Q. Re: Account P04: Please provide a detailed explanation of the retirement at ages
14.5, 16.5, and 26.5 years for Account P04 – Pole Cribs & Pole Hardware as set forth
on page IV-141 of Exhibit 1, including but not limited to a detailed description of
what retired along with corresponding dollars, the events that resulted in the need
for retirement at those ages, documents supporting the transaction, etc. Further,
fully justify why such events should be considered representative of future
expectations for the remaining plant.

A. Refer to CA-NLH-98 Attachment 1 for a detailed listing of the specific items that were retired at ages 14.5, 16.5 and 26.5 years. Detailed reasons for retirements are not maintained in Hydro's asset records, however they are generally for replacement of plant as a result of the normal course of activity, as evidenced by the number of retirements in these years. As such, these retirement transactions should be included in the retirement rate analysis as they represent retirement activity that can be expected to reoccur in the future.

Retirements at Ages 14.5, 16.5 and 26.5 Years for Account P04 - Pole Cribs and Pole Hardware

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New	Old			Install	Original Cost					
Account	Account	Trans Type	Trns Year	Year	Amount	Age	Asset Description	Description		
P04	45500	Retirement	1996	1981	(9,215)	14.5	Retire Distribution Assets from Western	Distribution Upgrading - Western		
P04	45500	Retirement	1996	1981	(21,900)	14.5	Retire Distribution Assets from Central	Distribution Upgrading - Central		
P04	45500	Retirement	1996	1981	(41,154)	14.5	Retire Distribution Assets from Central	Distribution Upgrading - Central		
P04	45500	Retirement	1996	1981	(272,213)	14.5	Adjust for Inventory Items from Northwestern	Distribution Upgrading - Northwest		
P04	45500	Retirement	1996	1981	(22,797)	14.5	Retire Distribution Assets from Northern	Distribution Upgrading - Northern		
P04	45500	Retirement	1996	1981	(107,165)	14.5	Adjust for Inventory Items Northern	Distribution Upgrading - Northern		
P04	45500	Retirement	1996	1981	(2,313)	14.5	Retire Pole Hardware from St. Anthony Substation	Distribution Upgrading - Northern		
P04	45500	Retirement	1996	1981	(12,143)	14.5	Retire Pole Hardware from St. Anthony Substation	Distribution Upgrading - Northern		
P04	45500	Retirement	1996	1981	(8,638)	14.5	Retire Pole Hardware from St. Anthony Substation	Distribution Upgrading - Northern		
P04	45500	Retirement	1996	1981	(13,472)	14.5	Retire Labour Costs on Transfers			
P04	45500	Retirement	1999	1984	(80,808)	14.5	Pole Hardware	Distribution Upgrading - Northern		
P04	45500	Retirement	2000	1985	(548)		Crib Foundations	Distribution Upgrading - Central		
P04	45500	Retirement	2000	1985	(10,095)		Pole Hardware	Distribution Upgrading - Central		
P04	45500	Retirement	2001	1986	(2,685)		Pole Hardware	Distribution Upgrading - Central		
P04	45500	Retirement	2001	1986	(3,233)		Pole Hardware	Distribution Upgrading - Central		
P04	45500	Retirement	2001	1986			Pole Hardware	Distribution Upgrading - Central		
P04	45500	Retirement	2001	1986	(823)		Crib Foundations	Distribution Upgrading - Central		
P04	45500	Retirement	2001	1986	(577)		Crib Foundations Crib Foundations	Distribution Opgrading - Central Distribution Upgrading - Northern		
P04	45500		2001	1994	(163)	14.5		, , ,		
P04	45500	Retirement	1998	1994				Distribution Upgrading - Labrador Interconnect, Labrador City, Wabush		
		Retirement			(18,176)		Retire Distribution Assets from Western	Distribution Upgrading - Western		
P04	45500	Retirement	1998	1981	(72,372)		Retire Distribution Assets from Central	Distribution Upgrading - Central		
P04	45500	Retirement	1998	1981	(235,819)		Retire Distribution Assets from Northwestern	Distribution Upgrading - Northwest		
P04	45500	Retirement	1998	1981	(31,966)	16.5		Distribution Upgrading - Northern		
P04	45500	Retirement	1998	1981	(50,156)		Retire Distribution Assets from Labrador City, Happy Valley and Wabush	Distribution Upgrading - Labrador		
P04	45500	Retirement	2001	1984	(7,252)		Pole Hardware	Distribution Upgrading - Central		
P04	45500	Retirement	2002	1985	(1,622)		Pole Hardware	Distribution Upgrading - Central		
P04	45500	Retirement	2003	1986	(1,319)		Pole Hardware	Distribution Upgrading - Central		
