

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

**IN THE MATTER OF an Application by New
Brunswick Power Corporation for the approval of an
Open Access Transmission Tariff.**

NOTICE

New Brunswick Power Corporation ("NB Power") is required, pursuant to Section 56 of the Public Utilities Act, Chapter P-27 RSNB ("the Act") to apply to the Board of Commissioners of Public Utilities ("the Board") for approval of an Open Access Transmission Tariff. Such Tariff to include terms and conditions, including rates for transmission services and ancillary services, service agreements, interconnection agreements, a transmission expansion policy and the Standards of Conduct under which service will be provided; and,

NB Power has filed an Application with the Board for a review of the Evidence to support the proposed Open Access Transmission Tariff; and,

NB Power has applied to this Board to hold a public hearing to review the Application and, pursuant to Subsection 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 public hearing shall be held to review the application of NB Power.**
- b) That a Pre-Hearing conference shall be held in the Montague Room of the Trade and Convention Center, One Market Square, Saint John, New Brunswick, on Monday the 12th day of August 2002 commencing at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, when and where Intervenors and NB Power should attend and make representations as to the procedure to be followed at the public hearing and as to any other relevant matters.**
- c) The Filing Memorandum, the Application, the Board's Order and NB Power's Evidence will be placed on file on Thursday the 25th day of July 2002 for examination by interested parties during normal business hours in the offices of this Board and in the following NB Power business offices in New Brunswick:**

**Rothesay
Sussex
St. Stephen
Chatham
Tracadie
Bouctouche**

**Woodstock
Moncton
Fredericton
Bathurst
Grand Falls
Shediac**

- d) Anyone who wishes to be served with a copy of the Evidence must notify the Applicant at 515 King Street, Fredericton, New Brunswick, E3B 4X1 Ph: (506) 458-4050 at least four (4) days prior to the date that the Evidence will be available.**
- e) That persons intending to intervene must notify the Board and the Applicant in writing, stating whether they wish to have formal or informal status, their choice of language for the hearing and indicating the nature of their proposed intervention, at the address below, no later than Tuesday the 6th day of August 2002.**
- e) 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
PO Box 5001
15 Market Square
Suite 1400
Saint John, NB
E2L 4Y9**

DATED at the City of Saint John this 24th day of June 2002.

BY THE BOARD

**Lorraine R. Légère
Secretary
New Brunswick Board of**

Commissioners of Public Utilities