

1 Q. Reference: Install Automated Meter Reading, Volume II, Tab 26, Page 7  
2 *“...the cumulative net present worth analysis of AMR and the current system has a*  
3 *positive net present worth of \$30,417 after 15 years...”*

4 Please indicate the anticipated service life of the new AMR meters and describe  
5 Hydro’s views on potential technological obsolescence.  
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8 A. The anticipated service life of the new AMR meters is 15 years as detailed in Section  
9 3.2.6 of the project report. It is expected for the foreseeable future that these  
10 meters will not be technologically obsolete during this anticipated service life and  
11 will be acceptable for Hydro’s particular requirements.