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Board of Commissioners
of Public Utilities
P.O. Box 21040
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St. John's, NL A1A 5B2

Attention: Ms. Cheryl Blundon
Director of Corporate Services
and Board Secretary

Ladies & Gentlemen:

**Re: Newfoundland and Labrador Hydro's 2013 General Rate Application – Innu Nation
Application for Interim Costs**

This is in reply to the Board's letter dated August 15, 2014 requesting comments on the above-captioned application.

Newfoundland Power does not object to the Innu Nation recovering costs incurred in its participation in Hydro's 2013 GRA thus far, subject to the Board being satisfied that the Innu Nation's participation in the GRA has been helpful to the Board and has contributed to the Board's understanding of the issues. However, given Hydro's conduct of the 2013 GRA to date, Newfoundland Power reserves the right to make further submissions at an appropriate time regarding Hydro's entitlement to recovery of its costs and, in particular, the extent to which Hydro should be entitled to recover its costs from the customers of Newfoundland Power.

If you have any questions, please contact the undersigned at the direct telephone number noted below.

Yours very truly,



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