

1 Q. On page 3, lines 27 to 29 of his Supplementary Evidence, Mr. Brickhill  
2 states: "Thus it appears to me that Hydro's customers, the provincial  
3 government and its regulator give more weight to stability, fairness, and  
4 absolute levels of rates than to proper price signals". Please respond to  
5 the following:  
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7 (a) What is the basis for this statement?

8 (b) Where does Mr. Brickhill rank rate stability in terms of priority relative  
9 to Hydro's other rate design criteria and on what basis?  
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12 A. (a) The basis for this statement is found at page 2, line 16 through page  
13 3, line 22 of Mr. Brickhill's Supplementary Evidence.  
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15 (b) Stability would be equal in priority to the others from Hydro's  
16 perspective, because Hydro believes it is very important to its  
17 customers.