

- 1 **Q. (Reference Application, 3.1 2023 Transmission Line Rebuild) What is required**  
2 **of Newfoundland Power to gain access to a new right-of-way; i.e.,**  
3 **access/acquisition, environmental permitting, etc?**  
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- 5 A. In order to gain access to a new right-of-way, Newfoundland Power must complete a  
6 Crown Lands Application for an easement across Crown Land pursuant to section 5 of  
7 the *Lands Act*, SNL 1991, c, 36. A property title search must also be completed to  
8 identify private properties that will be impacted by the new transmission route and  
9 separate private easements must be obtained if required.
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11 The Crown Lands Application process may include referrals to other Government  
12 departments or agencies which may have an interest or concern related to the easement  
13 being applied for. Based on the responses from the referrals during the application  
14 process, Newfoundland Power may be required to obtain additional permitting.