



October 29, 2009

Dear Market Participants and Interested Parties:

Re: Final Proposed Level II New Interpretation Section for Alberta Reliability Standards (“Reliability Standards”).

Please find attached the above-captioned New Interpretation Section for Reliability Standards being recommended for approval by the AESO’s internal approval process in November, 2009. After internal AESO approval, the AESO intends to submit the New Interpretation Section for Reliability Standards to the Alberta Utilities Commission (“Commission”) pursuant to Section 19 of the *Transmission Regulation*.

Please note that these Reliability Standards are applicable to market participants and the AESO.

The following grid is hyperlinked to provide assistance in directing you to the summary of the Reliability Standards and related attachments. The attached summary provides more information on the proposed new Interpretation Section, including a brief explanation of the reason why it is needed.

Reliability Standard Number	Description	Most relevant stakeholder interest
	Interpretation Section	AESO, market participants

The New Interpretation Section of the Reliability Standards was initially distributed for consultation on October 1, 2009. Click [here](#) to access the comment-response matrix for the Reliability Standards. Please be advised that the proposed New Interpretation Section of the Reliability Standards has not been amended after considering comments received from market participants.

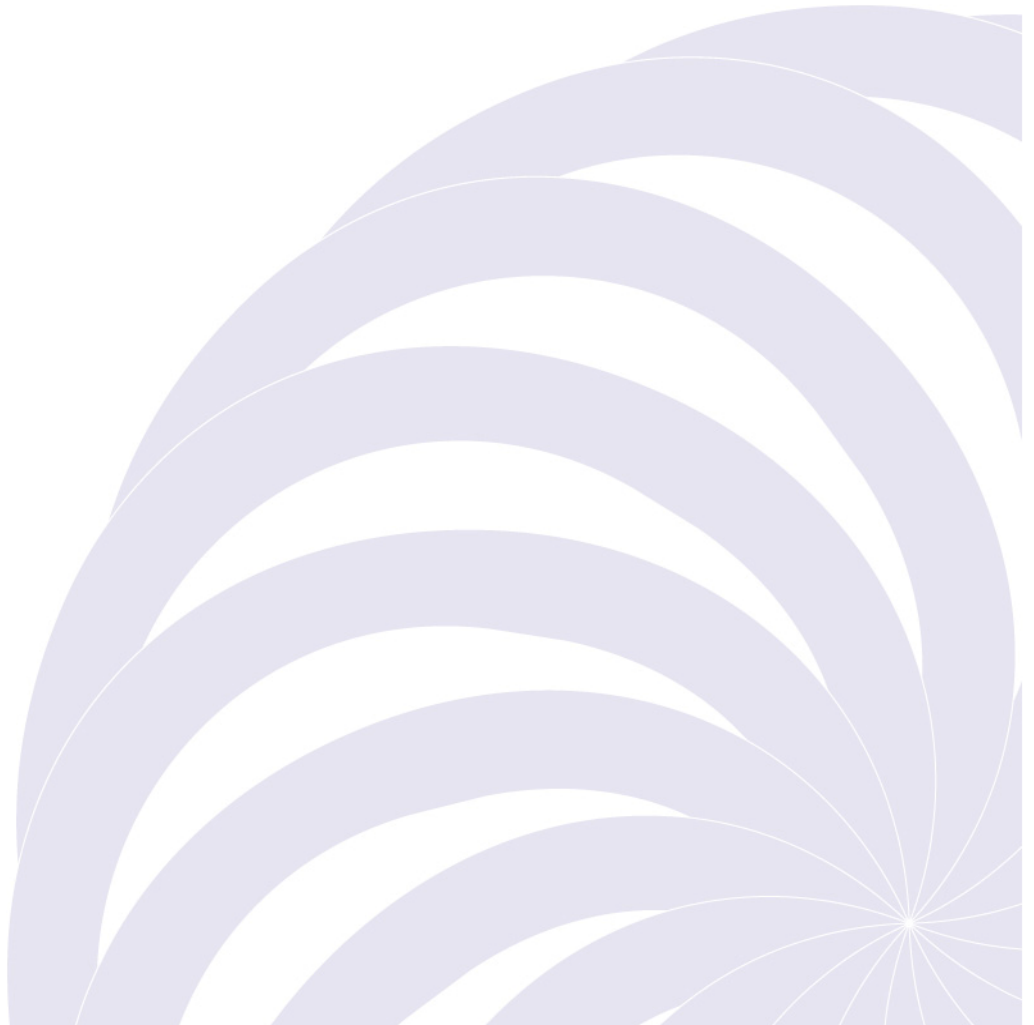


The AESO is expecting to submit the New Interpretation Section for Reliability Standards to the Commission on November 16, 2009.

Yours sincerely,

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Final Proposed LEVEL II Changes

Level II changes are changes that are expected to have a moderate or low impact on the industry or the ISO, and generally require little or no effort by stakeholders for implementing a solution. They are provided to stakeholders to review to ensure that the expected impact is reasonable, to identify unrealized impacts and/or to provide notice of the potential change in administrative processes.

Alberta Reliability Standards - Interpretation Section	
Number/Name	Interpretation Section
Summary of Alberta Reliability Standard	The AESO is proposing to create an Interpretation Section for the Reliability Standards. This Interpretation Section will have language common to the Interpretation Sections used in the ISO rules and ISO Tariff.
Summary of Amendment	The Interpretation Section sets out the general interpretation for Reliability Standards.
Level	II
Explanation of Confidentiality	None
Proposed Effective Date	The Interpretation Section is proposed to become effective ten calendar days following approval by the Commission.
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Attachments	See attached: Final Proposed Rationale for new Interpretation Section for Reliability Standards