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May 11, 2023

Board of Commissioners
of Public Utilities
P.O. Box 21040
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Attention: G. Cheryl Blundon
Director of Corporate Services
and Board Secretary

Dear Ms. Blundon:

**Re: Newfoundland and Labrador Hydro Application for a Non-Firm Rate for
Labrador – Requests for Information**

Please find enclosed Newfoundland Power's Requests for Information NP-NLH-019 to
NP-NLH-026 in relation to the above-noted Application.

If you have any questions regarding the enclosed, please contact the undersigned.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "D. Foley". The signature is stylized with a large, sweeping flourish at the end.

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IN THE MATTER OF the *Electrical Power Control Act, 1994*, SNL 1994, Chapter E-5.1 (“EPCA”) and the *Public Utilities Act*, RSNL 1990, Chapter P-47 (“Act”), and regulations thereunder; and

IN THE MATTER OF an application by Newfoundland and Labrador Hydro (“Hydro”) pursuant to Section 70 of the Act for approval of a rate for Non-Firm Service in Labrador, and other associated matters (“Application”).

**Requests for Information by
Newfoundland Power Inc.**

NP-NLH-019 to NP-NLH-026

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Requests for Information

- NP-NLH-019 **Reference: Request for Information PUB-NLH-001, part (b).**
- Please estimate the additional administrative costs that have been identified for the proposed non-firm rate for the Labrador Interconnected System.
- NP-NLH-020 **Reference: Request for Information NP-NLH-001.**
- Please provide BC Hydro's Freshet Rate and its Incremental Energy Rate. As part of the response, please confirm that the dollar per MWh adders in these rate offerings are charged in addition to the greater of: (a) the weighted average index price and (b) \$0/KWh. If this cannot be confirmed, please explain.
- NP-NLH-021 **Reference: Requests for Information NP-NLH-011 to NP-NLH-014.**
- Please outline the maximum non-firm load available for the Labrador Interconnected System and please describe the system constraint scenario(s) that would result in the non-firm load not being available to the customer(s).
- NP-NLH-022 **Reference: Requests for Information NP-NLH-011 to NP-NLH-014.**
- Please outline the maximum non-firm load available for a direct connection to the Muskrat Falls substation and please describe the system constraint scenario(s) that would result in the non-firm load not being available to the customer(s).
- NP-NLH-023 **Reference: Request for Information NP-NLH-016.**
- Please confirm that all net export revenues will be credited to Hydro's Supply Cost Variance Deferral Account or the Hydraulic Resources Optimization Deferral Account, effective January 1, 2023. If this cannot be confirmed, please explain and specify where else net revenues may be credited to.
- NP-NLH-024 **Reference: Request for Information NP-NLH-016, page 3, lines 1-3.**
- Is Hydro required to credit net export revenues to the SCVDA? If not, please explain the process that determines what portion of net export revenues are credited to the SCVDA to the benefit of Island customers.

NP-NLH-025

Reference: Request for Information NP-NLH-016.

Please complete the table below outlining where net export revenues for 2022 were credited.

Net Export Revenues 2022 (\$000s)	
	Amount
Net export revenue	
Credited to:	
SCVDA	
Hydraulic Resources Optimization Deferral Account	
Hydro's net income	
Related entity's net income	
Other (please specify)	

NP-NLH-026

Reference: Request for Information NP-NLH-018.

Please confirm that BC Hydro's Freshet Rate was first implemented on a pilot basis and that its Incremental Energy Rate is currently implemented on a pilot basis.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED at St. John's, Newfoundland and Labrador, this 11th day of May, 2023.


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