

1 Q. **Reference: Response to Request for Information PUB-NLH-039.**

2 Given the lead time of 12 to 18 months quoted by Hydro’s vendors for the purchase of this  
3 transformer, has Hydro considered proposing this as a multiyear project? If not, why not?

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6 A. Newfoundland and Labrador Hydro (“Hydro”) stated in its response to PUB-NLH-039 of this  
7 proceeding that *“should delivery of the spare transformer carryover into 2026, Hydro will*  
8 *transfer this portion of the project scope to the subsequent year of this program, as has been*  
9 *Hydro’s approach for carryover within programs.”* If this transformer had been intended for a  
10 standalone project, the project would have been proposed as a multi-year project; however,  
11 Hydro’s approach has been to include capital spare purchases within In-Service Failure  
12 Programs.