Board Staff Supplemental Interrogatories

Haldimand County Hydro Inc.

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### 5.1 Staff 42s System Service/REG Plan

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Board staff would like further clarification of why SCADA is classified 100% renewable enabling improvement. Generally speaking, SCADA can control devices that are unrelated to REG facilities at stations as well as facilities related to the renewable generators. SCADA can also be linked to AMR data to assist in operating the system and this is not necessarily exclusively Renewable Energy Generator related. To classify the costs of SCADA as 100% REG implies that the SCADA will work only to control devices related to the renewable generator and not be used for other distribution purposes.

1. Are the four large DG projects identified in 5.1 Staff 21 REG?
2. Are the three electronic transfer trips dedicated to the DG projects or do they serve the system?
3. Please confirm that the SCADA will be dedicated to devices for the REG facilities in 2014 and thereafter.
4. If this cannot be confirmed, please propose an allocation between REG and non-REG investments. Please provide your rationale for the allocation.