

1 Q. **Reference: Response to Request for Information NP-NLH-050**

2 Newfoundland and Labrador Hydro (“Hydro”) has not performed a review of its  
3 transmission system in accordance with TPL-001-4 and therefore does not have  
4 a listing of extreme events. Such a review would require a comprehensive  
5 network study that Hydro would perform if it were seeking full compliance with  
6 Northeast Power Coordinating Council (“NPCC”) standards. Hydro is not seeking  
7 full compliance with NPCC standards at this time.

8 Please describe Hydro’s responsibilities in relation to the NPCC and whether those  
9 responsibilities can be expected to change in the future.

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12 A. Newfoundland and Labrador Hydro (“Hydro”) does not have responsibilities with respect to the  
13 Northeast Power Coordinating Council (“NPCC”), as it is not a member. Decisions relating to the  
14 adoption of NERC<sup>1</sup> and NPCC standards would require a detailed assessment of Hydro’s planning  
15 and operating practices. Hydro would need to investigate reliability and cost implications and  
16 work with regulatory parties to understand if such an undertaking would be in the best interest  
17 of customers. Hydro does not have plans to become a member of the NPCC at this time.

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<sup>1</sup> North American Electric Reliability Corporation (“NERC”).