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Attention: Jay Halls, Application Officer

Dear Jay:

**Re: Technical Meeting for AESO 2009 Deferral Account Reconciliation Application  
Application No. 1606095 and Proceeding ID 589**

The AESO filed its 2009 Deferral Account Reconciliation Application (Application No. 1606095) with the Alberta Utilities Commission (“Commission”) on April 15, 2010. In the accompanying cover letter, the AESO recommended holding a technical meeting on the application, pursuant to section 33 of Commission Rule 001 on Rules of Practice. The AESO is now requesting approval to proceed with that meeting.

The AESO proposes the technical meeting be scheduled as follows:

Time:	9:30 AM to 12:00 Noon
Date:	Wednesday, May 12, 2010
Location:	Meeting Room 2539, AESO Office, 330 – 5th Avenue SW, Calgary

As noted in the cover letter to the application, technical meetings were held on the AESO's previous 2008 and 2004-2007 deferral account reconciliation applications. The AESO considers that the meetings provided a valuable opportunity for participants to more fully understand the information included in the application. The AESO suggests the technical meeting on the 2009 Deferral Account Reconciliation Application address the following topics:

- brief review of the contents of the application,
- determination of annual deferral account balances,
- explanation of customer allocation methodology, and
- review of reports included as appendices to the application.

Although the meeting would be intended primarily for participants registered in the AESO's 2009 Deferral Account Reconciliation Application proceeding, the AESO considers that other interested

parties may attend. The AESO expects that much of the material presented at the meeting will be similar to that presented at the deferral account reconciliation consultation meeting held on March 5, 2010, although final amounts as filed in the application will be discussed.

Customers of the AESO should also have received by email information on the customer numbers assigned to their accounts in the appendices to the 2009 Deferral Account Reconciliation Application, as well as information on how to request additional deferral account reconciliation and allocation data by transmission settlement point. As that data represents confidential customer information, the AESO does not propose to discuss such information at the technical meeting.

If you have any questions on the technical meeting, please contact me at 403-539-2465 or by email to [john.martin@aeso.ca](mailto:john.martin@aeso.ca).

Yours truly,

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