

1 Q. Please explain why Hydro is proposing to change the functionalization of TL-234 and TL-263
2 from generation to transmission.

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5 A. Transmission lines TL 234 and TL 263 were previously considered generator leads and
6 functionalized as generation. The addition of TL 269¹ from Granite Canal to Bottom Brook
7 to support the import and export of energy over the Maritime Link creates a 230 kV
8 transmission loop which includes TL 234 and TL 263. Therefore, Newfoundland and
9 Labrador Hydro has proposed the functionalization change of TL 234 and TL 263 from
10 generation to transmission.

¹ TL 269 is owned by NSP Maritime Link Incorporated, operated by the NLSO, and deemed as a zero-rated revenue requirement.