

Table 3d: Hours Worked Growth in Utilities by Province (Index, 1997=100), 1997-2007

|       | Canada                        | Nfld. | P.E.I. | N.S.  | N.B.  | Que.  | Ont.  | Man.  | Sask. | Alta. | B.C.  |
|-------|-------------------------------|-------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| 1997  | 100.0                         | 100.0 | 100.0  | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| 1998  | 103.1                         | 106.1 | 108.4  | 98.2  | 100.4 | 103.3 | 103.1 | 107.6 | 120.5 | 102.3 | 95.9  |
| 1999  | 97.7                          | 120.3 | 74.2   | 96.1  | 92.1  | 100.1 | 90.7  | 113.1 | 111.5 | 114.0 | 100.4 |
| 2000  | 98.4                          | 101.3 | 82.4   | 121.4 | 90.7  | 104.9 | 87.3  | 119.3 | 111.4 | 102.4 | 121.2 |
| 2001  | 99.5                          | 108.2 | 89.0   | 122.9 | 88.2  | 102.9 | 91.8  | 124.5 | 84.1  | 113.8 | 107.9 |
| 2002  | 100.1                         | 89.5  | 75.1   | 130.1 | 107.0 | 107.4 | 89.7  | 118.6 | 96.5  | 132.9 | 92.3  |
| 2003  | 107.5                         | 107.0 | 106.0  | 143.0 | 80.4  | 121.0 | 95.9  | 144.3 | 106.7 | 141.5 | 85.4  |
| 2004  | 113.9                         | 106.9 | 117.0  | 118.8 | 96.9  | 123.9 | 112.7 | 139.6 | 116.4 | 128.3 | 71.1  |
| 2005  | 119.1                         | 113.3 | 181.7  | 131.7 | 110.5 | 134.9 | 109.7 | 137.3 | 105.2 | 131.6 | 111.0 |
| 2006  | 120.2                         | 110.6 | 149.3  | 112.6 | 103.3 | 135.9 | 115.3 | 131.2 | 109.5 | 132.4 | 100.4 |
| 2007  | 118.2                         | 104.6 | 160.7  | 105.5 | 108.0 | 124.2 | 118.9 | 126.6 | 108.0 | 132.0 | 93.3  |
|       | Average Annual Growth Rate, % |       |        |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| 97-07 | 1.68                          | 0.45  | 4.86   | 0.53  | 0.77  | 2.19  | 1.75  | 2.39  | 0.78  | 2.81  | -0.69 |
| 97-00 | -0.53                         | 0.44  | -6.26  | 6.67  | -3.21 | 1.61  | -4.41 | 6.04  | 3.68  | 0.78  | 6.62  |
| 00-07 | 2.65                          | 0.45  | 10.02  | -1.99 | 2.53  | 2.44  | 4.51  | 0.86  | -0.44 | 3.70  | -3.67 |

Source : Unpublished Statistics Canada Estimates  
 Growth rates calculated by the CSLS.