

1 Q. **Grant Thornton's Prefiled Evidence**

2 Page 47, lines 17-18 – If Hydro is forecasting a decrease in the utilization of
3 vehicles on capital projects in 2004, how will these vehicles now be used,
4 and does this suggest that Hydro may have excess vehicles in its fleet which
5 are no longer required?

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8 A. Vehicles normally assigned to operations personnel will continue to be used
9 for maintenance of the system. Because of a reduced capital program, less
10 costs of operating these vehicles will be expensed to capital projects. Other
11 vehicles acquired specifically for capital work will be reassigned to other
12 projects.