

July 21, 2026

Board of Commissioners
of Public Utilities
P.O. Box 21040
120 Torbay Road
St. John's, NL A1A 5B2

Attention: Mike McNiven
Board Secretary

Dear Mr. McNiven:

Re: Newfoundland and Labrador Hydro ("Hydro") – Application for Approval for Phase II Additional Early Execution Capital Work for the Avalon Combustion Turbine (the "Application") – Comments of Newfoundland Power Inc. ("Newfoundland Power" or the "Company")

Hydro's Application states that the currently approved funding for the Avalon CT project will be fully expended by mid-August 2026.¹ Hydro is therefore seeking approval of an additional \$35.4 million in early execution capital expenditures, largely to continue work previously approved for the project pending a decision on the overall Avalon CT project.²

On July 17, 2026 Newfoundland Power filed comments in relation to the overall Avalon CT project and submitted that it should be approved. As such, Newfoundland Power does not object to the approval of Hydro's Application if approval is required in advance of the Board's final order on the overall Avalon CT project.

We trust this is in order. If you have any questions regarding these comments, please contact the undersigned.

Yours truly,



Dominic Foley
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Enclosures

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Newfoundland and Labrador Hydro

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¹ Hydro's Application, page 4, paragraph 14

² Ibid, paragraph 18.

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