

1 Q. **Reference: Volume I, Section 2.1.1, footnote 5, Issue Topic: System Reliability and Customer**
2 **Operations**

3 Does Hydro believe that investments in the system may be required to maintain current levels
4 of reliability as a result of, or in relation to, climate change? If not, why not?

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7 A. Newfoundland and Labrador Hydro (“Hydro”) believes that it is reasonable to assume that
8 investments in the system may be required to maintain current levels of reliability as a result of,
9 or in relation to, climate change.

10 Please refer to Hydro’s response to PUB-NLH-125 of this proceeding, which outlines the work
11 Hydro is undertaking related to climate change risks.