Board of Commissioners of Public Utilities

PUBLIC SERVICE BULLETIN NOVEMBER 14, 2003

Newfoundland and Labrador Hydro's 2003 General Rate Application Schedule for Public Participation Days

The Board of Commissioners of Public Utilities has set the schedule for the hearing of public presentations in Newfoundland and Labrador Hydro's 2003 General Rate Application. The Public Participation Days will provide an opportunity for members of the public to present their views on Hydro's application, as well as on the complaint from the Towns of Labrador City and Wabush that the rates proposed for Labrador West are discriminatory.

The schedule has been set as follows:

<u>DATE</u>	<u>TIME</u>	LOCATION
Monday, November 24, 2003	10:00 A.M.	Holiday Inn Stephenville
Tuesday, November 25, 2003	9:30 A.M.	Glynmill Inn, Corner Brook
Wednesday, November 26, 2003	9:30 A.M.	O'Brien Hall Labrador City
Thursday, November 27, 2003	9:30 A.M.	Labrador Friendship Centre Happy Valley-Goose Bay
Monday, December 8, 2003	9:00 A.M.	Board's Hearing Room St. John's

Notice of this Hearing and Invitation for Public Participation was published in newspapers throughout the province starting on September 20, 2003.

For further information on how to participate in the public participation days or clarification of the Board's procedures, please contact the Board Secretary before 12:00 noon on Wednesday, November 19, 2003.

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Copies of the Application are available for public viewing at the offices of the Board or on the Board's website at www.pub.nf.ca. A copy of the Application can also be viewed at any of Newfoundland and Labrador Hydro's regional offices located throughout the Province.

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The following is a <u>PUBLIC SERVICE BULLETIN</u> with respect to Public Participation Days scheduled throughout the Province as part of the hearing of Newfoundland & Labrador Hydro's 2003 General Rate Application.

It would be greatly appreciated if you can make the appropriate announcement, applicable to your service area available on your Public Service Announcements daily until Wednesday November 19, 2003 and again during the week of November 23, 2003

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at 726-8600.

Thank-you,

Cheryl Blundon Board Secretary

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For your information please find attached a <u>PUBLIC SERVICE BULLETIN</u> that will be distributed throughout the province with respect to Public Participation Days scheduled in the hearing of Newfoundland & Labrador Hydro's 2003 General Rate Application.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at 726-8600.

Thank-you, Cheryl Blundon Board Secretary