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Applicability

- 1 Section 502.10 applies to:
 - (a) the legal owner of a revenue meter
 - (b) the ISO.

Requirements

Successor to Prior Requirements

- **2(1)** This section 502.10 succeeds and replaces the *Measurement System Standard*, which came into effect as of September 18, 2007.
- (2) The Measurement System Standard referred to in subsection 2(1), together with any other prior standards or drafts of standards on the subject matter, will no longer will be in force and effect as of the effective date of this section 502.10.

Functional Specification

- **3(1)** The **ISO** must approve of a functional specification containing further details, work requirements and specifications for the design, construction and operation of a **revenue meter** for a facility.
- (2) The functional specification referred to in subsection 3(1) must be generally consistent with the provisions of this Section 502.10, but may contain material variances the **ISO** approves of based upon its discrete analysis of any one (1) or more of the technical, economic, safety, operational and reliability requirements of the interconnected electric system related to the specific facility.

Measurement Point Definition Record

- 4(1) The legal owner of a revenue meter must, where such legal owner requires a new measurement point definition record or an amendment to an existing measurement point definition record, apply to the ISO no later than 30 days prior to the first day of the month in which the legal owner of the revenue meter proposes to energize the new or altered revenue metering system for the first time.
- (2) The **legal owner** of a **revenue meter** must submit to the **ISO** the information prescribed by the **ISO** when applying for a new or amended **measurement point definition record** in accordance within subsection 4(1).
- (3) The **ISO** must issue a **measurement point definition record** for a **measurement point** to the **legal owner** of the **revenue meter**, or to a **person** designated by the **legal owner** of the **revenue meter**, if the information submitted in accordance with subsection 4(2):
 - (a) is complete;
 - (b) allows for the proper measurement of **metered energy**, **metered demand** and metered **apparent power** in accordance with **ISO rules** and the **ISO tariff**, as applicable; and
 - (c) avoids a metering configuration that results in a deductive totalizing calculation for the **measurement point**.
- (3) The **legal owner** of a **revenue meter** must install and operate a **revenue meter** in accordance with **measurement point definition record** issued by the **ISO** in accordance with subsection 4(3).

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Revenue Meter

- **5(1)** The **legal owner** of a **revenue meter** must ensure that the **revenue meter** is approved, verified, sealed, re-verified and sealed, as applicable, in accordance with the *Electricity and Gas Inspections Act*, RSC 1985 c E-4, as amended.
- The **legal owner** of a **revenue meter** must ensure that the **revenue meter** has an accuracy class rating that is less than or equal to 0.2% for Watthour measurement if:
 - (a) the capacity of the **metering point** of the **revenue meter** is greater than or equal to 1.0 MVA; and
 - (b) the **revenue meter** is not the subject of a dispensation under the *Electricity and Gas Inspection Act*, RSC 1985 c E-4, as amended.
- (3) The **legal owner** of a **revenue meter** must ensure that the **revenue meter** has an accuracy class rating that is less than or equal to 0.5% for Varhour measurement if:
 - (a) the capacity of the **metering point** of the **revenue meter** is greater than or equal to 1.0 MVA; and
 - (b) the **revenue meter** is not the subject of a dispensation under the *Electricity and Gas Inspection Act*, RSC 1985 c E-4, as amended.

Measurement Transformer

- **6(1)** The **legal owner** of a **revenue meter** must ensure that the measurement transformer has an accuracy class rating less than or equal to 0.3% if:
 - (a) the capacity of the metering point of the revenue meter is greater than or equal to 1.0 MVA; and
 - (b) the **revenue meter** is not the subject of a dispensation under the *Electricity and Gas Inspection Act*, RSC 1985 c E-4, as amended.
- (2) The **legal owner** of a **revenue meter** must, unless the **ISO** approves otherwise, ensure that the measurement transformer:
 - (a) is located and connected without compensation methods;
 - (b) produces a real **metering point**; and
 - (c) has a dedicated current transformer core for measurement.

