

November 4, 2021

To: Market Surveillance Administrator, market participants and other interested parties
("Stakeholders")

Re: **Letter of Notice for Feedback on the Mothball Outage Reporting Rule Amendment Options & Recommendations Paper ("Options & Recommendations Paper") for the Development of the Proposed Amended Section 306.7 of the ISO Rules, *Mothball Outage Reporting* ("Section 306.7")**

On June 21, 2021, the AESO issued a notice to Stakeholders regarding the next steps of the Section 306.7 consultation. These next steps included:

- 1) Developing a paper that summarizes the options for addressing the issues relating to transmission access, maximum duration, and subsequent mothball outage that have been identified by the AESO and discussed with Stakeholders; and
- 2) Posting the Options & Recommendations Paper for Stakeholder review and feedback.

Pursuant to these next steps, the AESO has developed the Options & Recommendations Paper, which includes details of the options identified, advantages and disadvantages of each of the options, and the AESO's recommended option. The AESO is now soliciting stakeholder feedback.

Stakeholders are encouraged to submit written comments following their review of the Options & Recommendations Paper, using the attached *Stakeholder Comment Matrix – Feedback for Mothball Outage Reporting Rule Amendment Options & Recommendations Paper*.

Stakeholders should also ensure that comments provided represent all interests within their organization. The scope of comments is limited to the issues discussed in the Options & Recommendations Paper. The AESO will not consider any comments that are outside of this scope.

The deadline for Stakeholders to provide comments is **November 25, 2021** to rules_comments@aeso.ca. Adherence to deadlines is essential to the integrity of the comment process, and as such, the AESO may choose not to consider any Stakeholder comments received after the deadline.

The AESO will post all Stakeholder comments received on the AESO website.

Related Materials

1. *Mothball Outage Reporting Rule Amendment Options & Recommendations Paper*
2. *Stakeholder Comment Matrix – Feedback for Mothball Outage Reporting Rule Amendment Options & Recommendations Paper*

Sincerely,

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