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Q. In reference to Schedule 6 (a) of the Financial Consultants 2003 Report - Charges to 1 2 Fortis Inc. - please provide particulars of the miscellaneous \$140,772 (2001) and 3 \$134,878 (September 2002), detailing how many employees were involved, the 4 periods of time and please provide time sheets in reference to these transactions. 5 6 A. Please refer to CA-618 for a description of our approach to reviewing intercompany 7 charges. 8 9 The miscellaneous charges in 2001 to Fortis Inc. consist of the following: 10 11 Fortis Inc. Purchase – Series G 63,000 Professional services – Fraser Milner Casgrain 12 13 for period ending Oct 31/01 34,576 14 Legal fees and foreign exchange on fees –Duke acquisition 20,054 10,000 15 Energy Council of Canada Sponsorship 16 2001 ERC application 7,000 Other miscellaneous items 17 6,142 18 19 \$ 140,772 20

The miscellaneous charges for 2002 to Fortis Inc. of \$134,878 includes a charge of \$131,831 relating to a transfer of a balance for the former Vice-President, Engineering and Energy Supply who retired from this position on February 28, 2001. This item related to the transfer of a receivable balance on the books of Newfoundland Power to Fortis Inc. The balance related to stock option loans and a related tax loan accumulated while this person was employed with Newfoundland Power.