

1 Q. Reference: Study, page 9 - Transmission Planning Criteria TP-S-007 NLSO Standard

2 [www.oasis.oati.com/woa/docs/NLSO/NLSOdocs/TP-S-](http://www.oasis.oati.com/woa/docs/NLSO/NLSOdocs/TP-S-)

3 [007\\_Transmission\\_Planning\\_Criteria\\_UPDATED\\_05112018.pdf](http://www.oasis.oati.com/woa/docs/NLSO/NLSOdocs/TP-S-007_Transmission_Planning_Criteria_UPDATED_05112018.pdf)

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5 Please explain the impacts of the “Local Network” classification of the Labrador West  
6 transmission system with regards to the application of the TP-S-007 NLSO Standard.

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9 A. The Labrador West transmission system is classified as a “Local Network” and is therefore  
10 not subject to strict application of Transmission Planning Criteria as defined in “NLSO  
11 Standard Transmission Planning Criteria Doc # TP-S-007.”<sup>1</sup> As Local Networks allow for the  
12 distribution of electricity to specific customers, criteria may be selectively applied in  
13 consideration of cost and customer reliability requirements.

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<sup>1</sup> Newfoundland and Labrador System Operator (“NLSO”).