

1 Q. Specifically, when do commitments relating to the Nova Scotia block and the Supplemental
2 Block commence; i.e., with the commissioning of the third Muskrat Falls generator, the
3 commissioning of the LIL for bi-pole operation, or something else?

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6 A. The Nova Scotia Block includes Supplemental Energy. The Supplemental Energy is for the
7 delivery of energy in the daily off-peak hours between November and March during the first five
8 years of the delivery of Nova Scotia Block. The obligation to deliver the Nova Scotia Block is
9 subject to the completion of the commissioning of the full functioning Labrador-Island Link
10 (“LIL”) in bipole mode. Once the LIL commissioning is complete, the Nova Scotia Block obligation
11 commences upon the Muskrat Falls plant generating sufficient energy and capacity to service
12 both the electricity consumption of Hydro’s Newfoundland and Labrador based customers plus
13 transmission and distribution losses and the Nova Scotia Block, but not later than the
14 completion of the commissioning of three generating units at the Muskrat Falls plant.