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Re: Exhibit 12 – MECL's Construction WIP Deferral Account – Docket UE20742

Dear Ms, Bradley,

Energy Democracy Now! Co-operative Limited objects to Maritime Electric Company, Limited ("MECL") request for a Construction WIP Deferral Account for the following reasons:

- By using a WIP deferral account request, MECL appears to be framing the request as a technical accounting approval, not a full-blown project approval;
- Approaching 'the On-Island Capacity for Security of Supply Project' in this way can have the potential of reducing the necessary public scrutiny of the request;
- MECL is essentially asking for permission to start putting money down on the two engines immediately, and in doing so may be trying to avoid a full public hearing at least at this stage and as a means to "lock-in" this project;
- The amended project's scale and its financial and environmental implications necessitate a thorough examination in a public hearing before any financial downpayment is considered regarding the two Texan combustible 'jet engines'.

Respectfully submitted

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