

1 **Q. (Reference Application Schedule B, pages 45, 46 and 47 of 98) For the Rebuild**
2 **Distribution Lines (Pooled) project, historically, how much of the work identified in**
3 **this project has been carried out under the Reconstruction (Pooled) project because**
4 **operations problems elevated the priority?**
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6 A. *Reconstruction* and *Rebuild Distribution Lines* are distinct capital projects. As such,
7 work identified in the *Rebuild Distribution Lines* project is not typically completed under
8 the *Reconstruction* project. Work identified in the *Rebuild Distribution Lines* project is
9 only completed as part of the *Reconstruction* project under exceptional circumstances.
10 Newfoundland Power's asset management system does not track work identified for the
11 *Rebuild Distribution Lines* project that is subsequently completed as part of the
12 *Reconstruction* project.¹
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14 For a detailed description of the *Rebuild Distribution Lines* and *Reconstruction* projects,
15 see the response to Request for Information CA-NP-049.

¹ For example, this could happen if a motor vehicle accident further damages an already deteriorated pole that was included in the following year's *Rebuild Distribution Lines* project.