

July 10, 2018

To: Market Participants and Other Interested Parties

Re: Alberta Electric System Operator (“AESO”) Reply to Market Participant Comments – Amended Section 103.6 of the ISO Rules, *ISO Fees and Charges* (“Section 103.6”)

On March 8, 2018 the AESO issued a [Letter of Notice](#) regarding the proposed amended Section 103.6 and requested market participant comments on the same.

The AESO made amendments to the proposed amended Section 103.6 in response to market participant comments received, which are reflected in the attached blacklines.

AESO Replies to Market Participant Comments

On March 26, 2018 the AESO posted [written comments](#) received regarding the proposed amended Section 103.6. In accordance with Section 8 of Alberta Utilities Commission (“AUC” or “Commission”) Rule 017, the AESO is providing replies to market participant comments. The AESO’s replies to comments, including the rationale or basis for the position of the AESO that explains why certain positions were rejected or accepted, are set out in the attached Market Participant Comment and AESO Replies Matrix.

Filing of the Final Proposed Amended Section 103.6

The AESO expects to file the proposed amended Section 103.6 with the Commission on July 25, 2018.

In accordance with Section 20.4 of the *Electric Utilities Act* (“EUA”), market participants may object to an ISO rule filed with the Commission within ten (10) days of the publication of the Notice of Filing.

In accordance with Section 20.3 of the EUA, if no notice of objection is filed under Section 20.4, the proposed amended Section 103.6 is to become effective on September 3, 2018.

Attachments to AESO Reply Letter

The following documents are attached:

1. [Market Participant Comments and AESO Replies Matrix](#) on the proposed amended Section 103.6; and
2. [Blackline](#) and [Clean](#) copies of the proposed amended Section 103.6.

If you have any questions, please contact the undersigned.

Sincerely,

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Attachments