

NOVA SCOTIA ENERGY BOARD

IN THE MATTER OF: The *PUBLIC UTILITIES ACT*

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IN THE MATTER OF: the NOVA SCOTIA POWER INCORPORATED 2025 Annual Report
respecting the Decarbonization Deferral Account

INFORMATION REQUESTS

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1 **Request IR-1:**

2 Reference: Figure 2 – Unrecovered DDA costs in 2029 assuming 2026 Securitization.

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- 4 1. Please provide an explanation for the expenses included for each unit/plant in the
- 5 “remaining NBV” column.
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- 7 2. Please provide an explanation for how NSP derived the forecast unrecovered
- 8 decommissioning costs of \$65.6 million.
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- 10 3. Figure 2 states it assumes a 2026 Securitization – would the unrecovered balance at
- 11 December 31, 2029 change if Securitization did not occur until 2027? If so, please provide
- 12 a revised version of Figure 2 assuming a 2027 securitization.
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- 14 4. Given securitization has not occurred yet, please discuss if it would be possible to include
- 15 these costs in the securitization approach and if so, why NSP appears not to have elected
- 16 to do that.
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19 **Request IR-2:**

20 Reference: Figure 3 – Unrecovered DDA costs in 2029 assuming 2026 Securitization.

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- 22 1. Please provide the calculation of the financing costs, including the assumed interest rates.
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