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Ottawa-Vanier 2020 Provincial By-Election Questionnaire

Question: According to Ontario's Independent Electricity System Operator, Ontario's electricity-related greenhouse gas emissions will rise by more than 300% by 2025, and by more than 400% by 2040 due to increased reliance on gas-fired power plants. Do you believe that Ontario should sign a long-term contract with Hydro Quebec for water power to reduce our greenhouse gas emissions and to lower our electricity bills?

Answer: Yes _____ No _____ Undecided _____

Additional Comments:

New Democrats recognize that we are in the midst of a global climate emergency. We believe that more must be done to achieve net-zero GHG emissions from the electricity sector while ensuring electricity prices are affordable for everyday families. There is evidence that with moderate investments in the inter-provincial transmission system, Ontarians could benefit from signing contracts with Quebec for clean hydro-electricity. The Ontario NDP urges the IESO and the OEB to properly assess the costs, benefits and risks – including the impact on GHG emissions and costs for Ontario ratepayers – of signing a deal with Quebec as an alternative to new gas-fired generation.

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