## **MANITOBA HYDRO**

#### 2012/13 & 2013/14 ELECTRIC GENERAL RATE APPLICATION

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## Manitoba Hydro Undertaking # 50

Manitoba Hydro to provide an explanation regarding the "Partners Capital" line item on the WPLP Balance Sheet.

## **Response:**

Partners Capital is the equity including retained earnings of WPLP represented by Manitoba Hydro's and NCN's contributions to capital during construction and operations, the net income and losses of WPLP, as well as distributions paid to partners. The attached table provides a continuity schedule for the WPLP Projected Partners Capital for the forecast period to 2031/32 for both IFF11-2 and IFF12.

For forecast purposes, the requirement for cash calls and declaration of dividends is assumed to be made at March 31<sup>st</sup> each fiscal year end. The cash collected or paid, as the case may be, is reflected in the subsequent fiscal year as Other Investing Activities on the projected cash flow statement.

# CONTINUITY SCHEDULE FOR WPLP PROJECTED PARTNERS CAPITAL ACCOUNT (\$Millions)

| <u>IFF11-2:</u>                     | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 | 2015 | 2016 | 2017 | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 | 2021            | 2022 |
|-------------------------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-----------------|------|
| Partners Capital, Opening Balance   | 274  | 314  | 287  | 235  | 191  | 190  | 185  | 180  | 185  | 199             | 216  |
| Construction Capital Contributions  | 42   | 16   | 1    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0               | 0    |
| Net Income / (Loss)                 | (3)  | (42) | (54) | (44) | (25) | (15) | (5)  | 5    | 14   | 17              | 27   |
| Partners Cash Calls                 | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 23   | 10   | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0               | 44   |
| Distributions Declared              | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0               | 0    |
| Partners Capital, Closing Balance   | 314  | 287  | 235  | 191  | 190  | 185  | 180  | 185  | 199  | 216             | 287  |
| Debt Ratio                          | 75%  | 78%  | 82%  | 85%  | 85%  | 85%  | 85%  | 84%  | 83%  | 81%             | 75%  |
|                                     |      | 2023 | 2024 | 2025 | 2026 | 2027 | 2028 | 2029 | 2030 | 2031            | 2032 |
|                                     | _    |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |                 |      |
| Partners Capital, Opening Balance   |      | 287  | 254  | 256  | 246  | 243  | 235  | 228  | 221  | 214             | 208  |
| Construction Capital Contributions  |      | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0               | 0    |
| Net Income / (Loss)                 |      | 36   | 40   | 46   | 43   | 47   | 53   | 58   | 64   | 69              | 74   |
| Partners Cash Calls                 |      | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0               | 0    |
| Distributions Declared              |      | (70) | (38) | (56) | (46) | (54) | (61) | (65) | (71) | (76)            | (81) |
| Partners Capital, Closing Balance   |      | 254  | 256  | 246  | 243  | 235  | 228  | 221  | 214  | 208             | 201  |
| Debt Ratio                          |      | 75%  | 75%  | 75%  | 75%  | 75%  | 75%  | 75%  | 75%  | 75%             | 75%  |
| <u>IFF12:</u>                       | _    | 2013 | 2014 | 2015 | 2016 | 2017 | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 | 2021            | 2022 |
| Partners Capital, Opening Balance   |      | 315  | 301  | 227  | 208  | 203  | 198  | 194  | 188  | 183             | 180  |
| Construction Capital Contributions  |      | 29   | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0               | 0    |
| Net Income / (Loss)                 |      | (43) | (74) | (65) | (47) | (38) | (31) | (19) | (9)  | (12)            | (3)  |
| Partners Cash Calls                 |      | 0    | 0    | 46   | 43   | 33   | 27   | 13   | 3    | 9               | 0    |
| Distributions Declared              |      | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0               | Ö    |
| Partners Capital, Closing Balance   | _    | 301  | 227  | 208  | 203  | 198  | 194  | 188  | 183  | 180             | 177  |
| Debt Ratio                          | _    | 78%  | 83%  | 85%  | 85%  | 85%  | 85%  | 85%  | 85%  | 85%             | 85%  |
|                                     | _    | 2023 | 2024 | 2025 | 2026 | 2027 | 2028 | 2029 | 2030 | 2031            | 2032 |
| Partners Capital, Opening Balance   |      | 177  | 322  | 261  | 270  | 262  | 255  | 248  | 240  | 232             | 224  |
| Construction Capital Contributions  |      | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0               | 0    |
| Net Income / (Loss)                 |      | 2    | 16   | 24   | 14   | 19   | 26   | 32   | 41   | 48              | 54   |
| Partners Cash Calls                 |      | 143  | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0               | 0    |
| Distributions Declared              |      | 0    | (77) | (14) | (22) | (26) | (33) | (39) | (50) | (56)            | (62) |
| Partners Capital, Closing Balance   | -    | 322  | 261  | 270  | 262  | 255  | 248  | 240  | 232  | 224             | 217  |
| r artifers Capital, Closing Dalance | _    | 322  | 201  | 210  | 202  | 200  | 240  | 240  | 202  | 22 <del>4</del> | 211  |
| Debt Ratio                          |      | 75%  | 75%  | 75%  | 75%  | 75%  | 75%  | 75%  | 75%  | 75%             | 75%  |