



October 14, 2010

Dear Market Participants and Other Interested Parties:

Re: **Transmission Changes Associated with the Keephills 3 Generator Interconnection Project and the Edmonton Region 240 kV Line Upgrades Project (the “Projects”)**

In keeping with the AESO's continuing commitment to provide information to all market participants in an open, fair and timely manner, [updated single line diagrams](#) (SLDs) for the integrated construction plan for the projects have been posted to our website.

As referenced in a May 13, 2010 letter, the AESO's intention is to provide an overview of the integrated construction plan for the projects to help market participants understand the context of the related transmission line and generator curtailments noted on the AESO website.

Stakeholders are advised that information on the projects is subject to change and they can keep apprised of the status of the projects by checking the [project update page](#), as well as the AESO's two outages reports: [Long Term Critical Outages](#) and [Approved Outages](#) which can be found on the AESO website under “Grid Operations > Outages.”

The SLDs provide quarterly information for the transmission line changes up to October 15, 2011. The construction plan has been adjusted to minimize the impact to stakeholders while maintaining a safe and reliable system. This has resulted in the forecast completion date for the project changing from the previous date of October 2011 to a revised completion date of March 2012.

As mentioned in a letter dated December 17, 2009, prior to the completion of the changes associated with the integrated construction plan, the area may experience transmission constraints and possible generation curtailment of Keephills, Genesee, and Sundance units due to line outages that will be occurring during the construction period. The AESO is continuing to work closely with the Transmission Facility Owners for the projects. For further information please contact Ron Strem at ph: 403-539-2472.

Yours truly,

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