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Did Hydro survey other utilities to review their guidelines for capitalization of major inspections and overhauls? If so, provide details of the survey, including the names of the utilities included in the survey and the results.

A. Hydro did not survey other utilities to review their guidelines for capitalization of major inspections and overhauls. However, the IFRS guidelines for capitalization were researched and developed by Hydro's internal professional finance staff in consultation with operations and engineering management and other external consultants. Deloitte, from both a consulting and auditor perspective, reviewed and offered their expertise and guidance to Hydro on the capitalization of major inspections and overhauls based on their extensive knowledge of IFRS.