

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

AN ORDER OF THE BOARD

NO. P.U. 16(2012)

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 1990,
4 Chapter P-47 (the "*Act*") and regulations thereunder;

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6 **AND**
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8 **IN THE MATTER OF** an application by
9 Newfoundland Power Inc. pursuant to
10 Section 41 of the *Act* for the approval of a
11 Contribution in Aid of Construction to
12 provide three-phase electrical service to
13 Karwood Contracting Ltd.
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16 **WHEREAS** Newfoundland Power Inc. ("Newfoundland Power") is a corporation duly
17 organized and existing under the laws of the Province of Newfoundland and Labrador, is a
18 public utility within the meaning of the *Act*, and is also subject to the provisions of the
19 *EPCA*; and
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21 **WHEREAS** on May 24, 2012 Newfoundland Power filed an application for approval of a
22 Contribution in Aid of Construction ("CIAC") to provide three-phase electrical service to
23 Karwood Contracting Ltd.; and
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25 **WHEREAS** provision of the requested service will require Newfoundland Power to
26 construct approximately 1,044-metres of three-phase line extension to serve two lift stations
27 located on Bremigen's Boulevard in the Town of Paradise; and
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29 **WHEREAS** the total estimated peak demand of the two lift stations is 10 kW; and
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31 **WHEREAS** the CIAC, calculated in accordance with Clause 5(a) of the CIAC Policy, is
32 fifty-one thousand five hundred dollars (\$51,500), excluding HST; and
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34 **WHEREAS** the cost of the line extension calculated pursuant to Clause 5(a) exceeds
35 \$50,000, and therefore in accordance with Clause 10(i) of the CIAC Policy Board approval
36 is required; and

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

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6 **IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:**

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8 1. The Contribution in Aid of Construction of fifty-one thousand five hundred dollars
9 (\$51,500), excluding HST, to apply to Karwood Contracting Ltd., is approved.
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11 2. Newfoundland Power shall pay all expenses of the Board arising from this Application.

Dated at St. John's, Newfoundland and Labrador, this 7th day of June, 2012.

Darlene Whalen, P.Eng.
Vice-Chairperson

Dwanda Newman, LL.B.
Commissioner

Cheryl Blundon
Board Secretary