of the Acts of 2026, the *Financial Measures (2026) Act*, do come into force on and not before July 28, 2026, 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, Michael John Savage, Chancellor of Our Order of Nova Scotia, Lieutenant Governor in and of Our Province of Nova Scotia.

**Given** at Our Government House in the Halifax Regional Municipality, this 28th day of July in the year of Our Lord two thousand and twenty-six and in the Fourth year of Our Reign.

By Command:

**PROVINCIAL SECRETARY  
ATTORNEY GENERAL AND MINISTER OF JUSTICE**

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**N.S. Reg. 177/2026**

Made: July 28, 2026

Filed: July 28, 2026

Automobile Insurance Contract Mandatory Conditions Regulations—amendment

Order in Council 2026-238 dated July 28, 2026

Amendment to regulations made by the Governor in Council  
pursuant to Section 159 of the *Insurance Act*

The Governor in Council on the report and recommendation of the Minister responsible for the *Insurance Act* dated June 18, 2026, and pursuant to Section 159 of Chapter 231 of the Revised Statutes of Nova Scotia, 1989, the *Insurance Act*, is pleased to amend the *Automobile Insurance Contract Mandatory Conditions Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 181/2003, made by the Governor in Council by Order in Council 2003-456 dated October 31, 2003, to permit electronic delivery of notices by insurers where the insured has provided consent, in the manner set forth in Schedule “A” attached to and forming part of the report and recommendation, effective on and after July 28, 2026.

**Schedule “A”**

**Amendment to the *Automobile Insurance Contract Mandatory Conditions Regulations*  
made by the Governor in Council under Section 159 of  
Chapter 231 of the Revised Statutes of Nova Scotia, 1989,  
the *Insurance Act***

- 1 (1) Clause 8(1)(a) of Schedule 1 to the *Automobile Insurance Contract Mandatory Conditions Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 181/2003, made by the Governor in Council by Order in Council 2003-456 dated October 31, 2003, is repealed and the following clause substituted:
- (a) by the insurer by giving to the insured
    - (i) 30 days’ notice of termination, in writing, by registered mail,
    - (ii) 5 days’ notice of termination, in writing, personally delivered, or
    - (iii) 5 days’ notice of termination, in writing, by electronic means, if the insured has provided consent to receive such notices by electronic means;
  - (2) Subsection 8(5) of Schedule 1 to the regulations is repealed and the following subsection substituted:
    - (5) The 30 days mentioned in clause (1)(a) commences to run on the second day after the date the insurer mails the registered letter.

2 Section 9 of Schedule 1 to the regulations is repealed and the following Section substituted:

- 9 *Notice* - Any written notice to the insurer may be delivered or sent by registered mail to the chief agency or head office of the insurer in this Province. Written notice may be given to the insured named in this contract by letter personally delivered to them, by registered mail to the insured's most recent mailing address provided to the insurer, or by electronic means, if the insured has provided consent to receive such notices by electronic means. In this condition, the expression "registered" means registered in- or outside Canada.
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**N.S. Reg. 178/2026**

Made: July 28, 2026

Filed: July 28, 2026

Summary Offence Tickets Regulations—amendment

Order dated July 28, 2026

Amendment to regulations made by the Attorney General and Minister of Justice  
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, Scott Armstrong, 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 M-17 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 remove certain offences under the Town of Bridgewater's Anti-Noise By-law, Business By-law and Solid Waste Collection By-law, and designate certain offences under the Solid Waste Management By-law, Town Property By-law and Vending By-law 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 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 filed with the Registrar of Regulations.

