



NEWFOUNDLAND AND LABRADOR
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF PUBLIC UTILITIES
120 Torbay Road, P.O. Box 21040, St. John's, Newfoundland and Labrador, Canada, A1A 5B2

E-mail: ghayes@newfoundlandpower.com

2016-11-04

Mr. Gerard Hayes
Newfoundland Power Inc.
55 Kenmount Road
P.O. Box 8910
St. John's, NL A1B 3P6

Dear Sir:

Re: Investigation and Hearing into Supply Issues and Power Outages on the Island Interconnected System - RFIs - PUB-NP-312 to PUB-NP-313

Enclosed are Requests for Information (RFIs) PUB-NP-312 to PUB-NP-313 regarding the above-noted application.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the Board's Legal Counsel, Ms. Jacqui Glynn, by email, jglynn@pub.nl.ca or telephone (709) 726-6781.

Yours truly,

Cheryl Blundon
Board Secretary

cpj

Enclosure

ecc.

Newfoundland and Labrador Hydro

Ms. Tracey Pennell, E-mail: traceypennell@nlh.nl.ca

Mr. Geoff Young, Email: gyoung@nlh.nl.ca

NLH Regulatory, E-mail: NLHRegulatory@nlh.nl.ca

Newfoundland Power Inc.

Mr. Ian Kelly, Q.C., E-mail: ikelly@curtisdawe.com

Consumer Advocate

Mr. Dennis Browne, Q.C. E-mail: dbrowne@bfina-law.com

Mr. Stephen Fitzgerald, E-mail: sfitzgerald@bfina-law.com

Ms. Sarah Fitzgerald, E-mail: sarahfitzgerald@bfina-law.com

Ms. Bernice Bailey, E-mail: bbailey@bfina-law.com

Island Industrial Customer Group

Mr. Paul Coxworthy, E-mail: pcoxworthy@stewartmckelvey.com

Mr. Dean Porter, E-mail: dporter@poolealthouse.ca

Grand Riverkeeper Labrador, Inc.

Ms. Roberta Frampton Benefiel, E-Mail: rebfl@gmail.com

Mr. Charles O'Brien, E-mail: bluegreenlaw@gmail.com

Mr. Philip Raphals, E-mail: Philip@centrehelios.org

Yale Newfoundland and Labrador Limited

Mr. Denis Fleming, E-mail: dfleming@coxandpalmer.com

Mr. Danny Dumaresque

Mr. Danny Dumaresque, E-mail: danny.liberal@gmail.com

Mr. William Kennedy, E-mail: wkennedy@kennedylawoffice.ca

Teck Resources Limited

Mr. Larry Bartlett, E-mail: larry.bartlett@teck.com

1 **IN THE MATTER OF**
2 the *Electrical Power Control Act, 1994*,
3 SNL 1994, Chapter E-5.1 (the “*EPCA*”)
4 and the *Public Utilities Act, RSNL 1990*,
5 Chapter P-47 (the “*Act*”), as amended; and
6
7 **IN THE MATTER** of the Board’s Investigation
8 and Hearing into Supply Issues and Power Outages
9 on the Island Interconnected System.

**PUBLIC UTILITIES BOARD
REQUESTS FOR INFORMATION**

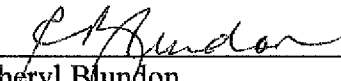
PUB-NP-312 to PUB-NP-313

Issued: November 4, 2016

- 1 **PUB-NP-312** In his report, on page 26, Mr. Ghannoum concludes that the analysis
2 conducted by Hydro does not demonstrate that the LIL meets or exceeds
3 the return periods claimed. Hydro has concluded that a bipole failure of
4 the LIL from all causes is estimated to occur about once every three years.
5 In Mr. Gannoum's opinion, what are the implications for the bipole failure
6 rate if his opinion on the return period for the LIL is correct?
7
- 8 **PUB-NP-313** Please provide Mr. Ghannoum's opinion of the implications for the
9 reliability of the Island Interconnected System if his opinion on the return
10 period for the LIL is correct.

DATED at St. John's, Newfoundland this 4th day of November 2016.

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF PUBLIC UTILITIES

Per 
Cheryl Blundon
Board Secretary