

- 1 **Q. In relation to Attachment A to CA-NP-016, Newfoundland Power Critical Feeders**
2 **January 2-8, 2014 please advise of the following;**
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4 **i) Where the specific critical customer has not been identified please provide**
5 **the name for same ie. reference is made to “Hospital”, “Seniors Home” etc.,**
6 **ii) Were there any other critical customers identified for each of the Critical**
7 **Feeders? Please identify same and the basis for designation as critical;**
8 **iii) What was the basis upon which the customers identified were designated as**
9 **critical;**
10 **iv) Was any attempt made to determine whether the critical customers identified**
11 **possessed back up power generation and if same was available and to what**
12 **capacity?**
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14 **A. i) The specific names of critical customers is not necessary for a satisfactory**
15 **understanding of the matters to be considered in this proceeding within the**
16 **meaning of Section 14 (1) of the *Board of Commissioners of Public Utilities***
17 ***Regulations, 1996.* Accordingly, Newfoundland Power is unwilling to provide**
18 **this information.**
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20 **ii) No.**
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22 **iii) The basis upon which the customers were designated as critical was that they**
23 **were considered essential to the health, safety and welfare of the communities**
24 **which Newfoundland Power serves. Please refer to the response to Request for**
25 **Information CA-NP-016.**
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27 **iv) A number of critical customers have back up generation. For some customers,**
28 **this back up generation is insufficient to ensure full operation of the customer’s**
29 **facilities. In addition, there will be limitations on the amount of time that a**
30 **critical customer can rely on its own backup generation.**