NOVA SCOTIA UTILITY AND REVIEW BOARD

IN THE MATTER OF THE ELECTRICITY ACT

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IN THE MATTER OF AN APPEAL by **NOVA SCOTIA POWER INCORPORATED** under s. 48 of the Renewable Electricity Regulations of the Minister's decision directing a penalty of \$10 million

BEFORE:

Stephen T. McGrath, K.C., Chair Roland A. Deveau, K.C., Vice Chair M. Kathleen McManus, K.C., Ph.D., Member

AMENDED HEARING ORDER

NS Power appealed under s. 48 of the *Renewable Electricity Regulations,* asking the Board to overturn the Minister's decision to issue the penalty of \$10 million.

The Board orders that:

- 1. The public hearing for this matter will be at the Office of the Board, Summit Place, 3rd Floor, 1601 Lower Water Street, Halifax, Nova Scotia, on the following dates:
 - Monday, June 23, 2025, at 9:00 a.m., and continuing to Friday, June 27, 2025, if necessary.
- 2. The following amended timetable will apply to this proceeding:

Bates White IRs to NS Power	Monday, March 10, 2025
NS Power IR Responses	Monday, March 31, 2025
Bates White Written Evidence	Monday, April 14, 2025
IRs to Bates White	Wednesday, April 30, 2025
Bates White IR Responses	Wednesday, May 14, 2025
NS Power Written Rebuttal Evidence	Wednesday, May 28, 2025
Filing of Witness Lists	Friday, May 30, 2025
NS Power Pre-hearing Submissions	Wednesday, June 4, 2025

Minister's and Bates White Pre-hearing Submissions	Wednesday, June 11, 2025
NS Power Pre-hearing Reply Submissions	Wednesday, June 18, 2025
Hearing Commences	Monday, June 23, 2025

3. The *Board's Regulatory Rules* will apply to this application, including *Rule* 7(3) with respect to filing by 2:00 pm on any date a document is due.

DATED at Halifax, Nova Scotia, this 6th day of March 2025.

<u>Crystal Henwood</u> Clerk of the Board