# Holyrood Condition Assessment Technical Conference

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## Safety - Thermal Generation



Identifying and reporting safe/unsafe observations and taking action is critical to preventing incidents, injuries and fatalities.

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2011 Actual		Performance Targ		
September	YTD		2010	2011
0	1	Lost Time + Medical Treatment Incidents	0	0
0.00	1.31	All Injury Frequency Rate (AIFR)	0.00	<u>≤</u> 1.0
0.00	0.00	Lost Time Injury Frequency Rate (LTIFR)	0.00	≤ 0.3
32:0	593:1	Leading/Lagging Indicator Ratio	500:0	450:1



### **Outline**

- Context
- HTGS Management
- AMEC terms of reference
- Other related activities
- Asset grouping and key components
- Condition Assessment: Capital Investment



#### Context

- Holyrood went in service in 1970
  - Unit 1: 1970
  - Unit 2: 1971
  - Unit 3: 1980
- Fossil Power Plant Life Expectancy:
  - 30 Years: Financial
  - 40 years: Technical
  - 210,000 hours
- 490 MW capacity
  - Three steam turbine units



#### Context

- Uses No. 6 low sulphur fuel oil
  - Latest forecast 2012 fuel consumption of 1,822,819 bbls
- Fuel is burned in boilers to create high pressure, high temperature steam to turn steam turbine generators
- Only major generating source east of Bay d'Espoir



## System Map: Island/Avalon



#### **Hydro's Island Demand (MW's)**

Year	Total Island	Avalon	
2011(actual)	1292	686	
2012 (f/cast)	1400	750	
2017 (f/cast)	1540	860	
2022 (f/cast)	1620	900	

#### **Current Avalon Generation (MW's)**

Holyrood	466
GT's	60
Wind	27
Total	553



#### Context

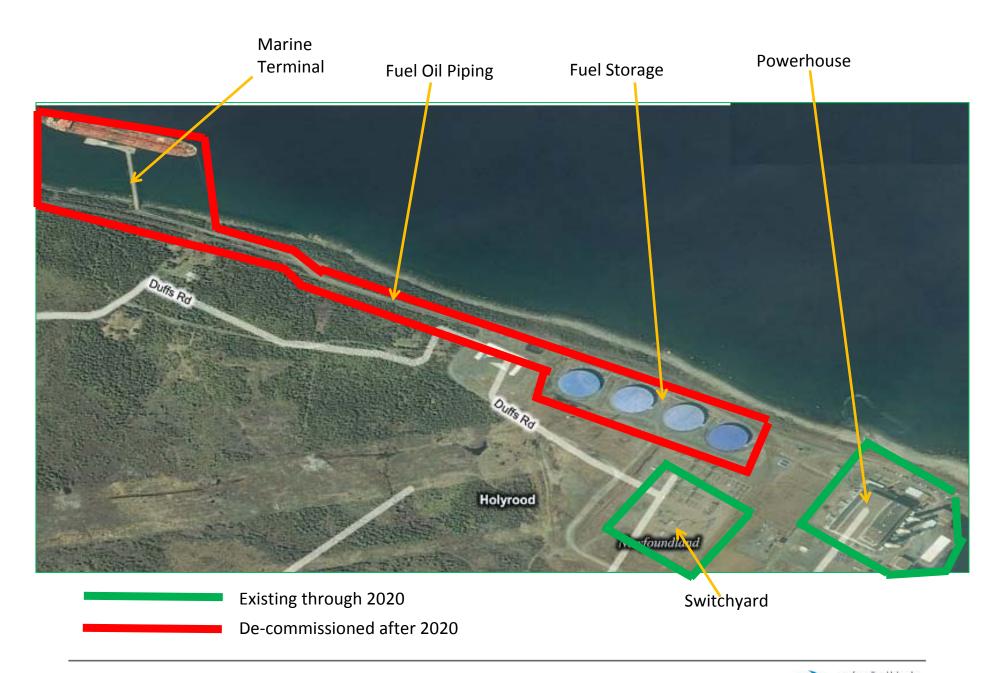
- Align to Hydro's long term asset management strategy
- Holyrood's long term future is highly dependent upon whether Muskrat Falls receives sanction
- If sanctioned, the Labrador Interconnection will result in a change in operating mode for the plant starting in 2017
  - Commencing in 2017, the facility will be a synchronous condenser plant and provide backup generation through 2020
  - Systems required for synchronous condenser will be required for the indefinite future



