

1 Q. **Reference: PUB-NLH-021.** In its response, Hydro states that "an extended demand  
2 management program is not required, nor can it be appropriately studied and  
3 economically justified in the timeframe being considered." What does Hydro means  
4 by "extended" in the foregoing response? What "timeframe" is being referred to in  
5 the foregoing response?

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8 A. Hydro's response to PUB-NLH-021 aligns with the question which refers to the 2014  
9 winter period. In the response the word "extended" means that a demand  
10 management program was not determined to be required for the remaining 2014  
11 winter period. Given the date of Hydro's response to PUB-NLH-021 being mid-  
12 January, the word "timeframe" means that a demand management program could  
13 not be appropriately studied at that time for the 2014 winter period of January  
14 through March.