

1 Q. **2013 General Rate Application, Corner Brook Pulp and Paper Demand Credit**
2 **Contract**

3 Exhibit 4 provided an update to the pilot agreement with Corner Brook Pulp and
4 Paper. Has there been any material change to the 2013 forecast information in
5 Exhibit 4?
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8 A. The forecast information in Exhibit 4 was updated to align with the 2013 Test Year
9 forecast information. This includes the Test Year assumptions of load, No. 6 fuel
10 prices, Holyrood conversion rate, Cost of Service, and Industrial Customer firm
11 energy rate. The only exception is in the system losses used to determine the
12 energy benefit in Tables 1 and 2 of the Exhibit which were estimated at 3% and the
13 loss factor in the COS Table 7 which was estimated at 3.6%. Hydro has since used a
14 system loss factor of 3.36% in its GRA.