

Stakeholder Comment Matrix – Sept. 24, 2020

Bulk and Regional Tariff Design Session 2



Period of Comment: Sept. 24, 2020 through Oct. 8, 2020 Comments From: Dow Chemical Canada ULC Date: 2020/10/08	Contact: Dwayne Aasberg Phone: 780-998-8192 Email: dmaasberg@dow.com
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Instructions:

1. Please fill out the section above as indicated.
2. Please respond to the questions below and provide your specific comments.
3. **Please submit one completed evaluation per organization.**
4. Email your completed comment matrix to tariffdesign@aeso.ca by **Oct. 8, 2020**.

The AESO is seeking comments from Stakeholders with regard to the following matters:

	Questions	Stakeholder Comments
1.	Please comment on Session 2 hosted on Sept. 24, 2020. Was the session valuable? Was there something the AESO could have done to make the session more helpful?	
2.	Are you supportive of the proposed engagement approach for the AESO’s Bulk and Regional Tariff Design? Why or why not? Please be as specific as possible.	One week from September 24 to October 2 is unreasonable to expect participants to prepare alternative rate design options. (AESO has been working on this for six months.)
3.	Do you support the AESO's perspective that 12-CP (status quo) is not a reasonable continued outcome of the Bulk and Regional Tariff Design? Please be as specific as possible.	Dow does not support <i>the AESO's perspective that 12-CP (status quo) is not a reasonable continued outcome of the Bulk and Regional Tariff Design.</i> The 12-CP based tariff serves as a reasonable proxy for Firm, Interruptible and Standby customer classes. The AESO has not acknowledged the needs and capabilities of these different types of customers.

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4.	<p>Are the AESO's bookends A and B reasonable starting points for the Bulk and Regional Tariff Design, considering future determination of modifications and mitigation? Why or why not? Please be as specific as possible.</p>	<p>AESO bookends A and B are not reasonable starting points for the Bulk and Regional Tariff Design.</p> <p>Bookends A and B are based on socialization of costs to large industrial companies whose unique needs of the transmission system, and use of the transmission system, are not being considered.</p>
5.	<p>Are their considerations or objectives relating to energy storage tariff treatment that you feel the AESO has missed? If yes, please describe and be as specific as possible.</p> <p>Do you have additional clarifying questions that need to be answered to support your understanding?</p>	
6.	<p>Additional comments</p>	

Thank you for your input. Please email your comments to: tariffdesign@aeso.ca.