

1 Q. Further to response to Request for Information NP-NLH-024, Attachment 1, page 26  
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3 In the third paragraph of Attachment 1 on page 26 of 53, Deloitte states:

4 *“This review did not “audit” or validate any of the cost or numbers provided to us, or*  
5 *evaluate the O&M costs.”*

6 Why did Deloitte not evaluate the O&M costs borne by Hydro’s rate payers to  
7 establish their reasonableness?

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10 A. This was not part of the scope for the work performed. Please refer to Section 2,  
11 Scope and Approach, Sub-section 2.2.2 of the Deloitte report, NP-NLH-024  
12 Attachment 1.