

1 Q. (p.12, lines 1-13) Describe the criteria Hydro have established for
2 determining the commercial feasibility of wind generation. Has Hydro
3 investigated or issued RFPs for other alternate technologies?
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6 A. Hydro has not established criteria for determining the commercial feasibility
7 of wind generation. One of the primary objectives of the Phase I, feasibility
8 study, of Hydro's RFP for a Wind Demonstration Project, is to identify how
9 various technical, operating and cost factors will be taken into consideration
10 when evaluating the economic feasibility of a potential wind generation site.

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12 Hydro has been monitoring the progress of other alternate technologies such
13 as fuel cells, microturbines and photovoltaic solar panels.

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15 Hydro has not issued RFPs for other alternate technologies.