

1 Q. **Re: Project B-9 Replace Fuel Oil Heat Tracing**

2 Confirm that the heat tracing system installed in 2002 was intended and expected  
3 to have an expected life in excess of 20 years.

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6 A. Yes, Hydro confirms that the heat tracing system installed in 2002 was intended and  
7 expected to have an expected life in excess of 20 years. The intent was to use the  
8 same system as had been initially installed.