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Subject: Saturation

To IRAC:

I believe that the Borden Carleton town has enough gas stations and I urge you to Help the current gas outlets succeed. Do not approve any other gas stations in that Area already well serviced by established businesses.

It is your commission that has ruled limits of gas outlets in the past along with Ms. Pursey in the PEI government. The Wood Islands area remains unserved by a gas station because she refused renewal for Panting's Garage long ago. The closest gas outlet is Murray River or Eldon now.

Outlets were limited before and should be limited in Borden with the rejection of the Murphy proposal. I believe one or more of the Borden outlets sell Timbits already? Building another gasoline/diesel outlet in Borden even as governments promise to reduce carbon emissions seems counter intuitive these days, especially as current businesses are struggling after covid, storms and inflation.

Sincerely,
Floyd Smith
Culloden, PEI

20. Criteria to be considered

When issuing a license with respect to the operation of an outlet operated by a retailer, the Commission shall consider the public interest, convenience and necessity by applying such criteria as the Commission may from time to time consider advisable including but not restricted to the demand for the proposed service, the location of the outlet, traffic flows and the applicant's record of performance. *1990, c.43, s.20.*

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