

1 Q. Please confirm that the Teshmont report does not provide any assessment of the
2 possibility or the probability of extended outages or the extent or duration of any
3 extended outages and the required repair time for such extended outages.

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6 A. Extended outages, such as system blackouts, are not included in the analysis of this
7 study. The study's main focus was equipment based failure (e.g. ac transmission
8 lines) and its impact on IIS adequacy to supply its load.