

**NEWFOUNDLAND AND LABRADOR
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF PUBLIC UTILITIES**

AN ORDER OF THE BOARD

NO. P.U. 22(2023)

1 **IN THE MATTER OF** the **Electrical Power**
2 **Control Act, 1994**, SNL 1994, Chapter E-5.1
3 (the “**EPCA**”) and the **Public Utilities Act**,
4 RSNL 1990, Chapter P-47 (the “**Act**”), as
5 amended, and regulations thereunder; and
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7 **IN THE MATTER OF** an application by
8 Newfoundland Power Inc. for approval of
9 a Contribution in Aid of Construction for a line
10 extension to serve customers in the cottage
11 area known as Jonathan’s Pond, near the Town
12 of Gander pursuant to section 41 of the **Act**.
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15 **WHEREAS** Newfoundland Power Inc. (“Newfoundland Power”) is a corporation duly organized
16 and existing under the laws of the Province of Newfoundland and Labrador, is a public utility
17 within the meaning of the **Act**, and is also subject to the provisions of the **EPCA**; and
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19 **WHEREAS** on August 7, 2023 Newfoundland Power filed an application for approval of a
20 Contribution in Aid of Construction (“CIAC”) for a single-phase line extension of approximately
21 4,550 metres to serve Domestic Customers in a cottage area known as Jonathan’s Pond, near the
22 Town of Gander (“Jonathan’s Pond”); and
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24 **WHEREAS** 15 of 28 customers at Jonathan’s Pond (“Participating Customers”) have requested
25 that Newfoundland Power provide service; and
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27 **WHEREAS** the Participating Customers have requested the Non-Refundable CIAC Option
28 provided for in Clause 6 of the CIAC Policy: Distribution Line Extensions to Domestic Customers
29 approved by Order No. P.U. 27(2005) (the “Policy”); and
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31 **WHEREAS** the Non-Refundable CIAC for the Participating Customers, calculated in accordance
32 with Clause 6(a) of the Policy is ten thousand eleven dollars and sixteen cents (\$10,011.16); and

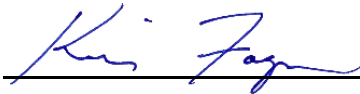
1 **WHEREAS** the sum of the Non-Refundable CIAC calculated pursuant to Clause 6 and the Basic
2 Investment calculated pursuant to Clause 3 is greater than \$50,000 and therefore, in accordance
3 with Clause 10 of the Policy, Board approval is required; and
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5 **WHEREAS** the proposed CIAC is necessary to ensure Newfoundland Power’s investment is
6 compensatory over the useful life of the extension and will not be to the detriment of its other
7 customers.
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10 **IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:**
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- 12 1. The Non-Refundable Contribution in Aid of Construction of ten thousand eleven dollars and
13 sixteen cents (\$10,011.16), excluding HST, to provide single-phase service to customers
14 located in the cottage area known as Jonathan’s Pond, near the Town of Gander is approved.
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16 2. Newfoundland Power shall pay all expenses of the Board arising from this Application.

DATED at St. John’s, Newfoundland and Labrador, this 18th day of August 2023.



Kevin Fagan
Chair



Christopher Pike, LL.B., FCIP
Commissioner



Sara Kean
Assistant Board Secretary