IN THE MATTER OF:

The Public Utilities Board Act, C.C.S.M.c.P280

AND IN THE MATTER OF:

An Application from The Manitoba Public Insurance Corporation pursuant to The Crown Corporations Public Review Accountability and Consequential Amendments Act.

I, Paul Vieira, of the City of Winnipeg, in the Province of Manitoba, Manager, Advertising, MAKE OATH AND SAY:

1.

THAT attached hereto and marked as Exhibit "1" to this my Affidavit is the Notice of Public Hearing duly signed by Jennifer Dubois, Assistant Associate Secretary of The Public Utilities Board, and dated June 17<sup>th</sup>, 2016.

2.

THAT The Public Utilities Board required The Manitoba Public Insurance Corporation to publish said Notice of Public Hearing in the following newspapers:

Altona Red River Valley Echo Baldur Glenboro Gazette Beausejour-Lac du Bonnet Weekly Boissevain Recorder **Brandon Sun Brandon Wheat City News** Carberry News – Express Carman Valley Leader Cartwright South Manitoba Review Central Plains Herald Leader Crossroads this Week Dauphin Herald Deloraine Times & Star **Emerson Southeast Journal Express Weekly News** Flin Flon Reminder **Grandview Exponent** Headingley Headliner Interlake Enterprise Interlake Spectator Killarney Guide La Liberte Manitoba Cooperator Manitou Western Canadian Melita New Era

Minnedosa Tribune Morden Times Neepawa Banner Neepawa Press Pilot Mound Sentinel Courier Reston Recorder Rivers Banner Roblin Review Russell Banner Selkirk Journal Selkirk Record Shilo Stag **Snow Lake Underground Press** Souris Plaindealer South Mountain Press Steinbach Carillon Stonewall Argus/Teulon Times Stonewall Teulon Tribune Swan River Star & Times The Pas Opasquia Times Thompson Citizen **Thompson Nickel Belt News Treherne Times** Virden Empire Advance Winkler Morden Voice Winkler Times Winnipeg Free Press Winnipeg Sun

- THAT attached hereto and marked as Exhibit "2" to this my Affidavit is the tearsheet from the Winnipeg Sun dated June 17<sup>th</sup>, 2016 in which the Notice of Public Hearing was published.
- 4. THAT I have been advised, and do verily believe, that the same Notice of Public Hearing as set out in Exhibit "2" to this my Affidavit, was published in all the newspapers listed in paragraph 2 of this my Affidavit. This Notice of Public Hearing was published in the said newspapers on various dates ranging from June 25<sup>th</sup>, 2016 up to and including July 1<sup>st</sup>, 2016.

5.

THAT the proper publications were made in all the newspapers required by The Public Utilities Board and within the proper time frame.

SWORN BEFORE ME, at the City of Winnipeg, in the Province of Manitoba, this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of October, 2016.

Paul Vieira

A Commissioner for Oaths in Winnipeg and for the Province of Manitoba.

My commission expires on the 10<sup>th</sup> day of September A.D., 2017.



# Notice of Public Hearing and Pre-Hearing Conference

### **Applicant: Manitoba Public Insurance Corporation**

### **HEARING:**

The Public Utilities Board (Board) anticipates holding a public hearing of an application from Manitoba Public Insurance Corporation (MPI) for approval of rates and premiums for compulsory vehicle and driver insurance as of March 1, 2017. The hearing would take place at the Board's Hearing Room, 4th Floor, 330 Portage Avenue, Winnipeg, MB (commencing at 9:00 a.m.) on October 13, 2016. A Pre-Hearing Conference is to be convened by the Board in its offices at 9:00 a.m. on June 30, 2016.

#### RATE IMPACT:

The Corporation is requesting approval for Basic Autopac vehicle and drivers licence insurance rates and premiums effective March 1, 2017, which, if approved, will result in 2% overall change in MPI's Basic premium revenue (excluding the impact of vehicle upgrades and an increased overall driver and vehicle population). The Corporation is also requesting an Interest Rate Forecast Risk Factor, also effective March 1, 2017, to be developed collaboratively through the General Rate Application process.

Actual vehicle and driver premiums would vary depending on claim and driving experience, insurance use, territory and vehicle rate group. Full particulars, including the rate impact and application, can be found on the Manitoba Public Insurance website www.mpi.mb.ca.

### PRE-HEARING CONFERENCE:

Those seeking Intervener status should notify the Board of their intention by applying to the Board Secretary before the now scheduled Pre-Hearing Conference of June 30, 2016. Interveners may be entitled to financial assistance, and the Board's Rules of Practice and Procedure (Rules) provide the related guidelines, which can be seen at the Board's website www.pub.gov.mb.ca or obtained on request to the Board, by either emailing (publicutilities@gov.mb.ca), writing or calling the Board Secretary (204-945-2638 or 1-866-854-3698, toll free). Parties wishing to submit a brief or to express comments at the hearing should also contact the Board Secretary.



Five days notice required.

### GENERAL INFORMATION:

Interested parties should take note that the Board does not have jurisdiction over the MPI lines of business denoted as Extension or SRE, or as to MPI's Driver and Vehicle Licensing operation.

Persons seeking further information as to MPI's application, or with respect to the Board's process, and/or wishing to address the public hearing in French should notify the Board Secretary by August 26, 2016. As well, interested parties may examine MPI's application and supporting materials, either at the offices of the Corporation or on its website, or the Board's office.

The Manitoba Ombudsman has recently issued privacy guidelines for administrative tribunals. The Board is mindful of its obligations under those guidelines. Its decisions in respect of the application being considered will be sensitive to the guidelines. Personal information will not be disclosed unless it is appropriate and necessary to do so. However, the Board advises participants that these proceedings are public and that as a result, personal information protections are reduced.

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DATED this 17th day of June, 2016

Jennifer Dubois, CPA, CMA Assistant Associate Secretary The Public Utilities Board



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This is Exhibit "2" Referred To In
The Affidavit Of Paul Vicina
Sworn Before Me
At The City of Winnipeg In Manitoba
This 3rd Day Of October A.D. 2016