P04	45500	Retirement	2003	1986	(3,080)		Pole Hardware	Distribution Upgrading - Central		
P04	45500	Retirement	2003	1986	(8,899)		Pole Hardware	Distribution Upgrading - Central		
P04	45500	Retirement	2003	1986	(10,628)		Pole Hardware	Distribution Upgrading - Central		
P04	45500	Retirement	2003	1986	(15,994)	16.5	Pole Hardware	Distribution Upgrading - Central		
P04	45500	Retirement	2004	1987	(513)	16.5	Pole Hardware	Decommissioning of Davis Inlet		
P04	45500	Retirement	2008	1981	(13,877)	26.5	Pole Hardware	Distribution Upgrading - Central Interconnected		
P04	45500	Retirement	2008	1981	(8,248)	26.5	Pole Hardware	Distribution Upgrading - Central Interconnected		
P04	45500	Retirement	2008	1981	(11,806)	26.5	Pole Hardware	Distribution Upgrading - Central Interconnected		
P04	45500	Retirement	2008	1981	(32,248)	26.5	Pole Hardware	Distribution Upgrading - Central Interconnected		
P04	45500	Retirement	2008	1981	(6,240)	26.5	Pole Hardware	Distribution Upgrading - Central Interconnected		
P04	45500	Retirement	2008	1981	(6,499)	26.5	Pole Hardware	Distribution Upgrading - Central Interconnected		
P04	45500	Retirement	2008	1981	(4,323)	26.5	Pole Hardware	Distribution Upgrading - Central Interconnected		
P04	45500	Retirement	2008	1981	(9,394)	26.5	Pole Hardware	Distribution Upgrading - Central Interconnected		
P04	45500	Retirement	2008	1981	(10,963)	26.5	Pole Hardware	Distribution Upgrading - Central Interconnected		
P04	45500	Retirement	2008	1981	(430,554)	26.5	Pole Hardware	Distribution Upgrading - Central Interconnected		
P04	45500	Retirement	2008	1981	(9,591)	26.5	Pole Hardware	Distribution Upgrading - Central Diesel		
P04	45500	Retirement	2008	1981	(15,794)	26.5	Pole Hardware	Distribution Upgrading - Central Diesel		
P04	45500	Retirement	2008	1981	(7,873)	26.5	Pole Hardware	Distribution Upgrading - Labrador Interconnect, Labrador City, Wabush		
P04	45500	Retirement	2008	1981	(31,318)		Pole Hardware	Distribution Upgrading - Labrador East Diesel		
P04	45500	Retirement	2008	1981	(12,203)		Pole Hardware	Distribution Upgrading - Labrador East Diesel		
P04	45500	Retirement	2008	1981	(36,591)		Pole Hardware	Distribution Upgrading - Labrador East Diesel		
P04	45500	Retirement	2008	1981	(19,877)		Pole Hardware	Distribution Upgrading - Labrador East Diesel		
P04	45500	Retirement	2008	1981	(13,043)		Pole Hardware	Distribution Opgrading - Labrador East Diesel		
P04	45500	Retirement	2008	1981			Pole Hardware	Distribution Opgrading - Labrador East Diesel Distribution Upgrading - Labrador East Diesel		
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Account	Account	Trans Type	Trns Year	Year	Amount	Age		Asset Description	Description	
P04	45500	Retirement	2008	1981	(6,080)	26.5	Pole Hardware		Distribution Upgrading - Northern Isolated Diesel	-
P04	45500	Retirement	2008	1981	(4,850)	26.5	Pole Hardware		Distribution Upgrading - Northern Isolated Diesel	
P04	45500	Retirement	2008	1981	(4,318)	26.5	Pole Hardware		Distribution Upgrading - Northern Interconnected	
P04	45500	Retirement	2008	1981	(4,205)	26.5	Pole Hardware		Distribution Upgrading - Northern Interconnected	
P04	45500	Retirement	2008	1981	(37,634)	26.5	Pole Hardware		Distribution Upgrading - Northern Interconnected	
P04	45500	Retirement	2008	1981	(49,318)	26.5	Pole Hardware		Distribution Upgrading - Northern Interconnected	
P04	45500	Retirement	2008	1981	(48,823)	26.5	Pole Hardware		Distribution Upgrading - Northern Interconnected	
P04	45500	Retirement	2008	1981	(56,784)	26.5	Pole Hardware		Distribution Upgrading - Northern Interconnected	
P04	45500	Retirement	2008	1981	(70,138)	26.5	Pole Hardware		Distribution Upgrading - Northern Interconnected	
P04	45500	Retirement	2008	1981	(56,784)	26.5	Pole Hardware		Distribution Upgrading - Northern Interconnected	
P04	45500	Retirement	2008	1981	(43,624)	26.5	Pole Hardware		Distribution Upgrading - Northern Interconnected	
P04	45500	Retirement	2008	1981	(10,963)	26.5	Pole Hardware		Distribution Upgrading - Northern Interconnected	
P04	45500	Retirement	2008	1981	(31,124)	26.5	Pole Hardware		Distribution Upgrading - Northern Interconnected	
P04	45500	Retirement	2009	1982	(613)	26.5	Pole Hardware		Distribution Upgrading - Northern Interconnected	
P04	45500	Retirement	2009	1982	(4,533)	26.5	Pole Hardware		Distribution Upgrading - Northern Interconnected	