NEWFOUNDLAND AND LABRADOR BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF PUBLIC UTILITIES

AN ORDER OF THE BOARD

NO. P.P. 68(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 stove oil heating fuel and
- 7 gasoline motor fuel maximum prices in Zone 11a -
- 8 Coastal 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 prices for stove oil heating fuel and full-serve
- 14 gasoline motor fuel chargeable by Black Tickle
- 15 Convenience and Gas Inc. in Zone 11a Coastal
- 16 Labrador 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 stove oil heating fuel in Zone 11a Coastal
 Labrador South (Tanker Supplied) 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. 55(2023) approved a retail maximum price that could be charged by
 BTCG for full-serve regular gasoline motor fuel in Zone 11a - Coastal Labrador South (Tanker
 Supplied) of 208.0 cents per litre, inclusive of applicable taxes, effective August 31, 2023 until
 further order of the Board; and

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- WHEREAS on October 7, 2023 BTCG received a subsequent delivery of stove oil heating fuel and
 gasoline motor fuel to its retail location; and
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- 32 WHEREAS on October 24, 2023 the Board requested cost, volumetric and delivery information
- 33 with respect to petroleum products at BTCG's retail location; and

1 **WHEREAS** on October 25, 2023 BTCG provided responses to the Board's request for 2 information; and

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4 **WHEREAS** BTCG indicated that this is the first delivery of stove oil heating fuel that has 5 occurred at the retail location since November 2022, and the first delivery of gasoline motor 6 fuel that has occurred at the retail location since August 2023; and

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8 WHEREAS based on its review of the cost, volumetric and delivery information provided by 9 BTCG with respect to stove oil heating fuel and gasoline motor fuel the Board is satisfied that an 10 alternative methodology should be established for stove oil heating fuel and full-serve regular 11 gasoline motor fuel maximum retail prices for BTCG in Zone 11a - Coastal Labrador South 12 (Tanker Supplied) to reflect the cost of the products that were purchased in October 2023; and

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WHEREAS the Board finds that a retail maximum price of up to 176.52 cents per litre, excluding
 applicable taxes, should be established for BTCG for stove oil heating fuel in Zone 11a - Coastal
 Labrador South (Tanker Supplied); and

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WHEREAS the Board finds that a retail maximum price of up to 199.1 cents per litre, including
applicable taxes, should be established for BTCG for full-serve regular gasoline motor fuel in
Zone 11a - Coastal Labrador South (Tanker Supplied).

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23 IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

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Black Tickle Convenience and Gas Inc. can charge a retail maximum price of up to 176.52
 cents per litre, taxes excluded, for stove oil heating fuel in Zone 11a - Coastal Labrador
 South (Tanker Supplied), effective 12:01 a.m., Thursday, November 2, 2023, until further
 Order of the Board.

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Black Tickle Convenience and Gas Inc. can charge a retail maximum price of up to 199.1
 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, November 2,
 2023, until further Order of the Board.

DATED at St. John's, Newfoundland and Labrador, this 1st day of November, 2023.

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Vice-Chair

John O'Brien, FCPA, FCA, CISA Commissioner

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Jo-Anne Galarneau Executive Director and Board Secretary