

May 14, 2019

To: Market participants and Other Interested Parties (“Stakeholders”)

Re: **Alberta Electric System Operator (“AESO”) Reply to Stakeholder Comments on the Re-Consultation of Proposed Amendments to Previously Approved PRC-005-AB-6 *Protection System, Automatic Reclosing and Sudden Pressure Relaying Maintenance* (“previously approved PRC-005-AB-6”), and rename as PRC-005-AB1-6 *Protection System, Automatic Reclosing and Sudden Pressure Relaying Maintenance* (“Amended PRC-005-AB1-6”)**

On March 28, 2019, the AESO issued a [Re-Consultation Letter](#) regarding proposed amended PRC-005-AB1-6 and requesting stakeholder comments on the same.

AESO Reply to Stakeholder Comments

On April 18, 2019, the AESO posted [written comments](#) received regarding proposed amended PRC-005-AB1-6. 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 *Stakeholder Comment and AESO Replies Matrix*.

Forwarding of the Final Proposed Amended PRC-005-AB1-6

Pursuant to Section 19 of the *Transmission Regulation*, the AESO expects to forward final proposed Amended PRC-005-AB1-6 to the Alberta Utilities Commission (“Commission”) on May 29, 2019, with the AESO’s recommendation that the Commission approve proposed Amended PRC-005-AB1-6 as a reliability standard.

Proposed amended PRC-005-AB1-6 is proposed to become effective as set out in the implementation plan, which is the same as the effective date in the previously approved PRC-005-AB-6.

Attachments to AESO Reply Letter

The following documents are attached:

1. [Stakeholder Comment and AESO Replies Matrix](#) on proposed amended PRC-005-AB1-6; and
2. [Blackline](#) and [clean](#) copies of proposed amended PRC-005-AB1-6.

If you have any questions, please contact the undersigned.

Sincerely,

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Attachments