

**IC-433 PUB**

***Clarify what is intended to be conveyed by the sentence at lines 11 to 13 of page 8 which reads, "in the case of Hydro the majority of systems only have one resource that meets all of the power supply needs".***

Response:

The base/intermediate/peak methodology requires that generating units can be ranked based on unit costs and specifically classified based on dispatch order. In the case of NLH, many of the isolated communities rely on one generating resource that serves the entire base, intermediate and peak needs of the customer load. It is therefore impossible to classify them as distinctly related to only one function.