Q. **Re: GRK-NLH-125**

Preamble:

The RFI asked Hydro to confirm that "within 20 minutes, this amount [immediate load shedding of 673 MW] could be reduced to 396.8 MW (673-276.2), due to the availability of standby generation."

The response states that "This is not confirmed."

Please modify the statement quoted in the preamble such that it is correct.

A. Hydro's response to GRK-NLH-125 provides very clear information on the level of standby generation and its timing with respect to restoration of load shed as a result of permanent loss of the Labrador-Island HVdc Link (LIL). Therefore in the event of a full loss of the LIL under the circumstances described (refer to Hydro's response to GRK-NLH-125):

- immediate load shedding of 673 MW would be required when the LIL is at full load;
- within 20 minutes, this amount could be reduced to 516.8 MW (673 MW - 156.2 MW); and
- within 40 minutes, this amount could be reduced to 396.8 MW (516.8 MW -120 MW), due to the availability of standby generation.