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## 1Q.Reference: CA-NP-96: please explain why NP's fleet of passenger vehicles has not2reduced from 2005 to forecast 2008 in light of its workforce reduction. Please also3provide the make, model and year of each sport utility vehicle (SUV) in NP's fleet of4passenger vehicles at present, of which there are 60.5

- A. Table 1 shows the number of passenger vehicles at Newfoundland Power for the period
  2002 to forecast 2008.
  - Table 1 Passenger Vehicles 2002 to 2008F (Year End)

	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007F	2008F
Passenger Vehicles	195	193	193	185	$192^{1}$	187	185

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12	In 2004, Newfoundland Power had 193 passenger vehicles.
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14	In 2005, a workforce reduction occurred at Newfoundland Power due to the Early
15	Retirement Program (the "2005 ERP"). At year-end 2005, Newfoundland Power was
16	able to reduce the passenger vehicle fleet from 193 vehicles to 185 vehicles as a result of
17	the 2005 ERP workforce reduction.
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19	Reductions in the size of the vehicle fleet are limited by operational requirements.
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21	Newfoundland Power's forecast requirement for passenger vehicles for 2008 is 185,
22	which is the same as the passenger fleet requirement at year-end 2005.
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24	Table 2 shows the make, model and year of each sport utility vehicle ("SUV") in
25	Newfoundland Power's fleet of passenger vehicles year to date.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Figure for 2006 includes 7 retired vehicles that were awaiting public auction.

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## Table 2SUVs2Year to Date

Year	Make	Model	Number
2003	Chevrolet	Blazer 4x	1
2005	Chevrolet	Equinox AWD	4
2004	Chevrolet	Trailblazer	1
2005	Chevrolet	Trailblazer	1
2007	Chevrolet	Trailblazer	1
2007	Ford	Escape 4x4	2
2005	Ford	Escape Hybrid	1
2002	Ford	Escape XLS	1
2004	Ford	Explorer U74	1
2001	Ford	Escape	1
2005	Honda	Pilot Ex-L	1
2005	Jeep	Liberty	1
2006	Jeep	Liberty	1
2007	Jeep	Liberty	3
2001	Suzuki	Gr Vitara	5
2002	Suzuki	Gr Vitara	9
2003	Suzuki	Gr Vitara	1
2005	Suzuki	Gr Vitara	8
2007	Suzuki	SX4 AWD Jx	3
1999	Suzuki	Vitara 4x4	1
2003	Suzuki	Vitara 4x4	5
2004	Suzuki	Vitara 4x4	1
2005	Suzuki	Vitara 4x4	4
2004	Suzuki	X17	1
2006	Toyota	Matrix 4 Wheel Drive	1

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> In 2007, a truck will be replaced with an SUV. However, the make and model of that SUV is not known at this time.