Metering Data Services

- **7(1)** The **legal owner** of a **revenue meter** must retain metering data from the **revenue metering system**, including a record of final estimates and adjustments and the method used to perform the estimates or adjustments, in the electronic format specified in the **Commission**'s *Rule 021: Settlement System Code Rules* for a period of at least 8 years.
- (2) The **legal owner** of a **revenue meter** must process metering data for each **measurement point** in accordance with the algorithm in the **measurement point definition record** issued in accordance with subsection 4(3).
- (3) The **legal owner** of a **revenue meter** must, within 30 days of energizing the **revenue meter** for the first time, validate the **metering equipment** and the metering data using reasonable methods and alternative data sources.

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Revenue Meter Testing and Reporting

- **8(1)** NOTE TO DRAFT: The AESO is continuing to assess the minimum requirements for in-situ testing for proposed new Section 502.10. At the upcoming December 11, 2019 Stakeholder consultation session, the AESO will be seeking specific input from stakeholders on:
 - the methodology for determining MW class;
 - the in-situ test frequency for each MW class; and
 - the requirements and process for test frequency change when the MW class is changed for a meter.

Prior to the Stakeholder consultation meeting, stakeholders are encouraged to review section 6.4.3 and Appendix 5 of the *Measurement System Standard*, and the June 29, 2017 Working Group Meeting Notes.

- (2) The **legal owner** of a **revenue meter** must provide the results of the in-situ test performed in subsection 8(1) to **ISO** if the test resulted in an error measurement of +/- 3%.
- (3) The legal owner of a revenue meter must, at the request of the ISO:
 - (a) undertake and complete in-situ tests for the **metering equipment** within a mutually agreed time frame; and
 - (b) report the results to the **ISO** within 30 days of receiving the **ISO**'s request.

Measurement Data Corrections

- **9(1)** The **legal owner** of a **revenue meter** must, if the **legal owner** discovers an error in measurement data that has been submitted to the **ISO** for financial settlement, notify the **ISO** of the error as soon as practicable in the form the **ISO** specifies.
- (2) The **legal owner** of a **revenue meter** must include the following information in the notice referred to in subsection 9(1):
 - (a) the reason for the error; and
 - (b) the correct measurement data.
- (3) The **ISO** must review the information submitted in the notice referred to in subsection 9(1) and confirm whether the previously submitted measurement data is erroneous.
- (4) The **legal owner** of a **revenue meter** must submit the correct measurement data to the **ISO** as soon as practicable if the **ISO**'s review in subsection 9(3) confirms that the previously submitted measurement data was erroneous.

Restoration

- **10(1)** The **legal owner** of a **revenue meter** must, upon becoming aware of a failure of the **revenue metering system** that may result in a restatement of measurement data that has been submitted to the **ISO**, notify the **ISO** in writing of the failure.
- (2) The **legal owner** of a **revenue meter** must, within 30 **days** of providing the notification under subsection 10(1):
 - (a) investigate and determine the nature and extent of the failure;

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- (b) provide the ISO with written notification detailing the nature and extent of the failure; and
- (c) submit to the **ISO** a plan to restore the **revenue metering system**.
- (3) The ISO must:
 - (a) approve the restoration plan submitted in accordance with subsection 10(2)(c) if the **ISO** is satisfied that the restoration plan will resolve the failure within a reasonable amount of time; or
 - (b) direct the **legal owner** of the **revenue meter** to amend the restoration plan in a manner that will resolve the failure within a reasonable amount of time.
- (4) The **legal owner** of a **revenue meter** must amend the restoration plan in accordance with the **ISO**'s direction provided in subsection 10(3)(b).
- (5) The **legal owner** of a **revenue meter** must restore the **revenue metering system** in accordance with:
 - (a) the restoration plan approved by the **ISO** pursuant to subsection 10(3)(a); or
 - (b) the restoration plan amended in accordance with subsection 10(4).

Revision History

Date	Description
	Initial release