

1 **Q. (Reference Application) In reference to the allowance for “unforeseen items”,**  
 2 **please provide a history of this allowance from 2000 to the present, and**  
 3 **where and when the allowance was called upon, and for what reasons, and**  
 4 **what was left in the allowance for unforeseen items at the end of each**  
 5 **particular year.**

7 A. Newfoundland Power notes that this Request for Information is identical to CA-NP-145  
 8 filed in relation to the Company’s *2024 Capital Budget Application*.

10 The annual approved budget amounts, actual cost and remaining budget at year end for  
 11 the *Allowance for Unforeseen Items* are provided in Attachment A for 2000 to 2023. For  
 12 2024, the Company has an approved budget of \$750,000. As of August 23, 2024, the  
 13 Company has not availed of the *2024 Allowance for Unforeseen Items*.

15 Table 1 provides a summary of the events that required use of the *Allowance for*  
 16 *Unforeseen Items* from 2000 to 2023.

Table 1: Allowance for Unforeseen Items Use Cases (2000 to 2023)	
Year	Explanation
2003	Lightning storm damage at Clarke’s Pond substation Replacement of tap changer at Bayview substation
2006	Cape Broyle Plant tunnel rehabilitation
2008	Replacement of power transformer at Pierre’s Brook Hydro Plant
2009	Repair power transformer at Kenmount Substation Rehabilitation of Unit 2 turbine runner Seal Cove Hydro Plant
2010	Ice storm damage on the Bonavista peninsula Wind and water damage Hurricane Igor
2011	Replace underground high-voltage switch, McBride’s Hill, St. John’s
2012	Wind and water damage Tropical Storm Leslie Submarine cable failure Broad Cove to Bell Island
2013	Winter storm in Central Newfoundland
2018	Water damage mobile diesel generator



## **ATTACHMENT A:**

### Allowance for Unforeseen Items

**Newfoundland Power Inc.**  
**Allowance for Unforeseen Items**  
**For the Years 2000 to 2023**  
**(\$000s)**

<b>Year</b>	<b>Approved Budget<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>Actual</b>	<b>Remaining at Year End</b>
2000	750	0	750
2001	750	0	750
2002	750	0	750
2003	750	392	358
2004	750	0	750
2005	750	0	750
2006	750	894	(144)
2007	750	0	750
2008	1,150	400	750
2009	1,835	1,049	786
2010	6,850	5,899	951
2011	750	305	445
2012	1,065	950	115
2013	750	498	252
2014	750	0	750
2015	750	0	750
2016	750	0	750
2017	750	0	750
2018	750	260	490
2019	750	0	750
2020	750	0	750
2021	750	0	750
2022	750	0	750
2023	750	0	750

<sup>1</sup> Requested amounts include the capital budget application and any applicable supplemental applications.