

1 Q. Has Hydro consulted the Automobile Dealers Association to determine how many electric cars  
2 will be available in the province in 2022, 2023, 2024, and beyond? Please provide a list year over  
3 year from 2022 to 2030 of the number of the electric cars which will be available for purchase in  
4 each of these years and the source of your information.

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7 A. *This Request for Information relates to the Electrification, Conservation and Demand*  
8 *Management Plan 2021–2025 (“2021 Plan”) developed in partnership by Newfoundland and*  
9 *Labrador Hydro (“Hydro”) and Newfoundland Power Inc. (“Newfoundland Power”) (collectively,*  
10 *the “Utilities”) and the related Technical Conference presented by the Utilities on February 1,*  
11 *2022. Accordingly, the response reflects collaboration between the Utilities.*

12 The Utilities consult with the Automobile Dealers Association of Newfoundland and Labrador  
13 (“ADANL”) regarding the impact of vehicle incentive programs, the most effective ways to  
14 administer incentive programs, and issues of vehicle supply and vehicle maintenance in the  
15 province.

16 The ADANL does not forecast the number of electric vehicles available in the province each year.  
17 Rather, the number of electric vehicles available for purchase in a given year is determined by  
18 individual vehicle dealerships in connection with vehicle manufacturers. As such, the requested  
19 information cannot be provided.