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Dear Madam/Sirs:

Re: Newfoundland Power Inc. - 2024 Capital Budget Application - Consumer Advocate Request for Filing Extension to File a Request for Oral Hearing - Response

In response to the Consumer Advocate's correspondence of today's date, providing reasons for the requested delay in the schedule for Newfoundland Power's 2024 Capital Budget Application, the Board will allow until Monday, October 23, 2023 for the filing of a request for an oral hearing.

In relation to the Consumer Advocate's suggestion that the scheduled timeframe for the filing of a request for an oral hearing was unreasonable, the Board notes that the same timeframe was provided in the original schedule which was accepted by the Consumer Advocate.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the Board's Legal Counsel, Jacqui Glynn, by email, jglynn@pub.nl.ca or telephone (709) 726-6781.

Sincerely,

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Board Secretary

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