

1 Q. Consumer Question: Has the cost of maintaining Holyrood as a backup been costed
2 in the Muskrat option?

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5 A. The Interconnected Island alternative includes the cost of maintaining Holyrood in
6 service through 2021, at which time the capability for thermal generation will cease
7 at Holyrood and the generators at Holyrood will operate as synchronous
8 condensers.

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10 Nalcor's analysis, filed as Exhibit 106, indicates that Holyrood is not required as a
11 backup in the Interconnected Island Alternative (Muskrat option).