NEWFOUNDLAND AND LABRADOR BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF PUBLIC UTILITIES

AN ORDER OF THE BOARD

NO. A.I. 52(2021)

- 1 IN THE MATTER OF the Automobile
- 2 Insurance Act, RSNL 1990, c. A-22,
- 3 as amended, and regulations
- 4 thereunder; and
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- 6 **IN THE MATTER OF** an application
- 7 by Facility Association for approval of
- 8 a revised rating program for its Private
- 9 Passenger Automobiles category of
- 10 automobile insurance.
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13 WHEREAS on November 17, 2021 Facility Association ("Facility") applied to the Board for 14 approval of a revised rating program for its Private Passenger Automobiles category of automobile 15 insurance in response to Order No. A.I. 48(2021); and

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- WHEREAS Facility proposed an overall rate level change of +6.9% based on a profit provision
 as a percentage of premium of 6.0% and a return on investment rate of 2.8%; and
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WHEREAS on November 23, 2021 the Board's actuarial consultants, Oliver Wyman Limited,
 reported that the proposed rate level change was consistent with the parameters specified by the
 Board in Order No. A.I. 48(2021); and

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WHEREAS the Board is satisfied that the proposed rates are just and reasonable in the circumstances, do not impair the solvency of the insurer, are not excessive in relation to the financial circumstances of the insurer, and do not violate the *Automobile Insurance Act* or the *Insurance Companies Act* or the respective regulations thereunder.

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30 IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

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1. The revised rating program received November 17, 2021 from Facility Association for its Private Passenger Automobiles category of automobile insurance is approved to be effective no sooner than April 1, 2022 for new business and renewals.

DATED at St. John's, Newfoundland and Labrador, this 3rd day of December 2021.

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Darlene Whalen, P. Eng., FEC Chair and Chief Executive Officer

John O'Brien, FCPA, FCA, CISA Commissioner

Sara Kean Assistant Board Secretary