NOTICE OF SPECIFIED PENALTY				
Date of Issue: May 29, 2017		Payment Due Date: June 29, 2017		
MSA File Number	2017-187	Specified Penalty Amount	\$750	
Registered Entity Name	Balancing Pool			
Asset ID (if applicable)	SD2	Self-Report	⊠ YES □ NO	
ISO Rule	203.4	Date of Contravention	April 21, 2017	
Date of Referral/Self Report	May 2, 2017	This is the first contravention by this asset for this rule within a rolling 12 month period.		

## **EVENT DETAILS**

On April 21, 2017, at the beginning of HE 01, the SD2 generating asset was dispatched to provide 200 MW of energy however, between 00:10 and 00:50, the generation level of SD2 was below its allowable dispatch variance (ADV). ISO rule section 203.4 states that a pool participant must not, during generating asset steady state, vary the average MW it delivers from a generating source asset in any 10 minute clock period from the dispatch MW by more than the allowable dispatch variance.

#### **FINDINGS**

Based upon the information obtained by the MSA, the MSA is satisfied that the event was a contravention of ISO rule 203.4.

### **MATERIAL FACTS**

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

- 1. Self-report submitted by the Balancing Pool to the MSA dated May 2, 2017.
- 2. AESO generation and dispatch data for SD2 for April 21, 2017.

### **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: Jeremy Smith (Financial Accountant) jeremy.smith@auc.ab.ca, and Greg Andrews (Investigator) greg.andrews@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 <a href="mailto:compliance@albertamsa.ca">compliance@albertamsa.ca</a>.

SIGNATURE				
Signature	"Original Signed"	Signature Date	May 29, 2017	
Name	Doug Doll	Title	Director, Compliance and Corporate Services	