

1 Q. On page 67 of the Upgrade Transmission Line Corridor Report it is stated that the
2 cost for this project has increased from \$210,000,000 in 2011 to \$292,000,000 in
3 the current application. Please describe what controls will be in place to control
4 costs, scope and schedule to ensure that the current cost will not be exceeded.

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7 A. Hydro will utilize existing project management proactive practices, which include:

8 • cost control;

9 • change management;

10 • regular and consistent tracking against schedule; and

11 • project team meetings for project issues and solves.

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13 It is anticipated that with an early start, focus on the detailed engineering will allow
14 sufficient planning to ensure that the scope and costs are maintained.