

1 Q. Reference: *Improve Boiler Load Capacity – Units 1, 2 and 3, Holyrood, June 1,*
2 *2018, Page 3, Lines 20-23.*

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4 *“Some fouling normally occurs as a by-product of combustion; however, the current*
5 *levels of hard ash build up on the air heater hot end baskets and economizer tubes is*
6 *restricting air flow and reducing heat transfer to unacceptable levels.”*

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8 Does Hydro anticipate that completion of this project will result in a return to
9 normal levels of fouling and hard ash build up?

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12 A. Hydro anticipates that completion of this project will result in a return to normal
13 levels of fouling and hard ash build up.