

1 **Q. Further to Newfoundland Power's response to NLH-NP-022 which states:**

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3 *"It is clear that the Board anticipated a Newfoundland Power general rate application*
4 *("GRA") with a 2016 test year would be filed on or before June 1, 2015, unless*
5 *otherwise directed by the Board."*

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7 **Per the responses to NLH-NP-007 and NLH-NP-021, at the time of filing the**
8 **Application, Newfoundland Power has not completed the required depreciation**
9 **study and the required capital structure review to accompany its general rate**
10 **application. Please provide the anticipated completion dates of each of these studies.**

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12 **A.** Newfoundland Power's depreciation study and capital structure review will be completed
13 in a timely manner which will enable them to be filed with the Company's next general
14 rate application ("GRA").

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16 In the 2016 Cost Deferral Application, Newfoundland Power requested an order from the
17 Board directing the Company to file its next GRA by June 1, 2016. Newfoundland and
18 Labrador Hydro has agreed to changing the proposed filing date for Newfoundland
19 Power's next GRA to October 16, 2015 pending the Board's decision on the 2016 Cost
20 Deferral Application.¹

¹ See letter of May 13, 2015 from Newfoundland and Labrador Hydro to the Board.