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The Board of Commissioners of Public Utilities **Prince Charles Building** 120 Torbay Road, P.O. Box 21040 St. John's, NL A1A 5B2

Attention:

Ms. Cheryl Blundon

**Director Corporate Services & Board Secretary** 

Dear Ms. Blundon:

Re: Application of Newfoundland and Labrador Hydro for Approval of Revised Capacity Assistance Agreement with Corner Brook Pulp and Paper Limited

Following is Newfoundland and Labrador Hydro's (Hydro) reply to the parties' submissions with regard to the above noted Application.

## 1.0 **Application Background**

On October 13, 2017, Hydro filed an Application for the approval of the proposed Revised Capacity Assistance Agreement between Hydro and Corner Brook Pulp and Paper Limited (CBPP).

## 2.0 Hydro's Response

In its correspondence dated October 25, 2017, Newfoundland Power Inc. indicated that it supports Hydro's Application. In correspondence dated October 26, 2017, CBPP and NARL Refining LP, two members of the Island Industrial Customers Group, indicated that they also support Hydro's Application. Hydro did not receive comments from any other parties.

Hydro respectfully requests that the Board approve Hydro's Application as submitted.

Should you have any questions, please contact the undersigned.

Yours truly,

NEWFOUNDLAND AND LABRADOR HYDRO

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Legal Counsel and Assistant Corporate Secretary

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cc: Gerard Hayes - Newfoundland Power Inc.

Paul Coxworthy - Stewart McKelvey

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