

1 Q. **Reference: Schedule 7: Capital Programs and Projects, Program 9: Perform Facilities**
2 **Refurbishments (2026)**

3 Has Hydro undertaken any studies into the future operational requirements for buildings
4 identified in the 2026 scope of work? If yes, please provide any documentation available.

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7 A. No, Newfoundland and Labrador Hydro (“Hydro”) has not undertaken any studies into future
8 operational requirements for the buildings identified in the 2026 scope of work. The facilities
9 which comprise the scope of refurbishment work under this program are critical building
10 systems essential to Hydro’s operations, and are expected to remain in service for the
11 foreseeable future. The proposed refurbishments are intended to maintain occupant health and
12 safety and extend the service life of the facilities; they will not limit the operational
13 requirements of these facilities in the future.