

1 Q. **Reference: Volume II, 2022 Capital Projects over \$500,000, Replace Metering System, page 2,**
2 **lines 10-11.**

3 “The TS1 system that utilizes PLC communications is currently at its end-of life. Hydro’s
4 TS1 system consists of 10,845 energy meters and 580 meters that record energy and
5 demand.”

6 What was the original expected service life for these TS1 meters and what will be the average
7 service life at retirement following completion of the proposed project?

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10 A. Newfoundland and Labrador Hydro’s original expected service life for the TS1 meters was 15
11 years. Upon completion of the proposed project, the average service life of the retired TS1
12 meters is expected to be 13 years.