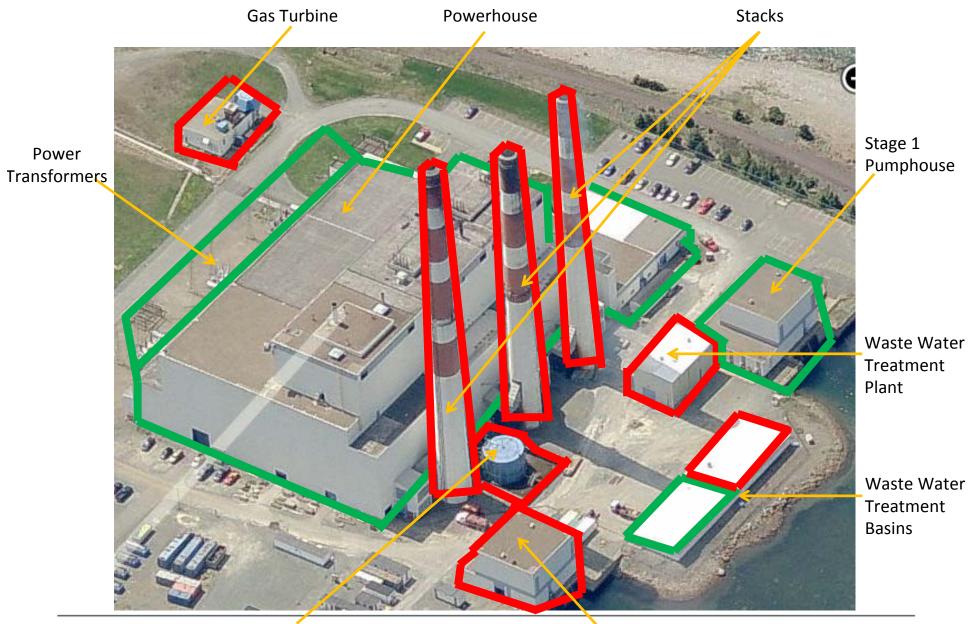
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- If Muskrat Falls is not sanctioned, reliance on the plant will continue to increase (Isolated Island scenario)
  - Plant will provide generation and transmission support well into the future
- Under the Labrador Interconnected and Isolated Island scenarios, Holyrood will provide significant generation until at least 2016
- Under both scenarios, Holyrood will have to be able to provide reliable generation until at least 2020





