

1 Q. In the response to CA-24 NLH, it is stated that NLH has not recently
2 reviewed the merits of forming a separate department with the sole purpose
3 of serving rural and isolated customers. When did NLH last conduct such a
4 review and please provide the results of that review.

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7 A. The Power Distribution District (“PDD”) was a separate department within
8 Hydro with the purpose of serving rural and isolated customers. In 1990, this
9 department was eliminated and its functions such as management and
10 engineering integrated with other Hydro departments to improve efficiencies.
11 Hydro believes the current structure is working well and as such no further
12 review has been undertaken.