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In reference to the projects listed in Schedule "B", page 43 of 66, of that same budget:

- Q. Please provide the reasons for the interruptions in Trepassey for the SAIFI and SAIDI figures stated.
 - A. Table 1 below provides a summary of the reasons for unscheduled distribution outages on distribution feeder Trepassey-01 for the period July 1996 to June 2001.

Table 1 Trepassey-01: Reasons for Unscheduled Distribution Outages July 1996 to June 2001	
Reason for Outage	No. of Interruptions
Broken or Defective Equipment Salt Spray Wind Lightning Unexplained Miscellaneous Sleet Preventive Maintenance Overloaded Equipment Animals	172 26 13 17 10 9 8 4 2
Snow	2
TOTAL	265