

1 **Q: Please provide the Brattle Group's understanding of the purpose and function**
2 **of the Corner Brook Pulp and Paper (CBPP) Pilot Agreement and of the**
3 **distinct purpose and function of the CBPP Capacity Assistance Agreement. As**
4 **part of the response, please comment on the differing functions of the Capacity**
5 **Assistance Agreement and the Pilot Agreement in relation to Hydro's**
6 **dispatchability of capacity.**
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8 A. See pages 59-60 of our report for a summary of our general understanding of the
9 CBPP Pilot. Our understanding is based upon Hydro's description of the program
10 as noted in our testimony and our review of the pilot program's description. In
11 general, the CBPP Pilot Agreement permits CBPP to maximize the efficiency of its
12 60 Hz Deer Lake Power generation and allows Hydro to call on CBPP to maximize
13 its 60 Hz generation prior to increasing generation at Holyrood and standby units.
14 The CBPP Capacity Assistance Agreement permits Hydro to make Capacity
15 Assistance Requests to CBPP in amounts of 20, 40, 60, 90 or 105 MW with some
16 restrictions. The CBPP Capacity Assistance Agreement provides for a reduction in
17 the overall island electrical system demand during peak hours and periods of system
18 constraint. Both Agreements affect Hydro's dispatchability of capacity.