NEWFOUNDLAND AND LABRADOR BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF PUBLIC UTILITIES

AN ORDER OF THE BOARD

NO. A.I. 7(2015)

1 **IN THE MATTER OF** the Automobile

2 Insurance Act, RSNL 1990, c. A-22 (the "Act"),

- 3 as amended, and regulations thereunder; and
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- 5 **IN THE MATTER OF** an application by
- 6 Elite Insurance Company for approval
- 7 to implement a revised rating program for its
- 8 Private Passenger Automobiles class of business.
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WHEREAS on January 9, 2015 Elite Insurance Company applied to the Board for approval of a revised rating program for its Private Passenger Automobiles class of business; and

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- 14 WHEREAS the rating program proposes rates for certain coverages that are higher than those 15 currently approved by the Board; and
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WHEREAS on March 9, 2015 Elite Insurance Company filed amendments to its proposed rates
 based on information exchanges with the Board's consulting actuaries, Oliver Wyman Limited;
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WHEREAS on March 12, 2015 Oliver Wyman Limited reported that the March 9, 2015 rating program is reasonable and supported based on information supplied in connection with the application; and

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25 WHEREAS the Board is satisfied that the proposed rates are not too high in the circumstances.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

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 3 1. The revised rating program received March 9, 2015 from Elite Insurance Company is approved to be effective no sooner than August 1, 2015 for new business and renewals.
- Elite Insurance Company will be required to pay the costs of the Board associated with this
 filing, including the costs of the actuarial review.

DATED at St. John's, Newfoundland and Labrador, this 27th day of March, 2015.

Darlene Whalen, P.Eng. Vice-Chair

James Oxford Commissioner

Cheryl Blundon Board Secretary