

Notice of Public Hearing and Pre-Hearing Conference

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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 effective April 1, 2024 through March 31, 2025. The electronic virtual hearing will be available for viewing via the PUB website link. The public hearing will commence Tuesday, October 10, 2023 at 9:00 a.m. A Pre-Hearing Conference will be convened by the Board at 9:00 a.m. on Wednesday, June 28th, 2023.

RATE IMPACT:

MPI requests no changes to the rates for service for the 12-month period April 1, 2024, through March 31, 2025.

MPI will update calculated projected claims and expenses in advance of the public hearing to reflect the most current interest rates and financial information. The rate request will be subject to testing at the public hearing, and later confirmed through an Order of the Board.

PRE-HEARING CONFERENCE:

Those seeking Intervener status should notify the Board of their intention, by applying to the Board Secretary by June 28th, 2023. Interveners may be entitled to financial assistance. The Board's Rules of Practice and Procedure provide the related guidelines, which can be viewed on the Board's website: www.pubmanitoba.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 express comments at the hearing should contact the Board through its online comment tool.

GENERAL INFORMATION:

Interested parties should take note that the Board does not have jurisdiction over MPI lines of business known as Extension or Special Risk Extension (commercial trucking), or over MPI's Driver & Vehicle Licensing operations.

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 September 1, 2023. As well, interested parties may examine MPI's application and supporting materials, either on the MPI website, or in the Board's office.

The Manitoba Ombudsman has issued privacy guidelines for administrative tribunals. The Board is mindful of its obligations under those guidelines. Decisions made by the Board 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, the protection of personal information is reduced.

CONTACT INFORMATION:

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DATED this 23 day of May, 2023

Dr. Darren Christle Secretary and Executive Director

The Public Utilities Board

Wheelchair access is available



Five days' notice required



