

THE ISLAND REGULATORY AND APPEALS COMMISSION

Prince Edward Island Île-du-Prince-Édouard **CANADA**

Docket UW06304 Order UW12-03

IN THE MATTER of an

application by the Alberton Sewage Collection and Treatment Corporation for an increase of wastewater rates and charges.

BEFORE THE COMMISSION

on Wednesday, the 20th day of June, 2012

Maurice Rodgerson, Chair Allan Rankin, Vice-Chair John Broderick, Commissioner

Order

Compared and Certified a True Copy

(Sgd) Heather Walker

Technical and Regulatory Services

IN THE MATTER of an

application by the Alberton Sewage Collection and Treatment Corporation for an increase of wastewater rates and charges.

Order

WHEREAS the Alberton Sewage Collection and Treatment Corporation (the "Utility"), by application filed on May 2, 2012, applied to the Commission for an increase in its Tariff of wastewater rates and charges;

AND WHEREAS, specifically, the Utility requested approval to increase its rate from \$190.00 per unit, per year to \$200.00 per unit, per year, effective July 1, 2012;

AND WHEREAS following receipt of the application, the Commission published a Notice in the local newspaper inviting written comments on the Utility's proposal;

AND WHEREAS the Commission did not receive any written submissions in response to its public Notice:

AND WHEREAS the Commission, following a review of the application and the Utility's financial statements, has concluded that recent unanticipated costs have resulted in the need for additional revenue;

 $AND\ WHEREAS\ it\ further\ appears\ to\ the$ Commission that the Tariff of Rates and Charges approved herein is necessary and equitable;

NOW THEREFORE, pursuant to the *Island*Regulatory and Appeals Commission Act and the Water and
Sewerage Act

IT IS ORDERED THAT

- Alberton Sewage Collection and Treatment Corporation's existing wastewater Tariff is revoked and the Tariff appended to, and forming part of, this Order is substituted therefore; and
- 2. the appended Tariff is approved and declared effective on July 1, 2012 and shall remain in effect until otherwise ordered by the Commission.

DATED at Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island, this 20th day of June, 2012.

BY THE COMMISSION:

(Sgd) Maurice Rodgerson
Maurice Rodgerson, Chair
(Sgd) <i>Allan Rankin</i>
Allan Rankin, Vice-Chair
(Sgd) John Broderick
John Broderick, Commissioner

NOTICE

Section 12 of the *Island Regulatory and Appeals Commission Act* reads as follows:

12. The Commission may, in its absolute discretion, review, rescind or vary any order or decision made by it or rehear any application before deciding it.

Parties to this proceeding seeking a review of the Commission's decision or order in this matter may do so by filing with the Commission, at the earliest date, a written **Request for Review**, which clearly states the reasons for the review and the nature of the relief sought.

Sections 13.(1), 13(2), 13(3), and 13(4) of the *Act* provide as follows:

- 13.(1) An appeal lies from a decision or order of the Commission to the Court of Appeal upon a question of law or jurisdiction.
- (2) The appeal shall be made by filing a notice of appeal in the Court of Appeal within twenty days after the decision or order appealed from and the rules of court respecting appeals apply with the necessary changes.
- (3) The Commission shall be deemed to be a party to the appeal.
- (4) No costs shall be payable by any party to an appeal under this section unless the Court of Appeal, in its discretion, for special reasons, so orders

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Alberton Sewage Collection and Treatment Corporation

SEWER TARIFF

THIS TARIFF SPECIFIES THE RATES AND CHARGES APPLICABLE
TO SERVICES PROVIDED BY THE ALBERTON SEWAGE COLLECTION
AND TREATMENT CORPORATION

RULES AND REGULATIONS GOVERNING THE TYPES OF SERVICES
AND MANNER IN WHICH SUCH SERVICES ARE PROVIDED
ARE CONTAINED IN THE PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND
MUNICIPAL SEWERAGE UTILITIES GENERAL
RULES AND REGULATIONS

Effective: July 1, 2012

Sewer Rates and Charges

Application: The following rates and charges apply to wastewater services provided to

premises served or capable of being served by the Alberton Sewage Collection

and Treatment Corporation.

Rates: \$200.00 per unit per annum in accordance with the appended Proportionate

Sewer Charges.

Proportionate Sewer Charges

	UNIT	ANNUAL SEWER		UNIT	ANNUAL SEWER
TYPE OF CUSTOMER	VALUE	CHARGE	TYPE OF CUSTOMER	VALUE	CHARGE
				.,	
SINGLE-FAMILY DWELLING	1.00	\$200.00	DOCTORS' & DENTISTS' OFFICES		
			AND BEAUTY & BARBER SHOPS		
INDIVIDUAL APARTMENT	0.80	\$160.00	With Separate Service	1.00	\$200.00
		i l	Combined With Other Service	0.50	\$100.00
MOBILE HOME	0.70	\$140.00			1
		i l	LAUNDROMAT WITH MACHINES USING		
SENIOR CITIZENS HOME, Per Unit	0.60	\$120.00	OVER 30 GALLONS PER WASH		
		1	For First Machine	3.00	\$600.00
CONVENT, INSTITUTIONAL			For Second Machine	2.00	\$400.00
DORMITORY, ROOMING OR			For Each Additional Machine	1.00	\$200.00
BOARDING HOUSE					1
For Up to Five Persons	1.00	\$200.00	LAUNDROMAT WITH MACHINES USING		
For Each Additional Person	0.20	\$40.00	30 OR FEWER GALLONS PER WASH		
			For First Machine	2.00	\$400.00
MOTELS AND TOURIST COTTAGES			For Second Machine	1.50	\$300.00
With Housekeeping Facilities,			For Each Additional Machine	0.75	\$150.00
Each Unit	0.50	\$100.00			
With Bathroom Facilities Only,			SERVICE STATION		
Each Unit	0.30	\$60.00	Without Carwash	1.00	\$200.00
			With Carwash	2.00	\$400.00
TOURIST HOME					
For First Bathroom	1.00	\$200.00	RESTAURANTS AND SNACK BARS	1.00	\$200.00
For Each Additional Bathroom			For Each Ten Seats an		
or Washroom	0.30	\$60.00	Additional Amount of	0.25	\$50.00
LIOCRITAL			PREMISES LIGENISED BY THE R.F.		
HOSPITAL Without Loundry Facilities			PREMISES LICENSED BY THE P.E.I. LIQUOR CONTROL COMMISSION:		
Without Laundry Facilities, Per Bed	0.50	\$100.00	Restaurant, Lounge, Dining		
With Laundry Facilities,	0.50	\$100.00	Room or Club	1.00	\$200.00
Per Bed	0.75	\$150.00	SEAT CHARGE: Calculate 75% of	1.00	\$200.00
r cr bed	0.73	\$130.00	Fire Marshal's rating OR		
SCHOOLS, Per Classroom	1.00	\$200.00	Based on actual seat count,		
		1	charge, for each five seats,		
STORES, BANKS, CLUBS, CHURCHES,			an additional amount of	0.25	\$50.00
HALLS, RECREATIONAL FACILITIES					1
AND PLACES OF BUSINESS			DRIVE-IN RESTAURANT OR THEATRE		
For First Washroom Facility	1.00	\$200.00	With Canteen	1.00	\$200.00
For Each Additional Toilet or			For First Washroom and Toilet		
Urinal	0.50	\$100.00	Facility	1.00	\$200.00
			For Each Additional Washroom		
			and Toilet Facility	0.50	\$100.00

Approved: Island Regulatory & Appeals Commission

Effective: July 1, 2012