

1 Q. **Reference: Schedule 1 2025 Capital Budget Overview, page 34, footnote 48.**

2 Hydro states that it is required under Canadian environmental regulations to remove and
3 dispose of all equipment containing greater than 50 parts per million of PCBs by December 31,
4 2025. Is Hydro on schedule to fully comply with the December 31, 2025 Government of Canada
5 deadline?

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8 A. Yes. Newfoundland and Labrador Hydro is currently working on schedule to comply with the
9 December 31, 2025, Government of Canada deadline to remove and dispose of all equipment
10 containing greater than 50 parts per million of PCBs.¹ Procurement delays remain a potential
11 risk, as all Canadian utilities are required to meet this deadline, putting pressure on vendors.

¹ Polychlorinated biphenyls (“PCB”).