

1 Q. **Reference: Application**

2 In the Capital Budget, who is responsible for the evidence to testify at a technical conference or
3 in an oral public hearing? What lead individuals are responsible for testifying for each capital
4 budget expenditure?

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7 A. When a technical conference is scheduled, Newfoundland and Labrador Hydro (“Hydro”)
8 ensures that the parties attending from Hydro or on Hydro’s behalf are those who can speak to
9 the issues identified for discussion at the technical conference. For this informal event, there
10 may be multiple individuals who could speak to different aspects of projects or programs. For an
11 oral public hearing, Hydro would also determine the most appropriate and knowledgeable
12 individual(s) to speak on a given topic, and that individual or individuals would be made
13 available to testify at the hearing.