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By E-mail and Courier

Ms. Lee Thomson-Lutz
Capital Manager
Nova Scotia Power Inc.
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Halifax, NS B3J 2W5

Dear Ms. Thomson-Lutz:

**NSPI Request for Approval of Unforeseen and Unbudgeted (U&U) Work Order - CI# 39623
– LIN 3A CW Pump Refurbishment – P-510**

The Board has reviewed Nova Scotia Power Inc.'s ("NSPI") letter dated July 30, 2010, requesting Board approval for the following confidential U&U Work Order:

CI# 39623	LIN 3A CW Pump Refurbishment	\$381,736
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The Board has considered NSPI's Request in this matter and the Board understands that the purpose of this project was to repair and refurbish the circulating water pump that had failed while in operation in March 2010 and that the work has been completed.

The Board is satisfied, based on the economic analysis provided, and the necessity of a speedy return to full service, that the decision to repair and refurbish the pump was prudent.

Accordingly, this will confirm that the Board has approved NSPI's request for the amount of \$381,736 with respect to this Work Order.

Yours very truly,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Roberta J. Clarke".

Roberta J. Clarke, Q.C.
Member

Enclosure

cc Eric Ferguson, Director Regulatory Affairs

by e-mail