

1 **In reference to Schedule “B”, page 15 of 82, the purchase of portable diesel generation at a**  
2 **project cost of \$1,500,000:**

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4 **Q. Please provide any and all correspondence between Newfoundland and Labrador**  
5 **Hydro and Newfoundland Power indicating Hydro’s consent and comments in**  
6 **reference to the purchase of this portable diesel unit.**

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8 A. Through regular discussion between Company officials and representatives from  
9 Newfoundland and Labrador Hydro, Newfoundland and Labrador Hydro is aware of the  
10 Company’s intention to purchase a portable diesel unit in 2003; however, no formal  
11 correspondence has been issued.