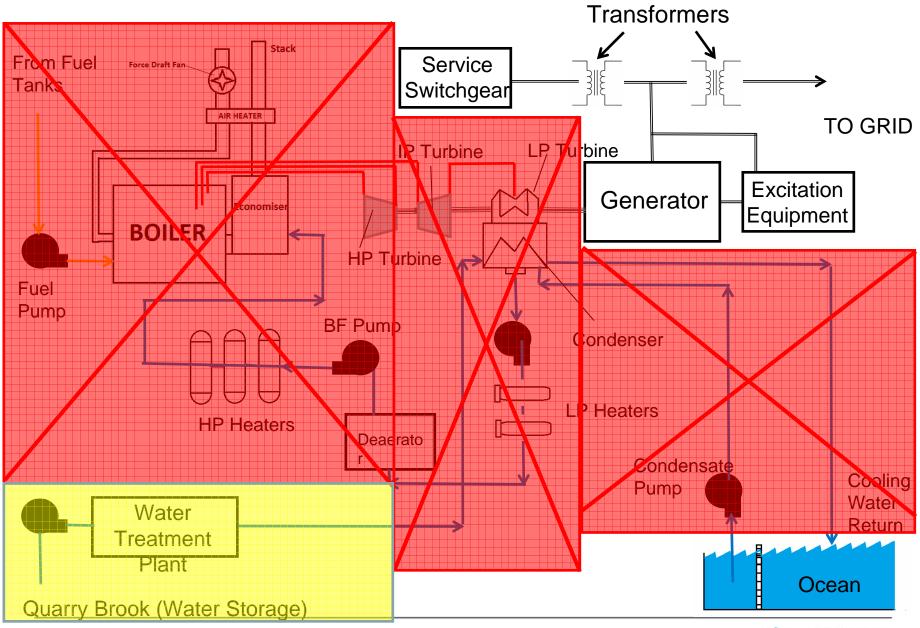




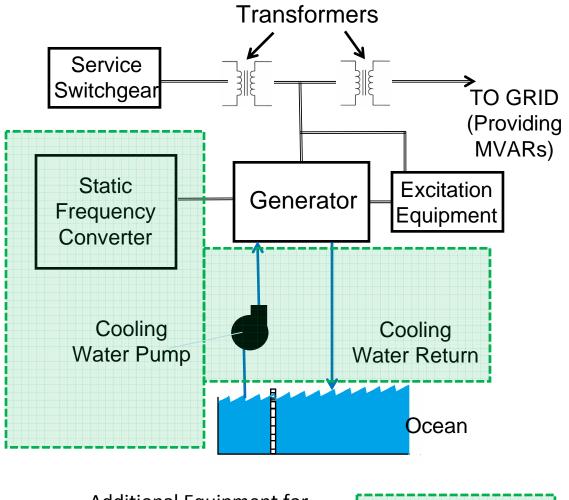


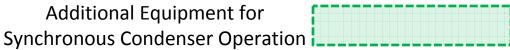
Stage 2 Pumphouse













## **Asset Management**

	<u>Capital</u>	OM&A	System Equipment	<u>Staff</u>
Existing Through 2016	\$15 - \$20M	\$20M	100%	108
2017-2020	\$12 - \$15M	\$14M*	67%	72*
Beyond 2020	\$8 - \$10M	\$7M	33%	38

<sup>\*</sup> Under Review

#### Notes:

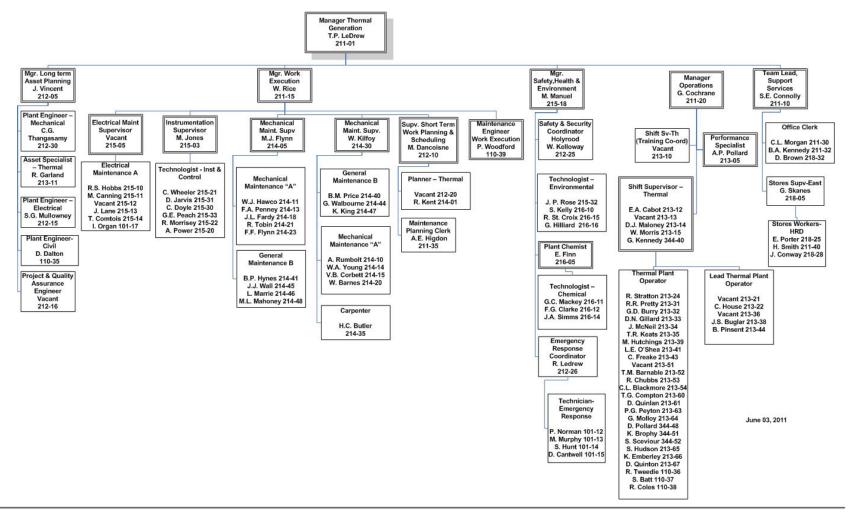
- 1. 2011 Dollars.
- 2. The five year capital plan is undergoing a substantive review.
- 3. A substantial engineering review is scheduled for 2014 with a view to re-purposing the station for synchronous condenser operation.



### **Thermal Organizational Chart**

Generation Operations
Thermal Plant Operations

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### **HTGS Management**

- <u>Terry LeDrew Manager, Thermal Generation</u>
  - Joined Hydro 1992
  - Professional Engineer; Mechanical (MUN 1988)
  - Experience:

• 1999 - Present: HTGS Manager

• 1992 - 1999: HTGS Various Positions

• 1988 - 1992: Ontario Hydro; Station Engineer (Lambton)

- Jeff Vincent Manager, Long Term Asset Planning
  - Joined Hydro 1993
  - Professional Engineer; Electrical (MUN 1992)
  - Experience:

• 2008 – Present: HTGS Manager, Long Term Asset Planning

• 2005 - 2008: HTGS Labour Manager

• 1993 - 2005: NL Hydro – Protection & Control Engineer



### HTGS Management cont'd

- Wayne Rice Manager, Work Execution
  - Joined Hydro 1987
  - Professional Engineer; Mechanical (MUN 1981)
  - Masters of Engineering; Environmental (MUN 2000)
  - Experience:

2002 - Present: HTGS Manager, Work Execution

• 1987- 2002: NL Hydro – Project Engineer

• 1984 - 1987: Subsea Engineering - Drilling Engineer

• 1981 - 1984: Nova Pipeline - Project Engineer

#### Mike Manuel - Manager, Safety Health & Environment

- Joined Hydro 2009
- Bachelor of Science; Chemistry (MUN 1992)
- Experience:

