Stakeholder Comment Matrix – December 7, 2020

Proposed New Alberta Reliability Standard PER-006-AB-1, *Specific Training for Personnel*

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Instructions:
1. Please fill out the section above as indicated.
2. Please refer back to the Consultation Letter under the "Attachments" section to view materials related to the proposed new PER-006-AB-1, *Specific Training for Personnel* ("new PER-006-AB-1").
3. Please respond to the questions below and provide your specific comments, proposed revisions and reasons for your position underneath (if any). Blank boxes will be interpreted as favourable comments.
4. Please be advised that general comments do not give the AESO any specific issue to consider and address, and results in a general response.

Alberta Reliability Standard	Stakeholder Comments and/or Alternative Proposal
1. Is the requirement contained in proposed new PER 006-AB-1 clearly articulated? If no, describe the concern and suggest alternative language.	*Comment # 1: TransAlta would like to request additional guidance from the AESO around which roles are required to receive the training; for instance, more definition around the term "personnel who are responsible for the real time control of" a generating unit, etc., would greatly assist us in clarifying which roles can be considered in-scope for completing the training.* *Comment #2: TransAlta notes one of the differences between NERC's PER-006-1 and proposed PER-006-AB-1 is the threshold of 5MW MARP, versus 67.5MW as per NERC's BES definition. In the interest of being consistent with NERC TransAlta is supportive to recommend the AB version to be aligned with NERC's at 67.5MW.* *Comment #3: the proposed PER-006-AB-1 is silent on the frequency such training is to be completed. If PER-006 applies to one-time situations such as onboarding of new personnel, or as new elements are added to be trained, then please add language to clarify in the ARS, or include in an Information Document.*

2. Do you have any additional comments regarding proposed new PER-006-AB-1? If yes, please specify.	