

NOTICE OF SPECIFIED PENALTY

Date of Issue: February 1, 2016

Payment Due Date: March 2, 2016

MSA File Number:	2016-006	Specified Penalty Amount:	\$ 2,500
Market Participant Name:	TransAlta Energy Marketing Corp.		
Asset ID (if applicable):	TEBC	Self Report	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO
ISO Rule:	203.6	Date of Contravention:	October 9, 2015
Date of Referral/Self Report:	January 7, 2016	This is the second contravention by this asset for this rule within a rolling 12 month period.	

EVENT DETAILS

On October 9, 2015, from hour ending (HE) 1 through HE 6, the available capability (AC) of asset TEBC was declared to be 150 MW, and for HE 7 the AC for the asset was declared to be 100 MW. However, the sum of the e-tag volumes for those hours was 0 MW. ISO rule 203.6 indicates that a pool participant must submit e-tags for an energy interchange transaction such that the sum of the e-tag volumes agrees with the available capability (AC) of the asset as stated two hours prior to the start of the settlement interval.

FINDINGS

Based upon the information obtained by the MSA, the MSA is satisfied that the event was a contravention of ISO Rule 203.6.

MATERIAL FACTS

The material facts relied upon by the MSA include the following:

1. AESO e-tag, and available capability data for TEBC for October 9, 2015.
2. AESO information request issued to TransAlta Corporation dated December 18, 2015.
3. TransAlta Corporation's response to the AESO information request dated December 23, 2015.
4. Referral from the AESO to the MSA dated January 7, 2016.
5. Additional information from TransAlta Corporation to the MSA dated January 14, 2016.

DELIVERY OF PAYMENT

Payment by cheque or certified funds is to be made out to the "General Revenue Fund c/o Minister of Finance", and delivered to the Alberta Utilities Commission (AUC) at: 4th Floor, 425 - 1st Street S.W., Calgary, Alberta, T2P 3L8. Questions in respect of delivery of payment should be addressed to the Director of Finance, AUC. The payment should reference this notice and related MSA File #. Delivery of payment should also be confirmed by email to compliance@albertamsa.ca, with copy to the following AUC personnel: Sabi Ghavami (Director, Finance) sabi.ghavami@auc.ab.ca, and Andrew Davison (Senior Market Analyst) andrew.davison@auc.ab.ca.

NOTICE

The Market Surveillance Administrator (MSA) is granted the power and authority under s. 52 of the *Alberta Utilities Commission Act* to issue a Notice of Specified Penalty where the MSA is satisfied that a person has contravened an ISO rule. Specified penalties are set out in AUC Rule 019.

In accordance with the relevant enactments and rules, a dispute regarding the issuance of a Notice of Specified Penalty or failure to pay the specified penalty in accordance with this notice will result in a hearing or other proceeding before the AUC.

In accordance with s. 5(1) of AUC Rule 019 this Notice of Specified Penalty will be made public no earlier than receipt of confirmation of payment from the Commission and no later than 45 days after issuance. The MSA will, if applicable, also post on its website the link to any decision of the AUC respecting the specified penalty.

If your organization disputes the issuance of this Notice of Specified Penalty, or if you have any other questions or comments regarding this matter, please contact the MSA compliance team at compliance@albertamsa.ca.

SIGNATURE

Signature:	"Original Signed"	Signature Date:	February 1, 2016
Name:	Doug Doll	Title:	Director Corporate Services and Compliance