Dated and made July 28, 2026, at Halifax, Halifax Regional Municipality, Province of Nova Scotia.

sgd. *Scott Armstrong*

Honourable Scott Armstrong

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***

- 1 Schedule M-17 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
  - (a) repealing the heading "Anti-Noise By-law" and all items under that heading; and
  - (b) repealing the heading "Business Licence By-law" and all items under that heading.
- 2 Schedule M-17 is further amended by repealing the heading "Solid Waste Collection By-law" and items 1 and 2 under that heading and substituting the following heading and items:

**Solid Waste Management By-law**

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| 1  | Placing or causing to be placed residual waste in non-bag container that does not meet specifications in bylaw                                     | 18    | \$352.50 |
| 2  | Failing to maintain non-bag container in good repair and sanitary condition                                                                        | 18(f) | \$352.50 |
| 3  | Commercial container not sturdily constructed of weather-proof material and water tight                                                            | 21(a) | \$352.50 |
| 4  | Commercial container not inaccessible to pests, rodents, vermin, seagulls or animals                                                               | 21(b) | \$352.50 |
| 5  | Commercial container not equipped with tight-fitting lid with positive closing device that is kept closed other than when being loaded or unloaded | 21(c) | \$352.50 |
| 6  | Commercial container not kept clean                                                                                                                | 21(d) | \$352.50 |
| 7  | Commercial container not kept in state of good repair                                                                                              | 21(e) | \$352.50 |
| 8  | Owner or occupant (specify) failing to provide sufficient and specified green carts                                                                | 30    | \$352.50 |
| 9  | Owner or occupant (specify) failing to maintain green cart in good repair or sanitary condition                                                    | 30    | \$352.50 |
| 10 | Placing or causing to be placed more than 1 non-transparent bag per dwelling unit on collection day                                                | 37    | \$352.50 |
| 11 | Placing or causing to be placed for collection residual waste in storage container that is not clear transparent bag, unless permitted by bylaw    | 38    | \$352.50 |
| 12 | Placing or causing to be placed solid waste for collection before 8:00 p.m. of day before scheduled collection                                     | 42    | \$352.50 |
| 13 | Permitting rejected materials to remain at collection spot after noon on day after scheduled collection                                            | 45    | \$352.50 |
| 14 | Owner or occupier (specify) of premises with commercial container failing to keep area surrounding container free from litter and waste            | 71(b) | \$352.50 |
| 15 | Owner or occupier (specify) of premises with commercial container failing to have container emptied on regular basis                               | 71(c) | \$352.50 |

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| 16 | Failing to undertake private collection of solid waste in compliance with relevant federal/provincial/municipal statutes and regulations                                                      | 73    | \$352.50  |
| 17 | Owner or occupant (specify) failing to store household hazardous waste in safe and secure manner and place                                                                                    | 80    | \$352.50  |
| 18 | Owner or occupant (specify) failing to deliver household hazardous waste to Household Hazardous Waste Depot as soon as reasonably possible                                                    | 80    | \$352.50  |
| 19 | Disposing or causing disposal of household hazardous waste at location within Town                                                                                                            | 81    | \$1272.50 |
| 20 | Owner or occupant (specify) failing to deliver construction or demolition materials to Lunenburg Regional Community Recycling Centre or approved C&D debris disposal site                     | 82    | \$352.50  |
| 21 | Disposing of construction or demolition materials by stock-piling, storing or other method (specify)                                                                                          | 83    | \$1272.50 |
| 22 | Disposing or causing disposal of collectible waste or non-collectible waste (specify) in location or manner not permitted by bylaw                                                            | 88    | \$1272.50 |
| 23 | Disposing or causing disposal of waste by backyard composting in manner that constitutes nuisance                                                                                             | 88(a) | \$1272.50 |
| 24 | Disposing or causing disposal of waste trees or brush in manner that constitutes nuisance                                                                                                     | 88(b) | \$1272.50 |
| 25 | Disposing or causing disposal of aggregate, soil, bricks, mortar, concrete, asphalt pavement, porcelain or ceramic materials (specify) as fill in manner that constitutes nuisance            | 88(c) | \$1272.50 |
| 26 | Disposing or causing or permitting disposal of solid waste in storage bin without permission of owner                                                                                         | 89    | \$1272.50 |
| 27 | Disposing or causing or permitting disposal of non-collectible waste or rejected solid waste at or near approved storage bin                                                                  | 90    | \$1272.50 |
| 28 | Disposing or causing or permitting disposal of construction or demolition materials at location other than Lunenburg Regional Community Recycling Centre or approved C&D debris disposal site | 91    | \$1272.50 |
| 29 | Interfering with solid waste or container (specify) placed out for collection                                                                                                                 | 94    | \$352.50  |
| 30 | Disposing of solid waste by burning                                                                                                                                                           | 98    | \$1272.50 |
| 31 | Placing solid waste generated outside Town for collection within Town                                                                                                                         | 99    | \$352.50  |
| 32 | Transporting solid waste material generated within Town outside municipality other than as permitted by bylaw                                                                                 | 100   | \$352.50  |
| 33 | Disposing or causing or permitting disposal of solid waste other than as permitted by bylaw                                                                                                   | 101   | \$1272.50 |
| 34 | Obstructing or hindering person in performance of their duties under bylaw                                                                                                                    | 103   | \$697.50  |
| 3  | Schedule M-17 is further amended by repealing the heading “Town Property By-law” and items 1 to 5 under that heading, and inserting the following headings and items:                         |       |           |
|    | <b>Town Property By-law</b>                                                                                                                                                                   |       |           |
| 1  | Littering on Town property                                                                                                                                                                    | 4(a)  | \$237.50  |
| 2  | Damaging Town property                                                                                                                                                                        | 4(b)  | \$237.50  |

