

1 Q. **Reference: Application Rev. 1, Volume 1, Section C: Projects Over \$500,000, Wabush Terminal**  
2 **Station Upgrades, pages C-60 to C-62**

3 Has Covid-19 had any short- or long-term impacts on the load supplied by this station?  
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7 A. The Wabush Terminal Station provides power and energy to the iron ore mining operations and  
8 the communities of Labrador City and Wabush in western Labrador. Since the onset of the  
9 COVID-19 pandemic, both the Iron Ore Company of Canada and Tacora Resources have  
10 continued to operate their production facilities and have not communicated to Newfoundland  
11 and Labrador Hydro (“Hydro”) of any past or planned production related interruptions due to  
12 the COVID-19 pandemic. Based on Hydro’s assessment of its utility related loads that serve the  
13 communities of Wabush and Labrador City, there has not been an indication of changes in  
14 community loads attributable to the COVID-19 pandemic. At present, there have not been  
15 short- or long-term impacts on the load supplied by this station and there are no COVID-19  
pandemic impacts on load forecast.