

1 **Re Page B-23:**

2 Q. Has there been any change in regulations or specific directions from
3 Occupational Health and Safety officials relative to the use of boom trucks
4 which would support classification of this project as mandatory?

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7 A. There has not been any change in regulations, nor has there been a directive
8 from Occupational Health and Safety officials relating to the use of boom
9 trucks in this situation. Hydro has classified the project as mandatory due to
10 the risks inherent in aerial maneuvering of stoplogs and due to the safety
11 improvements associated with the new handling system.