

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

AN ORDER OF THE BOARD

NO. P.U. 6(2015)

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*"), as amended, and regulations
5 thereunder; and
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7 **IN THE MATTER OF** an application by Newfoundland
8 and Labrador Hydro for approval of revisions, on an
9 interim basis, to the utility rate charged to Newfoundland
10 Power Inc. pursuant to sections 70 and 71 of the *Act*; and
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12 **IN THE MATTER OF** an application for costs by Vale
13 Newfoundland & Labrador Limited pursuant to Order
14 No. P.U. 47(2014).
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17 **WHEREAS** Newfoundland and Labrador Hydro ("Hydro") is a corporation continued and
18 existing under the *Hydro Corporation Act*, is a public utility within the meaning of the *Act*, and
19 is also subject to the provisions of the *EPCA*; and
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21 **WHEREAS** section 90 of the *Act* gives the Board the authority and discretion to award costs in
22 a proceeding before the Board; and
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24 **WHEREAS** in Order No P.U. 47(2014) the Board found that Vale Newfoundland & Labrador
25 Limited ("Vale") was entitled to an award of costs; and
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27 **WHEREAS** on December 10, 2014 Vale filed a cost submission with the Board for approval of
28 costs in the amount of \$7,480.67 (exclusive of HST); and
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30 **WHEREAS** the Board requested comments on the bill of costs from Hydro and on February 16,
31 2015 Hydro advised that it did not have any comments; and
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33 **WHEREAS** the Board has reviewed the bill of costs submitted by Vale and is satisfied that
34 Vale's costs should be fixed in the amount of \$7,480.67 (exclusive of HST).

1 **IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:**

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1. The costs of Vale are fixed at \$7,480.67, exclusive of HST.
2. Hydro shall, within thirty days, pay costs to Vale in the amount of \$7,480.67.

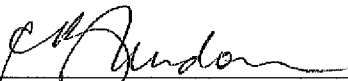
DATED at St. John's, Newfoundland and Labrador this 3rd day of March 2015.



Darlene Whalen, P.Eng.
Vice-Chair



James Oxford
Commissioner



Cheryl Blundon
Board Secretary