NEWFOUNDLAND AND LABRADOR BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF PUBLIC UTILITIES

AN ORDER OF THE BOARD

NO. P.P. 55(2023)

- 1 IN THE MATTER OF the Petroleum Products
- 2 Act, SNL 2001, Chapter P-10.1 and
- 3 regulations thereunder; and
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- 5 IN THE MATTER OF an alternative pricing
- 6 methodology for gasoline motor fuel
- 7 maximum prices in Zone 11a Coastal
- 8 Labrador South (Tanker Supplied) pursuant
- 9 to Section 14.(2.6) of the Petroleum Products
- 10 Regulations; and
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- 12 IN THE MATTER OF the retail maximum
- 13 price for full-serve gasoline motor fuel
- 14 chargeable by Black Tickle Convenience
- 15 and Gas Inc. in Zone 11a Coastal Labrador
- 16 South (Tanker Supplied).
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WHEREAS Order No. P.P. 30(2023) approved a retail maximum price that could be charged by Black Tickle Convenience and Gas Inc. ("BTCG") for full-serve regular gasoline motor fuel in Zone 11a - Coastal Labrador South (Tanker Supplied) of 245.7 cents per litre, inclusive of applicable taxes, and a stove oil heating fuel retail maximum price of 185.05 cents per litre, exclusive of applicable taxes, effective May 4, 2023 until further order of the Board; and

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WHEREAS Order No. P.P. 42(2023) approved the implementation of a suspension of maximum
 price adjustments for gasoline motor fuel, diesel motor fuel and stove oil heating fuel in Zone
 11a - Coastal Labrador South (Tanker Supplied); and

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WHEREAS on August 19, 2023 BTCG received a subsequent delivery of gasoline motor fuel to its
 retail location; and

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- 32 WHEREAS on August 21, 2023 the Board requested cost, volumetric and delivery information
- 33 with respect to petroleum products at BTCG's retail location; and

WHEREAS on August 24, 2023 BTCG provided responses to the Board's request for information;
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WHEREAS BTCG indicated that no subsequent deliveries of stove oil heating fuel have occurred
at the retail location since November 2022; and

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WHEREAS based on its review of the cost, volumetric and delivery information provided by
BTCG with respect to gasoline motor fuel the Board is satisfied that an alternative methodology
should be established for full-serve regular gasoline motor fuel maximum prices for BTCG in
Zone 11a - Coastal Labrador South (Tanker Supplied) to reflect the cost of the product which
was purchased in August 2023; and

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13 **WHEREAS** the Board finds that a retail maximum price of up to 208.0 cents per litre, including 14 applicable taxes, should be established for BTCG for full-serve regular gasoline motor fuel in 15 Zone 11a - Coastal Labrador South (Tanker Supplied).

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18 IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

Black Tickle Convenience and Gas Inc. can charge a retail maximum price of up to 208.0
 cents per litre, taxes included, for full-serve regular gasoline motor fuel in Zone 11a Coastal Labrador South (Tanker Supplied), effective 12:01 a.m., Thursday, August 31, 2023,
 until further Order of the Board.

DATED at St. John's, Newfoundland and Labrador, this 30th day of August, 2023.

Dwanda Newman, LL.B.

Vice-Chair

John O'Brien, FCPA, FCA, CISA Commissioner

Sara Kean Assistant Board Secretary