November 15, 2013

Salma Karim
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Dear Salma:

Re:  Reply Argument in AESO 2012 Deferral Account Reconciliation Proceeding
Application No. 1609885, Proceeding ID No. 2809

The Independent System Operator, operating as the Alberta Electric System Operator (AESO), provides the following reply argument in the above-noted proceeding, in accordance with the schedule set out in the October 22, 2013 letter of the Alberta Utilities Commission (Commission).

The AESO submitted argument on its 2012 Deferral Account Reconciliation Application (Application) on November 5, 2013. No other party has submitted evidence or argument in this proceeding.

As the AESO stated in its argument (section 6, page 11, paragraph 52), “no substantive matter has been raised in information requests that requires correction or revision to the proposals included in the AESO’s 2012 Deferral Account Reconciliation Application.”

The AESO therefore reiterates that the Application should be approved as filed and that the relief requested in section 1.4 (pages 10-11, paragraph 42) of the Application should be granted in full.

If you require any additional information on this matter, please contact me at 403-539-2465 in Calgary or at john.martin@aeso.ca.

Yours truly,

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