

**THE HONOURABLE PAULIE CHINNA  
MINISTER RESPONSIBLE FOR THE PUBLIC UTILITIES BOARD**

**Practice of Using Power-Limiting Devices in the NWT**

Mr. Speaker, I have a Return to Written Question asked by the Member for Nunakput on March 4, 2021 regarding the practice of using power-limiting devices in the NWT.

The data for the Northwest Territories Power Corporation was compiled at 12 noon on March 5. The numbers fluctuate on a regular basis due to the timing of Northwest Territories Power Corporation's billing cycles.

The Northwest Territories Power Corporation had 72 residential load limiters in place. There had been a total of 336 load limiter instances since collection activities resumed on November 9, 2020. These instances could be multiple occurrences on a single location and does not represent 336 unique customers.

For the Northland Utilities Ltd. Limiters, a breakdown of the number of load limiters per community for both Northland Utility companies as of the week of March 15, 2021, is as follows:

Northland Utilities Ltd. (Yellowknife):

- Yellowknife – 2 load limiters

Northland Utilities (NWT):

- Hay River – 4 load limiters
- Hay River Reserve – 2 load limiters
- Enterprise – 1 load limiter
- Fort Providence – 1 load limiter
- Trout Lake – 4 load limiters

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.