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PREAMBLE:

4 Elenchus states at iii: "Forecasting over a 20-year time horizon has many associated risks."

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QUESTION:

Please state and provide the source material that describes how Manitoba Hydro escalated or increased its load forecasts from the end of the 20-year period to the end of the 35-year detailed economic evaluation period, and then how Manitoba Hydro escalated or changed its load forecasts from the end of the 35-year detailed period to the end of the 78 year financial evaluation study period.

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RESPONSE:

13 Elenchus does not possess any source material beyond review of the 2013 load forecast and can provide

14 no further detail in response to this question.



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1 **REFERENCE:** 2 3 PREAMBLE: 4 5 **QUESTION:** 6 Does Elenchus deem an economic analysis that is based upon a 78 year planning period to be 7 reasonable? Why or why not? 8 9 **RESPONSE:** Elenchus would suggest that with respect to the load forecast report that this question is out of scope of 10