

1 **Re: Page B-54, Upgrade Ambient Monitoring Station, \$127,600.**

2 Q. Which sites, showing the availability of each, have demonstrated an
3 availability of less than 95%?

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6 A. Currently no ambient monitoring sites are demonstrating availability of less
7 then 95%. However, due to the age of the sulphur dioxide (SO₂) analyzer,
8 spare parts are difficult to acquire. Therefore, replacement of these
9 analyzers is required to minimize the risk of the availability levels falling
10 below 95%.