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 November 13, 2009

| NOVA SCOTIA PETROLEUM PRICE SCHEDULE |                            |                       |              |                               |   |       |  |       |
|--------------------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------|--------------|-------------------------------|---|-------|--|-------|
| Petroleum Prices in Cents/Litre      |                            |                       |              |                               | Self-Service<br>Pump Prices<br>(Pump Prices Inc |       | Full-Service<br>Pump Prices<br>cludes 13% HST) |       |
|                                      | Base<br>Wholesale<br>Price | Fed.<br>Excise<br>Tax | Prov.<br>Tax | Wholesale<br>Selling<br>Price | Min   | Max   | Min  | Max   |
| Zone 1                               |                            |                       |              |                               |   |       |  |       |
| Regular Unleaded                     | 62.6                       | 10.0                  | 15.5         | 88.1                          | 104.1   | 105.8 | 104.1  | 999.9 |
| Mid-Grade Unleaded                   | 65.6                       | 10.0                  | 15.5         | 91.1                          | 107.5   | 109.2 | 107.5  | 999.9 |
| Premium Unleaded                     | 68.6                       | 10.0                  | 15.5         | 94.1                          | 110.9   | 112.5 | 110.9  | 999.9 |
| Ultra-low Sulfur Diesel              | 64.5                       | 4.0                   | 15.4         | 83.9                          | 99.3  | 101.0 | 99.3   | 999.9 |
| Zone 2                               |                            |                       |              |                               |   |       |  |       |
| Regular Unleaded                     | 63.0                       | 10.0                  | 15.5         | 88.5                          | 104.5   | 106.2 | 104.5  | 999.9 |
| Mid-Grade Unleaded                   | 66.0                       | 10.0                  | 15.5         | 91.5                          | 107.9   | 109.6 | 107.9  | 999.9 |
| Premium Unleaded                     | 69.0                       | 10.0                  | 15.5         | 94.5                          | 111.3   | 113.0 | 111.3  | 999.9 |
| Ultra-low Sulfur Diesel              | 64.9                       | 4.0                   | 15.4         | 84.3                          | 99.8  | 101.5 | 99.8   | 999.9 |
| Zone 3                               |                            |                       |              |                               |   |       |  |       |
| Regular Unleaded                     | 63.5                       | 10.0                  | 15.5         | 89.0                          | 105.1   | 106.8 | 105.1  | 999.9 |
| Mid-Grade Unleaded                   | 66.5                       | 10.0                  | 15.5         | 92.0                          | 108.5   | 110.2 | 108.5  | 999.9 |
| Premium Unleaded                     | 69.5                       | 10.0                  | 15.5         | 95.0                          | 111.9   | 113.6 | 111.9  | 999.9 |
| Ultra-low Sulfur Diesel              | 65.4                       | 4.0                   | 15.4         | 84.8                          | 100.3   | 102.0 | 100.3  | 999.9 |
| Zone 4                               |                            |                       |              |                               | ***************************************         |       |  |       |
| Regular Unleaded                     | 63.5                       | 10.0                  | 15.5         | 89.0                          | 105.1   | 106.8 | 105.1  | 999.9 |
| Mid-Grade Unleaded                   | 66.5                       | 10.0                  | 15.5         | 92.0                          | 108.5   | 110.2 | 108.5  | 999.9 |
| Premium Unleaded                     | 69.5                       | 10.0                  | 15.5         | 95.0                          | <b>1</b> 11.9                                   | 113.6 | 111.9  | 999.9 |
| Ultra-low Sulfur Diesel              | 65.4                       | 4.0                   | 15.4         | 84.8                          | 100.3   | 102.0 | 100.3  | 999.9 |
| Zone 5                               |                            |                       |              |                               |   |       |  |       |
| Regular Unleaded                     | 63.5                       | 10.0                  | 15.5         | 89.0                          | 105.1   | 106.8 | 105.1  | 999.9 |
| Mid-Grade Unleaded                   | 66.5                       | 10.0                  | 15.5         | 92.0                          | 108.5   | 110.2 | 108.5  | 999.9 |
| Premium Unleaded                     | 69.5                       | 10.0                  | 15.5         | 95.0                          | 111.9   | 113.6 | 111.9  | 999.9 |
| Ultra-low Sulfur Diesel              | 65.4                       | 4.0                   | 15.4         | 84.8                          | 100.3   | 102.0 | 100.3  | 999.9 |
| Zone 6                               |                            |                       |              | *****                         |   |       |  |       |
| Regular Unleaded                     | 64.3                       | 10.0                  | 15.5         | 89.8                          | 106.0   | 107.7 | 106.0  | 999.9 |
| Mid-Grade Unleaded                   | 67.3                       | 10.0                  | 15.5         | 92.8                          | 109.4   | 111.1 | 109.4  | 999.9 |
| Premium Unleaded                     | 70.3                       | 10.0                  | 15.5         | 95.8                          | 112.8   | 114.5 | 112.8  | 999.9 |
| Ultra-low Sulfur Diesel              | 66.2                       | 4.0                   | 15.4         | 85.6                          | 101.2   | 102.9 | 101.2  | 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 sections 16 to 19 of the *Petroleum Products Pricing Regulations* 

**BEFORE:** 

Peter W. Gurnham, Q.C., Chair

Murray E. Doehler, CA, P. Eng., Member

Roberta J. Clarke, Q.C., Member

## ORDER

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 November 11, 2009, are:

Grade 1 Regular gasoline 55.5¢ per litre Ultra-low sulfur diesel oil 55.9¢ per litre

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NOW THEREFORE the Board prescribes the benchmark prices for petroleum products to be:

## Gasoline:

| Grade 1                     | 55.5 ¢ per litre |
|-----------------------------|------------------|
| Grade 2                     | 58.5 ¢ per litre |
| Grade 3                     | 61.5 ¢ per litre |
| Ultra-low sulfur diesel oil | 55.9 ¢ 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:

plus 0.8¢ per litre

Ultra-low sulfur diesel oil: plus 0.3¢ per litre

AND WHEREAS a winter blending adjustment of plus 2.0¢ 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., November 13, 2009.

Dated at Halifax, Nova Scotia, this 12th day of November, 2009.

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