

ISO Rules

Part 500 Facilities

Division 507 Industrial System Designations

Section 507.1 Open Access Requirements for Proposed Interties



Applicability

1 Section 507.1 applies to:

(a) a **person** proposing an **intertie** be:

(i) constructed; or

(ii) upgraded or enhanced in a manner that would result in an increase to the path rating of the **intertie**.

Requirements

Open and Non-Discriminatory Manner

2(1) A **person** proposing an **intertie** must provide open access to **market participants** and provide that the **intertie** be available in an open and non-discriminatory manner, similar to the access available to other **transmission facilities**.

(2) A **person** proposing an **intertie** must, as part of the open and non-discriminatory manner required in subsection 2(1):

(a) provide public notice which must, at a minimum:

(i) indicate the **person's** intention to provide access to the **intertie** by way of an open and non-discriminatory process; and

(ii) be inserted in major newspapers in Alberta and in jurisdictions outside Alberta in which the **intertie** is planned to be located, in the section of each such newspaper where such a notice would reasonably be expected to appear;

(b) include conducting public information sessions in Alberta and in jurisdictions outside Alberta in which the **intertie** is planned to be located; and

(c) make its terms and conditions of access publicly available.

Sale of Intertie Capacity

3(1) A **person** proposing an **intertie** may only sell, or otherwise make available, **intertie** capacity in accordance with an open and non-discriminatory process, including **intertie** capacity that was not sold in the initial process.

(2) The **person** proposing an **intertie** must make publicly available:

(a) the names of **persons** who have acquired **intertie** capacity; and

(b) ~~the~~ the amount of **intertie** capacity each has acquired; and

must do so within ~~one (1)~~ month of such acquisition.

Affiliates

4 If an **affiliate** of a **person** proposing an **intertie** participates in the open and non-discriminatory process identified in subsection 3, the **person** proposing an **intertie** must:

(a) make public that participation;

(b) confirm that the **affiliate** was not provided any advantage in such process over other

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interested parties; and
must do so within ~~one~~(1) month of such participation.

Terms and Conditions

5 A **person** proposing an **intertie** must include in the terms and conditions it files pursuant to subsection 27(5)(a) of ~~the~~ *Transmission Regulation*, provisions to prevent capacity withholding and other anti-competitive behavior.

Records

6 A **person** proposing an **intertie** must maintain its books and records at least to the extent reasonably necessary to verify compliance with this ~~section~~Section 507.1 and must make those records available to the **ISO** upon reasonable prior notice.

Revision History

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