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| 3                     | Removing earth, sods, stones, gravel or sand from Town property without approval                                                | 4(c) | \$237.50 |
| 4                     | Cutting down, taking away, or damaging trees, shrubs or bushes growing on Town property without approval                        | 4(d) | \$237.50 |
| 5                     | Owner failing to immediately remove dog defecation from Town property                                                           | 8(b) | \$237.50 |
| 6                     | Vending on Town property without applicable approval                                                                            | 9    | \$237.50 |
| 7                     | Being present in park other than during posted hours or between 12:00 a.m. and 5:00 a.m. without approval from CAO or designate | 10   | \$237.50 |
| <b>Vending By-law</b> |                                                                                                                                 |      |          |
| 1                     | Vending in Town other than in accordance with terms and conditions of permit                                                    | 3    | \$237.50 |
| 2                     | Vending between 10:00 p.m. and 8:00 a.m. of following day                                                                       | 5(a) | \$237.50 |
| 3                     | Occupying vending location before 7:30 a.m. or after 10:30 p.m.                                                                 | 5(b) | \$237.50 |
| 4                     | Vending without insurance, as required by bylaw                                                                                 | 5(c) | \$237.50 |
| 5                     | Leaving stand or mobile canteen unattended in public place                                                                      | 5(d) | \$237.50 |
| 6                     | Selling food or beverages without litter and recycling receptacles available for public use                                     | 5(e) | \$237.50 |
| 7                     | Leaving vending location without disposing of trash                                                                             | 5(f) | \$237.50 |
| 8                     | Vending to persons in motor vehicles                                                                                            | 5(h) | \$237.50 |
| 9                     | Vending within 3 m of fire hydrant or fire exit                                                                                 | 5(i) | \$237.50 |
| 10                    | Vending within 10 m of driveway to fire or police station or within 3 m of other driveway                                       | 5(j) | \$237.50 |
| 11                    | Vending within 3 m of crosswalk                                                                                                 | 5(k) | \$237.50 |
| 12                    | Vending in competition with abutter                                                                                             | 5(l) | \$237.50 |
| 13                    | Sounding or permitting sounding of device that produces loud noise                                                              | 5(m) | \$237.50 |
| 14                    | Failing to equip mobile canteen with fire extinguisher, as required by bylaw                                                    | 8    | \$237.50 |
| 15                    | Vending from location not within open vending zones                                                                             | 9    | \$237.50 |