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Date: 4/2/2012 10:44:41 AM From: "Burrage, Don" To: "Bown, Charles W." Subject: Re: Work Scope

The Minister did indicate (and brian agreed) that we have "moved on" from the least cost option question, so item 1 may not be where gov is. Rather a due diligence on the DG 3 numbers.

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**From**: Bown, Charles W. **To**: Burrage, Don

Sent: Mon Apr 02 10:40:52 2012 Subject: Fw: Work Scope

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From: Bown, Charles W.

To: Gilbert Bennett <gbennett@nlh.nl.ca> Sent: Mon Apr 02 10:36:00 2012

Subject: Work Scope

GB

I've provided a draft Work Scope below. We can discuss to refine parameters and dates. I'd appreciate hearing from you at your earliest convenience.

#### Charles

### Scope of Work

- 1. The Consultant will review and report to the Client, in respect of the "Projects" and the "Isolated Island Option" being whether the Projects represent the least cost option for the supply of power to Island Interconnected Customers over the period of 2011- 2067, as compared to the Isolated Island Option.
- 2. In completing this work, the Consultant shall consider and evaluate factors it considers relevant including NLH's and Nalcor's forecasts and assumptions for the Island load, system planning assumptions, and the process for developing and comparing the estimated costs for the supply of power to Island Interconnected Customers;
- 3. The Consultant will use all information developed by and available to Nalcor Energy relating to Decision Gate 3 as of 31 May 2012, by which date all Decision Gate 3 information is anticipated to be complete.
- 4. The Consultant will engage openly with the Proponent to access any and all information required to complete the work.
- 5. The Report will be delivered on 15 June 2012.
- 6. The Consultant will also provide such additional advice and other services as may be required from time to time by the Client.

From: Paul Wilson [mailto:plwilson@mhi.ca]
Sent: Sunday, April 01, 2012 6:08 PM

To: Bown, Charles W. Subject: Re: Muskrat Falls

Hello Charles, I can call you tomorrow once I return to the office.

Regards, Paul Wilson

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From: Bown, Charles W. [mailto:cbown@gov.nl.ca]

Sent: Sunday, April 01, 2012 10:50 AM

To: Paul Wilson Subject: Muskrat Falls Paul;

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I am interested in a conversation with you to discuss next steps on Muskrat Falls. Are you available today? You can reach me at:

709. 189 (m)

Charles

Charles W. Bown Associate Deputy Minister Department of Natural Resources Govt NL

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