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**To: Market Participants**

Subject: Dispatch Tool Architectural Upgrade

As announced in the Participant News on March 4th, 2009, [http://www.aeso.ca/downloads/Participant\\_Notice\\_\(6\).pdf](http://www.aeso.ca/downloads/Participant_Notice_(6).pdf) the AESO is upgrading the Dispatch Tool (DT) and the Automated Dispatch and Messaging System (ADaMS) to improve the reliability, stability and sustainability of these systems. Implementation of the new tools was targeted for Q2, 2009.

After much deliberation, the AESO has recently decided to defer this release. This decision was necessary to allow for appropriate prioritization of other AESO critical initiatives.

Additional information on the timing of the release and implications to market participants will be provided as the upgrade project progresses. If you have any immediate questions or concerns, please send an email to [info@aeso.ca](mailto:info@aeso.ca).

Sincerely,

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