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Dear Ms. Pennell:

Re: Newfoundland and Labrador Hydro - Amended General Rate Application - Compliance Application - Order No. P.U. 49(2016) - Industrial Customer RSP and RFIs PUB-NLH-001 - PUB-NLH-006

To allow for the orderly implementation of rates on July 1, 2017 the Board has decided that the Industrial Customer RSP issues will not be addressed in the Board's order relating to Hydro's compliance application and will instead be addressed in a subsequent order of the Board.

The Board believes that, in light of the submissions filed regarding the compliance application proposals related to the Industrial Customer RSP, further information should be provided by Hydro. The Board's requests for information (RFIs) PUB-NLH-001 - PUB-NLH-006 are enclosed.

The Board has established the following schedule to allow for the timely consideration of this matter and the implementation of Industrial Customer rates, effective July 1, 2017.

<u>Filing</u>	<u>Date</u>
Responses to the Board's RFIs	Friday, April 28, 2017
Further RFIs	Wednesday, May 3, 2017
Responses to RFIs	Monday, May 8, 2017
Submissions from Parties	Wednesday, May 10, 2017
Hydro's Reply	Friday, May 12, 2017

The Board also encourages Hydro to work with the Industrial Customers with a view to reaching a consensus as to the best approach in the circumstances.

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,



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