

1 Q. **Reference: 2026 Capital Budget Application, Schedule 2, Five-Year Capital Plan (2026-2030).**

2 Does Hydro anticipate any capital projects related to the Holyrood Thermal Generating Station
3 or Bay d’Espoir that are in the 5-year plan to impact the availability of generating units during
4 the winter months?

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7 A. Newfoundland Labrador Hydro ("Hydro") considers winter readiness targets in all its generation
8 and transmission related capital planning, to ensure that planned outages do not impact the
9 overall functionality of the system. At this time, Hydro does not anticipate any capital projects
10 currently in the 5-year plan to impact the availability of generating units during the winter
11 months.