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2 (Re: Amended GRA) Section 4.6.3 (page 4.30 to 4.31) addresses the IC rate structure
3 review. It is stated (page 4.31, lines 2 to 4): *Hydro is proposing to review the Island*
4 *IC rate design after the proposed marginal cost study is complete and a rate design*
5 *review is undertaken*". Please provide a detailed schedule of activities for the
6 proposed studies through to implementation including how and when the study
7 results will be incorporated into a GRA. Will the rate design studies include a review
8 of NP's Curtailable rate and the IIC capacity assistance agreements?
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11 A. Hydro has not yet completed a detailed schedule for the proposed studies. Hydro
12 plans to have the marginal cost study completed in 2015. Hydro will also be filing a
13 report providing a review of the embedded Cost of Service methodology in 2016.
14 Information from the marginal cost study and the embedded cost study will be used
15 in completing a rate design review in 2016.
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17 The rate design review will also include a review of the requirement for capacity
18 assistance agreements similar to the current capacity assistance agreements with
19 CBPP and Vale and the Curtailable Credit provided in the Utility rate which applies
20 to Newfoundland Power.