

- 1 **Q. (Reference PUB-NP-024)**  
2 **a) Please confirm that if the Board approves the proposed 2023**  
3 **transmission line rebuild program, the program will be completed with**  
4 **the exception of five lines to be rebuilt by 2028.**  
5 **b) What are Newfoundland Power’s plans with respect to transmission line**  
6 **rebuilt following 2028?**  
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- 8 A. a) It is confirmed. If the Board approves the *Transmission Line 55L Rebuild* project  
9 included in the *2023 Capital Budget Application*, there will be five lines remaining  
10 as part of the *Transmission Line Rebuild Strategy* (the “Strategy”).  
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- 12 b) Newfoundland Power reviews the Strategy annually as part of its capital planning  
13 process. The Company is currently forecasting that the remaining five lines  
14 identified in the Strategy will be addressed by 2028.
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16 Newfoundland Power will continue to assess the condition of its transmission line  
17 infrastructure through its *Transmission Line Inspection and Maintenance*  
18 *Practices* and annual capital planning process to determine future requirements  
19 for capital expenditures. It is expected that future capital expenditure  
20 requirements for the Company’s transmission line infrastructure will be informed  
21 by its ongoing asset management review. For more information on this review,  
22 see the response to Request for Information PUB-NP-018.