• 2009 – Present: HTGS Manager, Safety Health and Environment

1995 - 2009: NARL – Various Positions, Senior Production Planner

• 1992 - 1995: MUN – Inorganic Research



### HTGS Management cont'd

- Gerard Cochrane Manager, Operations
  - Joined Hydro 1987
  - 1<sup>st</sup> Class Power Engineer; (CONA 1988)
  - Certificate of Business Administration; (MUN 1993)
  - Experience:

• 2009 - Present: HTGS Manager, Operations

• 2002 - 2009: HTGS – Operations Specialist / Training Coordinator

• 1987 - 2002: HTGS – Plant Operator / Shift Supervisor

• 1985 - 1987: IOC - Operator

- Steve Connolly Team Lead, Support Services
  - Joined Hydro 2006
  - Bachelor of Commerce (MUN 2006)
  - Certified Management Accountant / Accounting Diploma (CONA 1989 / 1984)
  - Experience:

• 2006 – Present: HTGS Team Lead, Support Services

• 1999 - 2004: XWAVE Solutions – Financial Accountant

• 1988 - 1999: Paragon Information Systems – Manager, Finance & Administration



### **AMEC Terms of Reference**

 Engaged to conduct Phase 1 of a Condition Assessment & Life Extension Study of HTGS based on EPRI Standard:

Assess the station condition and to identify future work required to meet the service expectations based upon the Labrador Interconnection scenario.



### **AMEC Terms of Reference**

#### Scope:

- Review existing maintenance / inspections information;
- Review equipment maintenance with Operational Staff;
- Perform independent visual walk-down inspections;
- Develop assessments for equipment including:
  - equipment condition;
  - action plans;
  - technical & safety risk;
  - life cycle status;
  - level 2 inspection requirements; and
  - capital investment timing



### **Other Related Activities**

#### Marine Terminal:

 Hatch was engaged to conduct the condition assessment exercise because of their past experience and expertise

#### Gas Turbine:

- During the station condition assessment it was recognized that the gas turbine required advanced condition assessment
- Report being drafted



## **Asset Groupings/Key Components**

- Groupings broken down into two main areas:
  - Facilities required for power production through 2020
  - Facilities required for synchronous condenser operation - indefinite



### **Asset Groupings/Key Components**

#### **Power Production**

- Marine Terminal;
- Fuel oil transfer piping and storage;
- Boilers;
- Stacks;
- Steam turbines;
- Water Treatment Plant (partial);
- Waste Water Treatment Plant (partial);
- Gas Turbine;
- Emissions



## **Asset Groupings/Key Components**

### **Assets for Synchronous Condenser Plant**

- Generators
- Hydrogen Cooling Systems;
- Start-up Systems (Static Frequency Converters);
- Excitation Equipment & Electrical Distribution;
- Auxiliary Boiler and Station Heating;
- •Emergency Diesels, Batteries, Compressed Air, Fire Protection;
- Lube Oil Systems, Cooling Water Systems;
- Buildings, Site Services, Lighting, HVAC;
- Power Transformers / Switchyard;



### **AMEC Report: Capital Investment**

- Incorporate results into capital plans
  - 2012 Capital Budget
  - Five year plan (under review)



## **Phase 2 Capital Plan**

#### 2012

HRD - Replace Programmable Logic Controllers WWTP
HRD - Upgrade Electrical Equipment
HRD - Replace Steam Seal Regulator Unit 2
HRD - Upgrade Hydrogen System
HRD - Upgrade Synchronous Condenser Unit 3
HRD - Replace Relay Panels Unit 3
HRD - Upgrade Forced Draft Fan Ductwork Unit 2
HRD - Upgrade Stack Breaching Unit 2
HRD - Install Plant Operator Training Simulator
HRD - Upgrade Fuel Oil Heat Tracing
HRD - Upgrade Marine Terminal
HRD - Rewind Generator Units 1 and 2
HRD - Replace Beta Attenuation Monitoring Analyzers
HRD - Complete Condition Assessment - Phase 2
HRD - Unit 1 Major Overhaul
HRD - Upgrade Stack Breaching Unit 1 (2011)
HRD - Refurbish Fuel Storage Facility (Tank #3 - 2011)

Green: Projects for Operation Beyond 2020



### **Human Resources Challenges**

- Employee Liaison Advisory Committee
- Recruitment
- Retention
- Operator Training Simulator



# **Questions?**

