



News Release

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By Board Order 140/11, the Public Utilities Board (Board) finalizes an overall rate increase of 2.5% for Stittco Utilities Man Ltd, effective for propane consumed on or after August 1, 2011.

Stittco's commodity rate decrease of 0.8% is outweighed by an increase in its non-commodity rate of 7.22% - decreases in the Utility's customer base and volumes drive the non-commodity rate change. Heating by propane remains considerably more costly than by electricity, although conversion costs are incurred in switching to electricity.

A copy of the Order, which contains additional information, may be reviewed on the Board's website www.pub.gov.mb.ca, or be obtained through the Board's Office.

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