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## **Section 2.4 Employment**

- 30. As of <del>December 2023</del> October 2025, Cooke / KCS employs 430 323 people in Nova Scotia which results in
  - (a) \$21.5 \$17.7 million in employment income;
  - (b) \$12.3 \$10.4 million in taxation; and
  - (c) \$22.8 \$19.4 million in consumer spending.
- 31. KCS has 12 fulltime equivalent positions in Liverpool to operate the Coffin Island farm.
- 32. If the Application is granted had proceeded for all three sites, KCS will would require 20 additional full-time employees in Liverpool, resulting in Cooke / KCS employing 450 343 people in Nova Scotia.