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**Attention: Ms. G. Cheryl Blundon, Director of Corporate Services
and Board Secretary**

Dear Ms. Blundon:

Re: Hydro 2017 General Rate Application Second Round RFI responses

With respect to Hydro's filing of responses to the second round Requests for Information of the parties, we request leave of the Board to file follow up Requests for Information in relation to Hydro's response to IC-NLH-146.

Specifically, we refer to Hydro's "Reason for Omission", at page 2 of 2 the IC-NLH-146 response, in relation to two Come By Chance 2016 expenditures, that "*at the time Hydro's response to IC-NLH-015 was filed in 2014, specific bushings for replacement were not identified*" and "*....specific protected devices for replacement were not identified*".

As appears from Hydro's response to IC-NLH-008 in the 2016 Capital Budget Application (copy enclosed), these expenditures were not identified as specifically assigned in that capital budget process.

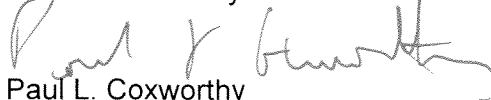
The capital expenditures in question, as apparently identified in Table 2 to IC-NLH-103, total \$0.7 million.

Hydro's response to IC-NLH-146, in the context of the above, leaves remaining questions as to whether and how the capital expenditures in question were identified as being specifically assigned and approved, in any capital budget process before the Board.

We trust this request is in order. If formal application or motion needs to be made to make further requests for information in this regard, please advise.

Yours truly,

Stewart McKelvey



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Enclosure

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1 Q. **Specifically Assigned Capital Expenditures**

2 Identify any and all proposed capital expenditures for 2016 which Hydro intends to
3 seek to have specifically assigned to one or more members of the Island Industrial
4 Customer Group (Corner Brook Pulp and Paper, North Atlantic Refining and Teck
5 Resources).

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8 A. For new projects proposed in the 2016 Capital Budget, Hydro does not currently
9 have plans to specifically assign any capital expenditures. This excludes any
10 specifically assigned expenditure for projects that were approved in the 2015
11 Capital Budget. In Request for Information IC-NLH-015 from the 2015 Capital
12 Budget Application, Hydro discussed projects for which Hydro would seek to
13 specifically assign capital expenditures, of which some projects were two year
14 projects with costs in 2016.