## NEWFOUNDLAND AND LABRADOR BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF PUBLIC UTILITIES

## AN ORDER OF THE BOARD

## NO. P.U. 38(2017)

- 1 IN THE MATTER OF the *Electrical Power*
- 2 Control Act, 1994, SNL 1994, Chapter E-5.1 (the
- 3 "EPCA") and the Public Utilities Act, RSNL
- 4 1990, Chapter P-47 (the "Act"), as amended,
- 5 and regulations thereunder; and
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- 7 IN THE MATTER OF an application by
- 8 Newfoundland Power Inc. for approval of a
- 9 Contribution in Aid of Construction to provide
- 10 three-phase service to a lift station on Indian
- 11 Pond Drive in the Town of Conception Bay South,
- 12 pursuant to section 41 of the Act.
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15 WHEREAS Newfoundland Power Inc. ("Newfoundland Power") is a corporation duly 16 organized and existing under the laws of the Province of Newfoundland and Labrador, is a

- 17 public utility within the meaning of the *Act*, and is also subject to the provisions of the *EPCA*;
- and and
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- 20 WHEREAS on November 14, 2017 Newfoundland Power filed an application for approval of
- 21 a Contribution in Aid of Construction ("CIAC") to provide three-phase service to a lift station
- on Indian Pond Drive in the Town of Conception Bay South by upgrading 860 metres of
- 23 single-phase line to three-phase standard; and
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- WHEREAS the CIAC, calculated in accordance with Clause 5(e) of the CIAC Policy: Distribution Line Extensions and Upgrades to General Service Customers approved by Order No. P.U. 27(2005) (the "Policy"), is one hundred and fourteen thousand five hundred and eighty two dollars and sixty one cents (\$114,582.61), excluding HST; and
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- WHEREAS Clause 10(ii) of the Policy states that the company shall apply to the Board for
   approval of all line extensions or upgrades involving CIACs where the cost of the line
   extension or upgrade is calculated pursuant to Clause 5(e); and
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- 34 WHEREAS the proposed CIAC is necessary to ensure that Newfoundland Power's investment
- is compensatory over the useful life of the upgrade and will not be to the detriment of its other customers.

## IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

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  3 1. The Contribution in Aid of Construction of one hundred and fourteen thousand five hundred
  4 and eighty two dollars and sixty one cents (\$114,582.61), excluding HST, to provide three5 phase service to a lift station on Indian Pond Drive in the Town of Conception Bay South is
  6 approved.
- 8 2. Newfoundland Power shall pay all expenses of the Board arising from this Application.

DATED at St. John's, Newfoundland and Labrador, this 24<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2017.

Darlene Whalen, P.Eng. Vice-Chair

James Oxford Commissioner

Cheryl Blundon Board Secretary