Reference: 2013 Amended GRA, Section 2: Regulated Activities, page 2.46, lines Q. 1 12-16 2 Are the \$1.0 million cost and the \$1.6 million cost associated with the new CT both 3 reoccurring annual costs. If not, please specify the length of time each will exist. 4 5 6 7 A. The \$1.6 million cost associated with the new CT is currently budgeted for two 8 years, 2015 and 2016, to cover the cost of technical direction and oversight for the 9 first two years of operation. This cost is related to the provision of an extended 10 (two-year) warranty and to allow knowledge transfer to Hydro personnel in the 11 operation and maintenance of the new CT. 12 13 The \$1.0 million cost is an estimated annual operation and maintenance (O&M) 14 cost which will vary from year to year based on specific operation and maintenance 15 requirements. This annual O&M cost is expected to recur each year as long as the 16 plant remains in service.