## **NOVA SCOTIA UTILITY AND REVIEW BOARD**

## IN THE MATTER OF THE MOTOR CARRIER ACT

-and-

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION of ANTIGONISH COMMUNITY TRANSIT SOCIETY to amend Motor Carrier License No. P03033

BEFORE: Roland A. Deveau, K.C., Vice Chair

## **DECISION AND ORDER**

Antigonish Community Transit Society applied to the Nova Scotia Utility and Review Board on November 10, 2023, to amend its Motor Carrier License No. P03033, by suspending fares for all clients from Friday, December 1, 2023, to Friday, December 22, 2023, to promote increased ridership, to support local shopping and businesses, and to give clients financial relief over the holiday season.

Notice of the application was published in the Royal Gazette on Wednesday, November 22, 2023, and notice provided to the industry. No objections were received by the stated deadline of November 29, 2023.

The application was considered by the Board without a hearing on November 30, 2023.

Having considered the *Motor Carrier Act*, including the factors set out in s. 13, the Board finds it is in the public interest to approve the application.

The Board approves the application and orders that the license be amended that all fares be suspended for all clients from Friday, December 1, 2023, to Friday, December 22, 2023.

**DATED** at Halifax, Nova Scotia this 1st day of December 2023.

Clerk of the Board