

1 **Q. Re: Personal Computer Infrastructure, Schedule B, Pages 83, 84 and 85 of 93**

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3 **Please provide the rationale for concluding that both PCs and printers need to be**
4 **replaced at the same time.**

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6 A. PCs and printers are not replaced at the same time.

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8 As stated in Schedule B, page 83 of 93, printers are included as part of the Personal
9 Computer Infrastructure project as they are similar in nature and justification. The
10 replacement of printers is not dependent upon the replacement of PCs.

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12 Laptop PCs are replaced on 3 to 4 year cycles and desktop PCs are replaced on 4 to 5
13 year cycles.¹ The printers included for replacement in 2013 will have between 12 and 14
14 years in service.²

¹ Refer to Response to Request for Information CA NP 009.

² Refer to Response to Request for Information CA NP 010.