

1 Q. With reference to the Project **C-20, Upgrade Vibration Monitoring System –**
2 **Holyrood**, at page 9, Volume II, Tab 9, Hydro asserts that reliability performance
3 and outage statistics are “not relevant to the justification of this proposal”. Explain
4 why they are not relevant.

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7 A. The justification of this proposal centers on the requirement to address planned
8 obsolescence of the Turbine Supervisory Instrumentation System. Reliability of the
9 specific modules has not been an issue to date.