

1 **Q. Reference pages 18-21: credit metrics: Mr. MacDonald references comparisons**
2 **with Canadian utilities but actually makes none. Please provide the DBRS bond**
3 **ratings for Maritime Electric, Nova Scotia Power and FortisBC Inc.**
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5 A. The DBRS bond ratings are as follows:
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7 Maritime Electric – N/A

8 Nova Scotia Power – A (low)

9 FortisBC Inc. – A (low)