

News Release

January 22, 2020

NOTICE OF DECISION

The Public Utilities Board (Board) approved an increase in the Stittco Utilities Man Ltd. (Stittco) propane commodity rate from \$0.8385/m³ to \$0.8765/m³ for propane consumed on or after February 1, 2020. Propane distribution rates remain unchanged. Propane is sold on a cost recovery basis without markup by Stittco to its customers.

The new propane rate contributes to an increase in the average residential bill by approximately 1.5% when compared to current propane rates that were approved January 1, 2020. Actual customer impacts will depend on propane consumption. Propane rates will be reviewed again May 1, 2020.

The Board is an impartial tribunal and regulator, arm's length from government, which acts in the public interest.

Board Order 7/20, contains additional information on Stittco's Application and the Board's decision. The Order is available on the Board's website at www.pubmanitoba.ca, or through the Board's Office.

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