Q. **Reference: Migrate Legacy Applications (2027); Response to PUB-NLH-068**

Has Hydro completed the assessment of whether existing platforms and capabilities can be leveraged for the 10 software applications proposed for replacement? If yes, provide the results. If no, advise when the assessment will be completed.

A. Newfoundland and Labrador Hydro ("Hydro") has completed a preliminary assessment of whether existing technology platforms and development capabilities can be leveraged for the ten software applications proposed for replacement. The preliminary assessment identified that the legacy applications could be replaced using existing technology under Hydro's established development framework.[1]

Final confirmation of the development approach will be completed as part of the detailed planning and design activities for each application in its scheduled year of execution. This approach allows Hydro to consider the capabilities and condition of its technology platforms, application requirements, integration requirements, and available technology at the time of implementation.

[1] For example, under Hydro's 2025 iteration of this project, the Leave Request application, which previously existed on the Lotus notes Domino Platform was developed using Hydro's Development Framework.