

1 Q. Please confirm that the probabilistic assessment conducted by Teshmont is
2 intended to compare the anticipated future Island Interconnected System reliability
3 (Post-HVDC systems) with the existing Island Interconnected System reliability (Pre-
4 HVDC systems) which is comprised of legacy generation assets including the existing
5 Holyrood Thermal Generating Station and other assets of various ages and
6 reliability.

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9 A. The first paragraph of the Executive Summary of Teshmont's report ("Probabilistic
10 Based Transmission Reliability Assessment – Island Interconnected System")
11 confirms the objectives of the probabilistic assessment conducted by Teshmont.
12 The study was focused on the impact of the insertion of LIL and ML HVdc systems
13 with the retirement of Holyrood units on IIS reliability.