

1 Q. On page 30 of the *Supply and Install 100 MW (Nominal) of Combustion Turbine*  
2 *Generation* report, Hydro states:

3 ***“In the near term, a combustion turbine located at Holyrood provides...[t]he***  
4 ***ability to return the leased black start diesels at Holyrood.”***

5 When does Hydro expect to be able to return the leased black start diesels at  
6 Holyrood?

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9 A. Hydro will return the leased diesels to minimize the cost while ensuring reliable  
10 blackstart is available for the Holyrood Thermal Generating Station (HTGS). The  
11 leased blackstart diesels at Holyrood will be returned to the supplier no earlier than  
12 the successful commissioning of the new combustion turbine and the systems used  
13 to provide the blackstart requirements for the HTGS. Hydro assumed in its proposal  
14 for this project that the lease will end by the middle of 2015.