

# ARS Stakeholder Information Session June 15, 2020

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### Agenda

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Time	Agenda Item
9:00 - 9:10	Housekeeping – Ping-Kwan Keung
9:10 – 9:25	Stakeholder Engagement Framework – Marie-France Samaroden
9:25 – 9:35	Update on engagement opportunities for ARS drafting and consultation – Ping-Kwan Keung
9:35 – 9:45	Update on engagement opportunities with external Compliance Monitoring – Ping-Kwan Keung
9:45 – 10:30	Review ARS Program Work Plan for June 2020 – Ken Gardner
10:30 – 11:00	Q & A Discussion of USA executive order on 'Securing the United States Bulk-Power System'

### **AESO Stakeholder Engagement Framework**



#### OUR ENGAGEMENT PRINCIPLES

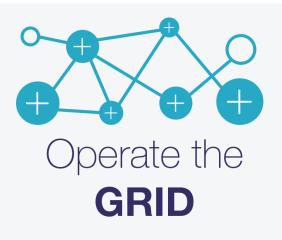
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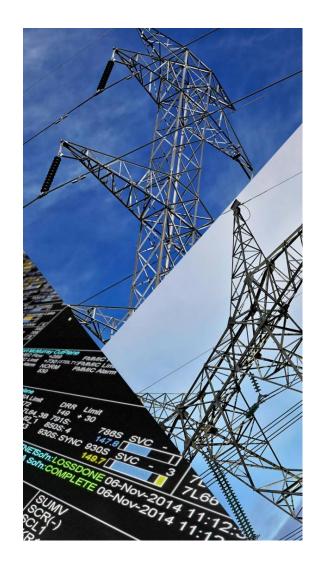






# **AESO** mandate

- Responsible for safe, reliable, economic planning and operation of Alberta Interconnected Electric System (AIES)
- AESO is a not-for-profit, statutory corporation; independent of government and industry:
  - Governed by independent board appointed by Minister of Energy
  - Must operate in the public interest
  - No financial interest in any generation unit, transmission or distribution infrastructure
  - No government funding; costs recovered from Alberta ratepayers
- Highest visibility of Alberta electricity sector





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- Email: info@aeso.ca
- Website: www.aeso.ca
- Subscribe to our stakeholder newsletter

# Update on engagement opportunities for ARS drafting and consultation



- Information Sessions to Collaborative Process of Stakeholder Engagement Policy:
  - Strategic, customized and meaningful
- Host information sessions to updates stakeholders
- Customized technical sessions for specific issues
- Formal consultation for adoption of ARS in accordance with *Transmission Regulation*.
- AESO recommends to AUC to approve the ARS if the deemed in application in Alberta and recommends to AUC if deemed not applicable in Alberta. (Forward ARS to AUC)
- Stakeholder Engagement opportunities for ARS are listed on the Stakeholder Engagement section of <u>www.aeso.ca</u>
- Updates are also posted as part of the Stakeholder Newsletters published every Tuesday and Thursday.



- Training provided to MPs
  - Quarterly training on compliance processes; normally provided to the MPs subject to an audit or self-certification for the upcoming cycle; open to all MPs
- Lessons learned
  - Developed and presented to MPs as needed (e.g. CIP v5 Pilot Audits Lessons Learned)
  - Posted on the external website on the Stakeholder Presentations section
- Clarifications on standards' intent and applicability
  - RFI process
  - Details and forms posted on the AESO website at <u>https://www.aeso.ca/rules-standards-and-tariff/requests-for-information-</u> <u>waivers-or-variances-regarding-authoritative-documents/</u>

# **Contact and additional information**





- Email: rscompliance@aeso.ca
- Website: <u>https://www.aeso.ca/rules-standards-and-tariff/compliance-monitoring/</u> Alberta Reliability
  Standards section
- AESO stakeholder newsletter

# **ARS Work Plan Update**

• Work Plan available at:

https://www.aeso.ca/rules-standards-and-tariff/alberta-reliability-standards/

- Updated on a monthly basis as required
- Divided into 10 sections:
  - Standards Approved by the AUC
  - Standards Forwarded to the AUC
  - Standards under Development
  - Standards next in Queue for Development
  - High Priority Standards for Development
  - Medium Priority Standards for Development
  - Lower Priority Standards for Development
  - Standards Not Yet Prioritized for Development
  - Standards Approved by NERC and Filed with FERC
  - Standards Approved by NERC and Awaiting Filing with FERC

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#### Thank you

