



**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, 2015. 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 7, 2014. A Pre-Hearing Conference is to be convened by the Board in its offices at 9:30 a.m. on July 9, 2014.

Rate Impact

The Corporation is requesting approval for Basic Autopac vehicle and drivers licence insurance rates and premiums effective March 1, 2015, which, if approved, would result in a 2.4% overall increase in MPI's Basic premium revenue (excluding the impact of vehicle upgrades and an increased overall driver and vehicle population) and a 1.0% Rate Stabilization Reserve Rebuilding Fee.

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 July 9, 2014. 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 at www.pub.gov.mb.ca or obtained by request to the Board (see contact information below). Parties wishing to submit a brief or to express comments at the hearing should also contact the Board Secretary.

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 29, 2014. 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 or on its website.

Contact Information

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DATED this 18th day of June, 2014

"Original Signed By:"

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The Public Utilities Board

Wheelchair access is available



Five days notice required

