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Dear Ms. Pennell:

Re: Investigation and Hearing into Supply Issues and Power Outages on the Island Interconnected System - Requested Information from Hydro

This is in response to Hydro's July 5, 2017 letter providing an update to the Board's May 3, 2017 letter requesting specific information to be provided and the timing of availability of this information. The Board is reviewing Hydro's response but at this time wishes to address Hydro's response to the following items:

- Item #6: Update on studies for HVdc converter station contractors' studies and copies of any completed study**
- Item #16: Updated energy supply risk assessment post Muskrat Falls**
- Item #22: Update on multi-year reliability compliance program and Provincial Reliability Framework**
- Item #23: Status of plan for compliance with NERC**

Hydro's response to the Board's request for these information items includes the following statement:

The nature of the information provided may be subject to any response by Hydro to this recommendation and the Board's final determination on (i) Liberty's recommendations and (ii) the parties' submissions.

The Board requests that Hydro provide clarification of this statement in relation to each of the information items, and specifically how the nature of the information item to be provided would be impacted.

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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