

1 Q. **Reference: Volume I, Section 2.4.4, Issue Topic: System Reliability and Customer Operations**

2 Please clarify any differences between justified capital expenditures and those "...that are most
3 critical to system operations" and those "...that are absolutely and urgently required...".

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6 A. Please refer to Newfoundland and Labrador Hydro's response to NP-NLH-021 of this proceeding.