

IN THE MATTER OF the *Public Utilities Act*
(the “Act”); and

IN THE MATTER OF capital expenditures
and rate base of Newfoundland Power Inc.; and

IN THE MATTER OF an application by
Newfoundland Power Inc. for an Order pursuant
to sections 41 and 78 of the *Act*;

(a) approving a 2021 Capital Budget of \$111,298.00;

(b) approving certain capital expenditures related to
multi-year projects commencing in 2021; and

(c) fixing and determining a 2019 rate base of
\$1,153,556.00.

**CONSUMER ADVOCATE
REQUEST FOR INFORMATION
CA-PUB-001 to CA-PUB-002**

Issued: August 19, 2020

- 1 CA-PUB-001 (Reference NP 2021 Capital Budget Application) With respect to the
2 Capital Budget Application Guidelines, in the Board's opinion is the onus
3 on the utility to fully support with evidence expenditures in the Capital
4 Budget or is the onus on the intervenors to submit evidence indicating that
5 a capital expenditure is not needed? What does the Board consider the body
6 of evidence to be in Capital Budget hearings from which the Board can
7 make a decision?
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- 9 CA-PUB-002 Please provide information as to the last time the Board actually had a
10 public hearing in reference to NP's annual Capital Budget applications.

DATED at St. John's, Newfoundland and Labrador, this 19th day of August, 2020.

Per:



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