



NOVA SCOTIA UTILITY AND REVIEW BOARD

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Facility Association (“Facility”) has made Applications to the Nova Scotia Utility and Review Board for approval of amendments to its existing rates and risk-classification system for both **private passenger vehicles (M07948)** and for **taxis (M07942)** (“Applications”). Specific details of the Applications are set out below.

Hearing: **Wednesday, September 6, 2017**
M07948 Public Passenger Vehicles
Commencing at 9:00 a.m.

Wednesday, September 6, 2017
M07942 Taxi Vehicles
Commencing at 1:30 p.m.

Evening Session: **Wednesday, September 6, 2017**
7:00 p.m. (if required)

Place: **Office of The Board**
Summit Place, 3rd Floor
1601 Lower Water Street
Halifax, Nova Scotia

ALL PERSONS are entitled to attend the hearing.

ANYONE WISHING TO HAVE FORMAL STANDING to present evidence or cross-examine witnesses should file such intention with the Board by no later than **May 5, 2017**, and a copy of their written evidence by no later than **June 16, 2017**.

ANYONE WISHING TO SPEAK at the hearing but not wishing to cross-examine witnesses may do so at the hearing. Presentations will follow the order in which interested parties notify the Board of their intention to appear. Notification is to be given to the Board on or before **August 30, 2017**.

ANYONE WISHING TO MAKE COMMENTS may do so by forwarding a letter to the Clerk of the Board at Box 1692, Unit “M”, Halifax, NS B3J 3S3, or by email at: board@novascotia.ca or by calling the Clerk at (902) 424-4448, or fax (902) 424-3919 no later than **August 30, 2017**.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

Facility proposes an overall rate change for **taxis** of +25.3%, for an impact on average premiums of +\$596.

Facility proposes an overall rate change for **private passenger vehicles** of +21.8%, for an impact on average premiums of +\$434.

The proposed changes for private passenger vehicles for Collision, Comprehensive, and Specified Perils coverages will also impact the premiums for taxis that carry these coverages.

Facility also proposes some changes to its rating rules that do not impact premiums.

A copy of each Application may be viewed at the offices of the Board, Summit Place, 1601 Lower Water Street, 3rd Floor, Halifax, NS or on the Board's website at <http://nsuarb.novascotia.ca/>, by clicking on "Matters & Evidence", "Go Directly to Matter" search box, and insert Matter No. **M07942 (Taxis) and/or M07948 (Private Passenger Vehicles)**.