NLH 2017 General Rate Application

Undertaking - #87

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1 Undertaking Request (U-87)

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- 3 Transcript Reference: July 26, 2018, Pg. 117, line 21 to Pg. 120, line 11
- 4 Re: Undertaking #54, pg. 12
- 5 Undertake to provide what Hydro's transmission O&M costs are as a percentage of Hydro's
- 6 gross asset values.

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9 Undertaking Response

- 10 Hydro believes this undertaking is intended to compare Hydro's transmission O&M costs to
- 11 Hydro's total gross transmission asset values and responds accordingly.

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- 13 Transmission O&M costs as a percentage of gross transmission asset value are 1.9% based
- on the historic original cost methodology¹ for calculating asset values and 0.9% based on
- 15 the Handy Whitman Index methodology.²

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¹ Total O&M Costs for Transmission (\$21.6 million)/ Gross Transmission Asset Value (\$1,148.2 million) x 100 = 1 9%

 $^{^2}$ Total O&M Costs for Transmission (\$21.6 million)/ Gross Transmission Asset Value stated in 2019 dollars (\$2,457.2 million) x 100 = 0.9%.