## THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF PUBLIC UTILITIES OF NEW BRUNSWICK

IN THE MATTER OF AN APPLICATION by WPS Canada Generation, Inc. (the "Company") for approval of an Open Access Transmission Tariff

## **NOTICE**

The Company is required pursuant to Sections 55 and 56 of the *Public Utilities Act*, Chapter P-27, RSNB (the "Act") and Section 16 of *An Act to Amend the Public Utilities Act*, Chapter 30, SNB 2002, to make Application to the Board of Commissioners of Public Utilities (the "Board") before charging or changing any charge, rate or toll or any tariff in respect of transmission services or ancillary services, from the period commencing December 31, 2004; and

The Company has filed an Application with the Board for a review of the evidence to support its proposed Tariff; and

The Company has applied to the Board to hold a hearing to review the Application and pursuant to Paragraphs 57 (2) (a) and (b) of the Act, to confirm, alter, reduce or modify the Tariff and set the time at which the Tariff is to take effect.

## NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Board has ordered the following:

- (a) That a hearing shall be held to review the evidence to be filed in support of the Application by the Company.
- (b) That the Company's evidence in support of its Application shall be filed with the Board by no later than August 25, 2004.
- (c) That a pre-hearing conference shall be held in the offices of the Board, 15 Market Square, Suite 1400 in Saint John, New Brunswick, commencing on Friday the 17<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2004, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, when and where intervenors and the Company should attend and make representations as to the nature and timing of the hearing and the procedure to be followed prior to and at the hearing and as to any other relevant matters.
- (d) The Company's Filing Memorandum, Application and evidence, and the Board's Order, will be placed on file on Thursday, the 26<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2004, for

examination by interested parties during normal business hours, in the offices of the Board, in the Fredericton and Moncton offices of McInnes Cooper, counsel to the Company, and at the Town Hall in the Village of Perth-Andover.

- (e) Copies of these documents will be posted on the Board's website: <a href="www.pub.nb.ca">www.pub.nb.ca</a> and shall also be made available upon the request of Interested Parties by contacting Mr. Edward Howard at (207) 493-6613 or at <a href="ehoward@wpsenergy.com">ehoward@wpsenergy.com</a> or Mr. David MacDougall at (902) 424-1316 or at <a href="david.macdougall@mcinnescooper.com">david.macdougall@mcinnescooper.com</a>.
- (f) That persons intending to intervene must notify the Board in writing, stating whether they wish to have formal or informal status, their choice of language for the proceeding and indicating the nature of their proposed intervention, at the address below, no later than Thursday, September 9, 2004.
- (g) A copy of the Board's full Order may be obtained by calling (506) 658-2504 or in writing to:

Board of Commissioners of Public Utilities P.O. Box 5001 15 Market Square Suite 1400 Saint John, New Brunswick E2L 4Y9

DATED at the City of Saint John, this 17<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2004.

BY THE BOARD

Lorraine R. Legérè
Secretary to the Board
Board of Commissioners of
Public Utilities of New Brunswick