

1 Q. In each of the years 1992 through 2000, on how many occasions has Hydro
2 requested Newfoundland Power to operate its stand-by gas turbines and
3 diesel units? For how long on each occasion?

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6 A. The following table shows the frequency and duration of requests made by
7 Hydro to Newfoundland Power to operate its standby gas turbines and diesel
8 units from 1992 through 2000.

| <u>Year</u> | <u>Frequency</u> | <u>Duration</u> |
|-------------|------------------|-----------------|
| 1992 | 1 | 34 hours* |
| 1994 | 6 | 1.0 hour |
| | | 1.5 hours |
| | | 1.5 hours |
| | | 7.0 hours |
| | | 0.5 hour |
| | | 5.0 hours* |
| 1995 | 2 | 0.5 hour* |
| | | 4.5 hours* |
| 1996 | 1 | 3.0 hours |
| 1997 | 2 | 0.5 hour* |
| | | 1.5 hours |
| 1998 | 4 | 5.0 hours |
| | | 0.5 hour |
| | | 1.5 hours |
| | | 3.0 hours* |

* Approximated - Based on fuel used and energy produced.