

1 Q. **Upgrade Unit 1 Stack Breeching**

2 In evaluating Alternative 3 the annual O&M cost was estimated to be \$49,391, using
3 the average of the 11-year maintenance history of the Unit 1 stack breeching as
4 shown in Table 1, page 9 of the report: "Upgrade Unit 1 Stack Breeching, Holyrood
5 Thermal Generating Station, July 2011".

6 Why would this total maintenance figure for 2006, which appears to be inconsistent
7 with normal maintenance costs on the Unit 1 Stack Breeching, not be considered an
8 outlier in calculating the average annual cost of maintenance on this unit?

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11 A. The total maintenance cost figure for 2006 is inconsistent with normal maintenance
12 costs on Unit 1 Stack Breeching when compared to the other individual years
13 presented in Table 1 of the July report. However, it should be included as normal
14 maintenance over the ten-year time period because it is work that must take place
15 during that overall time period. If it had not actually been required in 2006 as one
16 item it is expected that the work would have been required over the time period
17 one or two years before or after 2006. It is anticipated that similar work will be
18 required in the future if the project does not proceed.