

1 **Q. At page 30 of the Navigant Report at section 3.1 (Best Practices), Navigant refers to**  
2 **the Interstate Renewable Energy Council ("IREC") Model Rule. One of the**  
3 **recommendations of IREC is that utilities should not be permitted to impose an**  
4 **application fee for Net Metering. Does Newfoundland Power intend to follow this**  
5 **recommended best practice in the proposed Net Metering Program?**

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7 A. Newfoundland Power does not intend to impose an application fee for net metering.