Q. Further to the response to PUB-NLH-032 does the 2013 Test Year Revenue
Requirement include any amount for incentive compensation payments? If yes,
state the 2013 forecast amount and the actual amounts each year from 2007 to
2012.

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A. Yes, Table 1 provides the actual short-term incentive (STI) payments made by Hydro for the period 2007 to 2013 actual and 2014 and 2015 forecast.

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Table 1Short-Term Incentive Payments

Year	Total ¹
2007	\$306,858
2008	\$118,880
2009	\$122,277
2010	\$130,676
2011	\$94,096
2012	\$109,646
2013	\$180,555
2014F	\$296,674
2015F	\$371,829

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The decrease from previous year's STI payment reflected in 2008 and 2011, respectively, was attributed to the transfer of positions from Hydro to Nalcor (as referenced in NP-NLH-092) which were senior level and STI eligible. In 2013, target payout levels increased from 6% to either 10% or 15%, depending on Hay level². The increase in forecast STI payments for 2015 is reflective of additional senior level positions that are STI eligible and transfer of positions from Nalcor to Hydro.

¹ Payments received in any given year are based on the previous year's performance contract and results.

² This change was the result of a Mercer compensation review in 2012 that is described in CA-NLH-105, Page 1, lines 18 to 23.