

- 1 **Q. In CA-NP-148 it appears that the existing CSS is still capable of providing**
2 **customers with the current standard of service. NP has not filed evidence: (i) that**
3 **the existing CSS will suffer a major failure, (ii) an estimate of the probably of**
4 **failure, (iii) evidence that a failure cannot be readily rectified in a timely manner, or**
5 **(iv) what a failure entails and how it might affect customers if at all. Can EY**
6 **provide documentation that addresses these shortcomings?**
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- 8 A. It is EY's understanding that Newfoundland Power has responded to this request. See its
9 letter to the Board, dated December 18, 2020 (page 6).
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- 11 Refer to PUB-NP-022 and PUB-NP-023 for discussion of the 5 risk dimensions facing
12 Newfoundland Power.