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 December 11, 2009

Petroleum Prices in C	ents/Litre				Self-S	ervice	Full-S	ervice
					Pump Prices		Pump Prices	
					(Pum	p Prices Inc	ludes 13%	HST)
	Base Wholesale Price	Fed. Excise Tax	Prov. Tax	Wholesale Selling Price	Min	Max	Min	Max
Zone 1								
Regular Unleaded	58.4	10.0	15.5	83.9	99.3	101.0	99.3	999.9
Mid-Grade Unleaded	61.4	10.0	15.5	86.9	102.7	104.4	102.7	999.9
Premium Unleaded	64.4	10.0	15.5	89.9	106.1	107.8	106.1	999.9
Ultra-low Sulfur Diesel	62.8	4.0	15.4	82.2	97.4	9 9.1	97.4	999.9
Zone 2								
Regular Unleaded	58.8	10.0	15.5	84.3	99.8	101.5	99.8	999.9
Mid-Grade Unleaded	61.8	10.0	15.5	87.3	103.2	104.9	103.2	999.9
Premium Unleaded	64.8	10.0	15.5	90.3	106.6	108.3	106.6	999.9
Ultra-low Sulfur Diesel	63.2	4.0	15.4	82.6	97.9	99.6	97.9	999.9
Zone 3								
Regular Unleaded	59.3	10.0	15.5	84.8	100.3	102.0	100.3	999.9
Mid-Grade Unleaded	62.3	10.0	15.5	87.8	103.7	105.4	103.7	999.9
Premium Unleaded	65.3	10.0	15.5	90.8	107.1	108.8	107.1	999.9
Ultra-low Sulfur Diesel	63.7	4.0	15.4	83.1	98.4	100.1	98.4	999.9
Zone 4								
Regular Unleaded	59.3	10.0	15.5	84.8	100.3	102.0	100.3	9999.9
Mid-Grade Unleaded	62.3	10.0	15.5	87.8	103.7	105.4	103.7	999.9
Premium Unleaded	65.3	10.0	15.5	90.8	107.1	108.8	107.1	999.9
Ultra-low Sulfur Diesel	63.7	4.0	15.4	83.1	98.4	100.1	98.4	999.9
Zone 5								
Regular Unleaded	59.3	10.0	15.5	84.8	100.3	102.0	100.3	9999.9
Mid-Grade Unleaded	62.3	10.0	15.5	87.8	103.7	105.4	103.7	999.9
Premium Unleaded	65.3	10.0	15.5	90.8	107.1	108.8	107.1	999.9
Ultra-low Sulfur Diesel	63.7	4.0	15.4	83.1	98.4	100.1	98.4	9999.9
Zone 6						•		
Regular Unleaded	60.1	10.0	15.5	85.6	101.2	102.9	101.2	999.9
Mid-Grade Unleaded	63.1	10.0	15.5	88.6	104.6	106.3	104.6	999.9
Premium Unleaded	66.1	10.0	15.5	91.6	108.0	109.7	108.0	999.9
Ultra-low Sulfur Diesel	64.5	4.0	15.4	83.9	99.3	101.0	99.3	999.9

NOVA SCOTIA UTILITY AND REVIEW BOARD

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:



<u>ORDER</u>

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") considered the

manner in which it would proceed to set petroleum product prices in its decision, 2006 NSUARB 108, issued on October 16, 2006;

AND WHEREAS the average of the average of the daily high and low reported product prices (in Canadian cents) for the week ended December 9, 2009, are:

Grade 1 Regular gasoline 53.7 ¢ per litre Ultra-low sulfur diesel oil 54.6 ¢ per litre

NOW THEREFORE the Board prescribes the benchmark prices for

petroleum products to be:

Gasoline:	
Grade 1	53.7 ¢ per litre
Grade 2	56.7 ¢ per litre
Grade 3	59 7 ¢ per litre
Ultra-low sulfur diesel oil	54.6 ¢ 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: minus 1.6 ¢ per litre Ultra-low sulfur diesel oil: minus 1.0 ¢ per litre

AND WHEREAS a winter blending adjustment of plus 2.9¢ per litre is

required for ultra-low sulfur diesel oil;

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., December 11,

2009.

DATED at Halifax, Nova Scotia, this 10th day of December, 2009.

Clerk of the Board