

1 **Q. Is there any legal impediment which would prevent Fortis Inc. from selling**
2 **Newfoundland Power?**

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4 A. Newfoundland Power is not fully aware of Fortis' legal obligations and therefore is not
5 fully aware of what legal impediments, if any, may exist to the sale by Fortis Inc. of its
6 interest in Newfoundland Power.

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8 The question of whether any legal impediment exists that would prevent Fortis Inc. from
9 selling its interest in Newfoundland Power is neither relevant nor necessary for a
10 satisfactory understanding of the matters to be considered in this proceeding.