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BEL Works to Restore Power to Portions of the Belize River Valley

At 5:11 p.m., yesterday power supply was lost to those areas from Hattieville, through the Burrell Boom Road to Lemonal Village.

At 9:52 p.m. power supply was fully restored to those areas between Hattieville and Buttercup. The remaining areas remain without power; however, work crews have indicated that power should be restored to Burrell Boom by 11:00 a.m. today and the remaining areas thereafter by 5:00 p.m.

Investigations have confirmed that the cause of the outage is a broken pole and damaged switch in the Buttercup area. Works crews have also reported that inclement weather has caused delays in restoring power.

BEL regrets any inconvenience caused by this outage. For more information call 0-800-BEL-CARE or 0-800-235-2273.

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