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Attention: Wayne MacKenzie, Application Officer

Dear Wayne:

Re: Revised Responses to BC Hydro Information Requests and Revised Rate PSC in AESO 2010 ISO Tariff Application, Application No. 1605961 and Proceeding ID 530

The Alberta Electric System Operator (“AESO”) recently submitted the remaining responses to information requests from BC Hydro (“BCH”) and Dual Use Customers (“DUC”) in the above-noted proceeding.

BC Hydro subsequently contacted the AESO with respect to those responses, and the AESO has concluded that certain responses require revision. The AESO has accordingly submitted revised responses to BCH.AEOS-009, -012 (c), -013 (c), and -018, including revised attachments where appropriate, via the Commission’s electronic proceeding system.

The revisions include:

BCH.AEOS-009 Inclusion of forecast data for the Rainbow Area that had inadvertently been omitted from the original response;

BCH.AEOS-012 (c) Provision of peak demands for Rainbow Area (planning areas 17 and 18) rather than Rainbow Lake (planning area 17 only); and

BCH.AEOS-013 (c) Excluding of Fort Nelson load from the Alberta forecast load used in the calculations in the cases and scenarios requested by BC Hydro.

As well, during the process of responding to the information requests from Dual Use Customers, the AESO noticed two errors in Primary Service Credit Rate PSC as included in the revised version of the proposed ISO tariff submitted as section 7 of the AESO’s application on May 5, 2010. A revised version of Rate PSC has been submitted via the Commission’s electronic application system which corrects:
• the applicability provisions in subsection 1(1), and  
• the credit level in the “all remaining MW” tier in subsection 2(2)(e) to 100% (rather than 79%)  
of the corresponding Rate DTS tier amount.

This letter has been submitted in both the Commission’s electronic proceeding system and its  
electronic application system for the convenience of participants.

If you need any additional information related to these submissions, please contact me at  
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Yours truly,

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