

1 Q. On page 12, lines 10-13 of its response, dated May 2, 2014, to the Liberty  
2 Consulting Group Interim Report Hydro stated that generation reserve margins in  
3 predominantly hydroelectric systems in the Canadian electric utility industry are  
4 typically around 10% and 15-20% in predominantly thermal systems. Define  
5 “*predominantly hydroelectric system*” as used in this context and compare it to the  
6 definition generally used in the industry.

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9 A. “Predominately hydroelectric system” in the context of this response refers to  
10 systems where hydro is the dominant generation source. In Canada, there are four  
11 provinces that would be considered predominately hydro-electric: Quebec,  
12 Manitoba, British Columbia and Newfoundland and Labrador. The installed capacity  
13 for these four provinces is between 85% to 90% hydro-electric. The remaining  
14 provinces in Canada all have less than 25% hydro-electric generation.

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16 The system on the island portion of Newfoundland and Labrador is approximately  
17 65% hydro-electric.