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Dear Stakeholders:

Re: Interconnection Queue Business Practices

On September 26, 2007, the AESO published a discussion paper entitled “Interconnection Queue Business Practices” which outlined the proposed milestones that a project would be required to meet in order to maintain its queue position. The paper was followed by a stakeholder consultation session on October 19, 2007.

The AESO received generally positive feedback with regards to the practices, and therefore the final version is very similar to those proposed in the September 26, 2007 discussion paper. Attached is the finalized Interconnection Queue Business Practice which will take effect Friday, February 1, 2008. For existing projects, time required to complete a milestone starts at zero on February 1.

The main difference from the document released in the discussion paper noted above, is that failure to meet milestones that occur later in the process no longer results in a cancellation of an application, but rather a placement at the bottom of the queue.

The AESO would like to take the time to thank all of the Stakeholders who have been involved and provided input throughout the process of developing these practices.

If you have any questions, please contact Shaun Andrews at (403) 539-2477 or Jana Mosley at (403) 539-2713 or via e-mail at jana.mosley@aeso.ca.

Yours truly,

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