

1 Q. (Reference 2017 GRA Volume I, page 5.6) It is stated (lines 11 to 13) “*reflecting the*
2 *forecast savings from pre-commissioning off-island purchases in the 2018 and 2019*
3 *Test Year revenue requirements is anticipated to keep rates flat or potentially*
4 *reduce rates slightly.*” Please file a cost of service study for 2019 based on this
5 expected future.

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8 A. In order to prepare the requested Cost of Service study, Hydro would need to
9 allocate the transmission costs of the Labrador-Island Link and the Labrador
10 Transmission Assets in the Cost of Service study. However, the functionalization and
11 classification of these assets for preparing the requested Cost of Service study will
12 not be determined until the completion of the Cost of Service Methodology Review
13 hearing planned to start in 2018. Therefore, the requested information has not
14 been provided.

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16 For estimated overall customer impacts of the savings from off-island purchases,
17 please refer to Hydro’s response to CA-NLH-025.