

January 3, 2012

Dear Market Participants and Interested Parties:

**Re: Notice of ISO Rule Effective Date and Approval of Reliability Standards Definitions:**

**New ISO Rules Framework:**

- a) **Division 201 General, Section 201.2 *Appointment of Agent*.**

**Existing ISO Rules Framework:**

- a) **Removal of existing ISO rules Section 1.8 *Appointment of an Agent*;**
- b) **Removal of existing ISO OPP 313 *Unscheduled Flow Reduction*; and**
- c) **Removal of existing ISO rules Appendix 4 *Communications with ISO*.**

**Alberta Reliability Standards:**

- a) **Reliability Standards Definition Changes.**

Further to the Notices of Filing of ISO Rules posted by the Alberta Utilities Commission (“Commission”) on November 4, 2011 and December 2, 2011 and Decision 2011-513 posted by the Commission on December 21, 2011, please see the following table for a summary of the filing date and effective date of these ISO rules and reliability standards definition changes.

Previously Existing ISO Rules	ISO Rule Change	Commission Application No.	Date Filed with Commission	Commission Notice of Filing Date	Effective Date
ISO OPP 313 – <i>Unscheduled Flow Reduction</i>		1607843	October 31, 2011	November 4, 2011	December 31, 2011
ISO Rules Section – 1.8 <i>Appointment of an Agent</i>	ISO Rules Section 201.2 <i>Appointment of Agent</i>	1607932	November 28, 2011	December 2, 2011	December 31, 2011
Appendix 4 – <i>Communications with ISO</i>		1607929	November 28, 2011	December 2, 2011	December 31, 2011

Alberta Reliability Standards	Commission Application No.	Date Filed with Commission	Commission Decision	Effective Date
Reliability Standards Definition Changes	1607895	November 22, 2011	2011-513 – Issued December 21, 2011	December 31, 2011

[Click here](#) to view the Current ISO rules and OPP table of contents with links to all sections of the ISO rules. Alternatively, please visit the AESO website at [www.aeso.ca](http://www.aeso.ca) and follow the path Rules and Standards > ISO Rules > Current ISO Rules.

A current version of the above-referenced ISO Rules will be available for download from the AESO website on January 3, 2012.

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