NEWFOUNDLAND AND LABRADOR BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF PUBLIC UTILITIES

AN ORDER OF THE BOARD

NO. A.I. 1(2025)

IN THE MATTER OF the Automobile 1 2 Insurance Act, RSNL 1990, c. A-22, 3 as amended and regulations 4 thereunder; and 5 6 **IN THE MATTER OF** an application by 7 Primmum Insurance Company for 8 approval to implement rating program 9 changes for its Private Passenger 10 Automobiles category of automobile 11 insurance. 12 13 14 WHEREAS on November 18, 2024 Primmum Insurance Company ("Primmum") applied to the 15 Board under the Supplemental filing option for approval of rating program changes applicable to 16 its Private Passenger Automobiles category of automobile insurance; and 17 18 WHEREAS Primmum proposed various rating variable and algorithm changes resulting in an 19 overall average rate level change of -2.6%; and 20 21 WHEREAS the rate filing was forwarded to the Board's actuarial consultants, Oliver Wyman 22 Limited ("Oliver Wyman") for review; and 23 24 WHEREAS on January 7, 2025 Oliver Wyman reported that it found all of Primmum's proposed 25 changes to be reasonable from an actuarial standpoint; and 26 27 WHEREAS the proposal is filed in accordance with the Supplemental Filing Guidelines; and 28 29 WHEREAS the Board is satisfied that the proposed rates are just and reasonable in the 30 circumstances, do not impair the solvency of the insurer, are not excessive in relation to the 31 financial circumstances of the insurer, and do not violate the Automobile Insurance Act or the 32 Insurance Companies Act or the respective regulations thereunder.

1 IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

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- 3 1. The proposal received November 18, 2024 from Primmum Insurance Company for its Private
- 4 Passenger Automobiles category of automobile insurance is approved to be effective no
- 5 sooner than April 11, 2025 for new business and May 28, 2025 for renewals.

DATED at St. John's, Newfoundland and Labrador, this 23rd day of January, 2025.

Kevin Fagan

Chair and Chief Executive Officer

John O'Brien, FCPA, FCA, CISA Commissioner

Christopher Pike, LL.B., FCIP Commissioner

Jo-Anne Galarneau Board Secretary