

IN THE MATTER OF the *Electrical Power Control Act*, RSNL, 1994, Chapter E-5.1 (the "EPCA") and the *Public Utilities Act*, RSNL 1990, Chapter P-47 (the "Act"), as amended (the "Act") and regulations thereunder;

AND IN THE MATTER OF an Application by Newfoundland and Labrador Hydro ("Hydro") for an order to delay the filing of its next general rate application pursuant to sections 70, 71 and 76 of the Act

**CONSUMER ADVOCATE
REQUESTS FOR INFORMATION
CA-NLH-001 to CA-NLH-008**

Issued: April 24, 2020

- 1 CA-NLH-001 How far advanced is Hydro in preparing the GRA Application for filing in
2 September 2020?
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- 4 CA-NLH-002 Are Hydro's employees who prepare the application working from home?
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- 6 CA-NLH-003 Has the COVID-9 pandemic had any effect on Hydro's regulatory
7 operations?
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- 9 CA-NLH-004 How many are employed in Hydro's Regulatory Department including non-
10 bargaining unit?
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- 12 CA-NLH-005 How many Hydro employees are working with Nalcor on Muskrat Falls
13 commissioning issues and would any of these employees be involved in the
14 GRA?
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- 16 CA-NLH-006 In the Report "Muskrat Falls: A Misguided Project", the Commissioner
17 recommended that the Government conduct a review of Performance
18 Based Options because the power management environment is about to
19 experience big changes. If the Government legislated a Performance Based
20 regime, how would that effect a GRA Application and processes? Please
21 elaborate.
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- 23 CA-NLH-007 In the Report, the Commissioner also recommended that the Government
24 complete its review mandate of the Public Utilities Board, deciding what
25 legislative changes are required. Has Hydro considered if the Public
26 Utilities Board's mandate is changed what effect that may have on any
27 General Rate Application?
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- 29 CA-NLH-008 If the PUB granted this Application, how would Hydro ensure
30 accountability in the interim to the Board and ultimately to ratepayers?
31 Please elaborate.

DATED at St. John's, Newfoundland and Labrador, this 24th day of April, 2020.

Per:



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