

Press Release

Board releases decision on Application by Newfoundland and Labrador Hydro for the Abandonment and Decommissioning of the Diesel Generating Station and Distribution System at Great Harbour Deep

The Board of Commissioners of Public Utilities has today issued P.U. 26 (2002-2003) giving consent for Newfoundland and Labrador Hydro (“Hydro”) to abandon and decommission its diesel generating station and electrical distribution system in the Town of Great Harbour Deep on or after October 31, 2002. The application was filed by Hydro under section 38 of the *Public Utilities Act* on August 9, 2002. The Board published notice of the application on October 7, 2002 inviting written submissions from interested persons. These submissions formed part of the evidence considered by the Board in reaching its decision.

A copy of the Board’s order can be found on the Board’s website www.pub.nf.ca.