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1	Q.	Please provide the referenced Department of Government Services work
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5	A.	Attached see referenced letter from Department of Government Services
6		dated February 10, 2006.

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February 10, 2006

Mr. Terry Ledrew
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Dear Mr. Ledrew:

Your submission on February 10, 2006 of Newfoundland and Labrador Hydro's "Unit 2 Boiler Action Plan" along with the documentation from Mr. John McMillan, P.Eng., of Alstom Power Service, has been reviewed.

As a result of this review, a new Certificate of Inspection with an expiry date of April 15, 2006 will be issued as requested during the meeting on February 1, 2006, subject to the following conditions:

- 1. The "Unit 2 Boiler Action Plan" be adhered to and that operation of the boiler be in strict accordance with the plan.
- 2. As per item 6 of the plan, a revised operating procedure shall be developed for Unit 2 boiler and communicated to the operating personnel. These revised operating procedures shall be submitted to this Department and verified through a site visit by an Authorized Inspector prior to Unit 2 being placed in operation.
- 3. The current Certificate of Inspection for Unit 2 boiler will be revoked and a new Certificate of Inspection will be issued with an expiry date of April 15, 2006 to correspond with the replacement of the east waterwall section and chemical cleaning.
- 4. During the April outage of Unit 2, a full examination of the boiler shall be conducted to determine the extent of hydrogen damage or tube wall thinning of the furnace tubes. This examination shall be extended to Unit 1 and 3 boilers during their scheduled outages this year.

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- 5. The affected sections of Unit 2 boiler shall be repaired and a chemical cleaning shall be performed to remove any scale deposits from the other waterwall sections before the boiler is returned to service in accordance with item 10 of the action plan.
- 6. In conjunction with item 13 of the plan, Newfoundland and Labrador Hydro shall develop an Owner/User Inspection Organization Program as per the National Board Inspection Code for the pressure systems located at the Holytood Generating Plant.
- 7. As per Section 15 of the Public Safety Act, 1996, if the condition of Unit 2 boiler deteriorates or Newfoundland and Labrador Hydro becomes aware of conditions which may cause the equipment to become unsafe, then the equipment shall be removed from service and this Department notified immediately.

If you have any questions please contact this office at 729-2746.

Sincerely Yours,

Greg Tremblett

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