



September 15, 2015

Ms. G. Cheryl Blundon
Director of Corporate Services and Board Secretary
Board of Commissioners of Public Utilities
120 Torbay Road
P.O. Box 21040
St. John's, NL A1A 5B2

Dear Ms. Blundon:

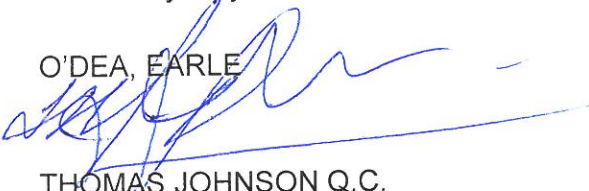
**Re: Newfoundland and Labrador Hydro Application
Supplemental Capital Expenditure – Hardwoods Gas Turbine
Requests for Information of the Consumer Advocate**

In relation to the above noted application please find enclosed the original and twelve (12) copies of the Consumer Advocate's Requests for Information numbered CA-NLH-01 to CA-NLH-06.

A copy of the letter, together with enclosures, has been forwarded directly to the parties listed below.

If you have any questions regarding the filing, please contact the undersigned at your convenience.

Yours very truly,



O'DEA, EARLE

THOMAS JOHNSON Q.C.

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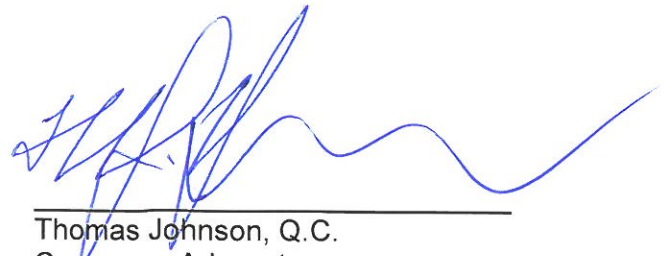
Encl.

cc: Newfoundland & Labrador Hydro
Attention: Geoffrey P. Young, Senior Legal Counsel

Newfoundland Power
Attention: Gerard Hayes, Senior Legal Counsel

Industrial Customers
Attention: Paul Coxworthy/Dean Porter

1 Dated at St. John's in the Province of Newfoundland and Labrador, this 15th day of September,
2 2015.



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IN THE MATTER OF

the *Public Utilities Act*, RSNL 1990,
Chapter P-47 (the "Act"), as amended;

AND

IN THE MATTER OF

an Application by Newfoundland and Labrador Hydro,
for an Order approving: (1) The proposed
capital expenditure of \$1,249,300.00 to refurbish
gas turbine engine serial number 202224 located
at Hardwoods Gas Turbine Plant, pursuant to
s. 41(3) of the Act; and (2) that Hydro shall pay
all expenses of the Board.

**CONSUMER ADVOCATE
REQUESTS FOR INFORMATION
CA-NLH-01 to CA-NLH-07
Issued: September 15, 2015**

CA-NLH-01 What is the basis for stating that the fire event was caused by the failure of a
pressure relief line in the fuel system within the engine module (p. 6, line 4)?

CA-NLH-02 How old was the pressure relief line in the fuel system?

CA-NLH-03 When was the pressure relief line last inspected and/or tested? Please provide a
copy of the inspection/testing results and a copy of any report detailing follow up
work carried out as a result.

CA-NLH-04 What is the accepted utility standard in terms of frequency of inspections and
testing?

CA-NLH-05 When did Alba Power visit the site and assess the damage (p. 5, line 8-9)?

CA-NLH-06 Please provide Alba Power's report(s) to Hydro concerning its work in relation to
the engine.

CA-NLH-07 Have either of Hydro's gas turbine plants had similar pressure relief line failures?