1	Q.	(Reference Application Volume 1, pages 2, 3 and 4 of 4) For the investment
2		classifications identified in CA-NP-002, provide a prioritized list of projects in each
3		classification as would be required under Midgard's proposed modifications to the
4		Capital Budget Application Guidelines.
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A. Newfoundland Power objects to answering this question on the basis that it is not relevant or necessary for a satisfactory understanding of the matters to be considered in this Application as required by Section 14 of the *Board of Commissioners of Public Utilities Regulations*, 1996.

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Midgard's proposed modifications to the Capital Budget Application Guidelines are subject to an ongoing regulatory process and are not specific to Newfoundland Power's 2021 Capital Budget Application.

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Newfoundland Power's 2021 Capital Budget Application fully complies with the existing Capital Budget Application Guidelines and all applicable directives of the Board.