Response to GT RFI #Q10.29

Question: In NAL1833354 (pg. 40 of pdf) it indicates that there was \$138.8 million increase to the DG3 base estimate for scope changes and transfers associated with the HVdc transmission line. Were these changes primarily a result of reliability changes in response to Dark NL? If not, where do the costs for the reliability increases manifest in the total package cost (the original executed contract(s), subsequent change orders, settlement agreements etc.)?

Response:

The \$138.8M noted in the referenced document is not the result of additional costs for TL reliability improvements.

Costs associated with changes to improve reliability were included within AFE Rev 1, Rev 2 and Rev 3, please refer to response to RFI Q6.5.

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