

1 Q. **Re: B-68, Condition Assessment & Life Extension Phase 2 - \$1,215,700 in 2012**

2 Can the Phase 2 *Condition Assessment and Life Extension* report wait until  
3 Holyrood's future is certain so that the condition assessment can then focus on one  
4 option?

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7 A. No, the Phase 2 *Condition Assessment and Life Extension* report cannot wait until  
8 Holyrood's future is certain so that the condition assessment can then focus on one  
9 option. The work proposed under Phase 2 has a limited scope to deal with items  
10 Hydro believes need to be addressed at this time without consideration of the  
11 uncertainty regarding Holyrood's long-term operating future. It included only those  
12 items that need to be actioned considering the operating requirements of the plant  
13 projected to the year 2020 regardless of whether its longer term future remains as  
14 a thermal generating station or a synchronous condensing station.