
1 Q. **Volume III, Tab 18 – Replace Disconnect Switches**

2 What is the utility industry practice in terms of replacements based on age?

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5 A. Utility industry practice in terms of replacement based on age is not common. From
6 feedback from four major utilities in Canada, the majority address replacements
7 similar to Hydro, which is based upon condition or replace disconnects during larger
8 projects such as power transformer replacements.