- Q. (page 2-6, lines 2-4) Please provide in tabular format a list of interruptions to Curtailable Service customers for each of the last five winter periods, including: date of dispatch, time of dispatch, time of recall, amount of load dispatched, and reason for dispatch including whether NP- or Hydro-initiated. Please also show the NP peak demand at the time of dispatch, and the NP peak demand for the particular year.
- A. Table 1 provides the requested information with respect to curtailment requests to customers on the Curtailable Service Option for each of the last 5 winter seasons.

Table 1
Dispatch of Customer Curtailable Load

| | Curtail Period | | Dispatched | Initiated | Demand at Start of Curtailment Period |
|-------------------|----------------|-------|------------|------------------------|--|
| Date | Start | End | Load (MW) | $\mathbf{B}\mathbf{y}$ | (MW) |
| January 27, 2009 | 16:30 | 18:30 | 10.0 | NP | 1,188.0 |
| January 26, 2009 | 16:30 | 20:30 | 10.0 | NP | 1,199.7 |
| January 17, 2009 | 17:45 | 20:00 | 8.2 | NP | 1,209.1 |
| January 16, 2009 | 17:00 | 18:15 | 9.2 | NP | 1,183.7 |
| January 15, 2009 | 17:00 | 18:00 | 8.7 | NP | 1,185.3 |
| December 27, 2008 | 17:30 | 20:00 | 5.9 | NP | 1,195.1 |
| December 17, 2008 | 17:30 | 18:15 | 4.9^{1} | Hydro | 1,013.3 |
| January 22, 2008 | 16:00 | 18:30 | 9.0 | NP | 1,100.9 |
| January 22, 2008 | 07:30 | 10:30 | 7.3 | NP | 1,127.0 |
| January 21, 2008 | 16:30 | 18:15 | 8.8 | NP | 1,075.4 |
| January 4, 2008 | 16:30 | 19:30 | 8.2 | NP | 1,064.3 |
| January 2, 2008 | 16:45 | 17:30 | 5.9 | NP | 1,064.9 |
| January 18, 2007 | 17:00 | 18:00 | 9.7 | NP | 1,112.9 |
| January 18, 2007 | 08:00 | 11:00 | 10.6 | NP | 1,124.9 |
| January 17, 2007 | 16:45 | 19:00 | 10.2 | NP | 1,101.2 |
| December 29, 2006 | 16:30 | 18:30 | 7.2 | NP | 1,068.6 |
| January 23, 2006 | 16:00 | 19:00 | 9.5 | NP | 1,060.9 |
| January 23, 2006 | 08:00 | 13:00 | 9.3 | Hydro ² | 1,099.8 |
| December 6, 2004 | 16:30 | 19:00 | 3.7 | NP | 1,109.0 |

On each occasion that a curtailment is deemed necessary, the Company would normally request all customers on the Curtailable Service Option curtail their load. In response to a request from Newfoundland and Labrador Hydro on December 17, 2008 to reduce load requirements on the Avalon Peninsula, only customers on the Avalon Peninsula were requested to curtail.

On January 23, 2006, the power system was at risk of a generation shortage. Newfoundland and Labrador Hydro requested the Company to run its thermal generation. Had the Company not already dispatched its curtailable load, it is likely that Newfoundland and Labrador Hydro would have requested its dispatch.

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6 7 8 Newfoundland Power requests customers to curtail either when Newfoundland Power is approaching a winter peak demand, or when Newfoundland and Labrador Hydro requires curtailments during the winter season to meet system requirements.

Table 2 shows the peak load on Newfoundland Power's system for each of the past 5 winter seasons.

Table 2 **Newfoundland Power Annual Peaks** (**MW**)

| Winter Season ³ | Native Peak ⁴ |
|----------------------------|--------------------------|
| 2008-09 | 1,219 |
| 2007-08 | 1,181 |
| 2006-07 | 1,142 |
| 2005-06 | 1,131 |
| 2004-05 | 1,167 |

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The winter season consists of the calendar months of December, January, February and March.

Native peak is defined as the sum of total produced and purchased before weather adjustments.