

1 Q. (Hydro Reply Evidence dated August 7, 2015, Section 10, Black Start) At the time the
2 diesel plant was under review, what was the expected cost of the diesel plant, what
3 was the expected reduction in energy not supplied, and what was the estimated
4 value of the reduction in energy not supplied?

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7 A. At the time the diesel plant was under review, the expected cost of the 16 MW
8 mobile diesel plant was initially \$8.3 million (November 18, 2013). See Hydro's
9 response to PR-PUB-NLH-003, Attachment 1, Page 67. In Hydro's Application -
10 *Installation of Diesel Units for the Purpose of Blackstarting*, the expected cost was
11 \$6.5 million.

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13 As the diesel plant was put in place to address the Board's immediate concern
14 about the lack of black start capability onsite at Holyrood for reliability purposes, no
15 specific study of reduction of unserved energy was conducted.