

- 1 Q. In Stone and Webster's report *Review of Rate Design for Newfoundland*
2 *Power*, the sample rate design proposes a means to reduce volatility by
3 removing weather effects from the billing demand. Will this method require
4 weather normalizing the peak load for every hour to ensure the billing
5 demand reflects the maximum weather normalized demand?
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8 A. No, not every hour, however, this issue should be up to the technical
9 assessment group to decide.