NEWFOUNDLAND AND LABRADOR
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF PUBLIC UTILITIES

AN ORDER OF THE BOARD

NO. P.U. 48(2014)

IN THE MATTER OF the Electrical Power
Control Act, 1994, SNL 1994, Chapter E-5.1
(the “EPCA”) and the Public Utilities Act, RSNL
1990, Chapter P-47 (the “Act”), as amended,
and regulations thereunder; and

IN THE MATTER OF an application by
Newfoundland Power Inc. for approval of a
Contribution in Aid of Construction for a line
extension to serve domestic customers in the
cottage area known as Square Pond East, near
the Town of Gambo pursuant to section 41 of
the Act.

WHEREAS Newfoundland Power Inc. (“Newfoundland Power”) is a corporation duly
organized and existing under the laws of the Province of Newfoundland and Labrador, is a public
utility within the meaning of the Act, and is also subject to the provisions of the EPCA; and

WHEREAS on November 10, 2014 Newfoundland Power filed an application for approval of a
Contribution in Aid of Construction (“CIAC”) for a single-phase line extension of approximately
2,438 metres (the “Extension”) to serve domestic customers in a cottage area known as Square
Pond East, near the Town of Gambo; and

WHEREAS eleven potential customers of the area (the “Participating Customers”) have requested that Newfoundland Power provide electrical service; and

WHEREAS the Participating Customers have requested the Non-Refundable CIAC Option
provided for in Clause 6 of the CIAC Policy: Distribution Line Extensions to Domestic
Customers approved by Order No. P.U. 27 (2005), dated November 2, 2005, (the “Policy”), and

WHEREAS the Non-Refundable CIAC, calculated in accordance with Clause 6 of the Policy is
four thousand three hundred and fifty dollars and seventy-five cents ($4,350.75), excluding HST; and

WHEREAS the sum of the Non-Refundable CIAC calculated pursuant to Clause 6 and the Basic
Investment calculated pursuant to Clause 3 exceeds $50,000 and therefore, in accordance with
Clause 10(i) of the Policy, Board approval is required; and
WHEREAS the Policy provides that the minimum Participation Percentage necessary to avail of the Non-Refundable CIAC Option is 50%, and to date, 11 of the 21 potential customers, constituting a participation percentage of 52%, have provided Newfoundland Power with written confirmation that they will accept service and have paid the minimum down-payment; and

WHEREAS Newfoundland Power, pursuant to section 41(5) of the Act, requests that the Board approve a Non-Refundable CIAC of four thousand three hundred and fifty dollars and seventy-five cents ($4,350.75), excluding HST, for each customer of the cottage area known as Square Pond East, near the Town of Gambo; and

WHEREAS the proposed CIAC is necessary to ensure that Newfoundland Power's investment is compensatory over the useful life of the Extension and will not be to the detriment of Newfoundland Power's other customers.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

1. The Non-Refundable Contribution in Aid of Construction of four thousand three hundred and fifty dollars and seventy-five cents ($4,350.75), excluding HST, to apply to Domestic Customers located in the cottage area known as Square Pond East, near the Town of Gambo, is approved.

2. Newfoundland Power shall pay all expenses of the Board arising from this Application.

DATED at St. John’s, Newfoundland and Labrador, this 28th day of November 2014.

Andy Wells
Chair & Chief Executive Officer

Darlene Whalen, P.Eng.
Vice-Chair

Cheryl Blundon
Board Secretary