

1 Q. It is understood that the HVdc cable installation will be performed by several  
2 different contractors. Explain how the HVdc cable contractor/manufacturer will be  
3 involved in the supervision of the sub-contracts that are critical to the long term  
4 reliability of the HVdc cable and whether suitably qualified consultants will be  
5 engaged to supervise cable manufacture, cable coiling and cable laying.

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8 A. The cable installation will not be performed by several different contractors, but  
9 rather by the cable manufacturer.

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11 The cable manufacturer is responsible for manufacturing, load-out from the factory,  
12 transportation to the Strait of Belle Isle, and installation of both the subsea and land  
13 cables.

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15 Surveillance of key activities undertaken by the manufacturer, including  
16 manufacturing, loading, and laying, will be performed by the Lower Churchill  
17 Project team.