# NOTICE OF SPECIFIED PENALTY

Date of Issue: December 17, 2020		Payment Due Date: January 22, 2021		
MSA File Number	2020-282 2020-283	Specified Penalty Amount	\$1,500	
Market Participant Name	Horseshoe Power GP Ltd.			
Asset ID (if applicable)	BFD1	Self-Report	□ YES 🖾 NO	
ISO Rule Section	201.7	Date of Contravention	February 14 and 20, 2020	
Date of Referral/Self Report	September 2, 2020	This is the second contravention by this asset for this section of the ISO rules within a rolling 12 month period.		
EVENT DETAILS				
1) On February 14, 2020, pertaining to the HE 17 settlement interval, the BFD1 generating asset received six dispatches that it did not acknowledge receipt of within two minutes.				

2) On February 20, 2020, pertaining to the HE 23 settlement interval, the BFD1 generating asset received six dispatches that it did not acknowledge receipt of within two minutes.

Section 201.7 of the ISO rules states, in part:

5 A pool participant must acknowledge receipt of a dispatch:

(a) in the case of an automated message and unless the pool participant has notified the ISO of an unavailability in accordance with subsection 4(1)(a) by responding via the Automated Dispatch and Messaging System:

(i) within two (2) minutes for an intra-Alberta transaction; [...]

# FINDINGS

Based upon the information obtained by the MSA, the MSA is satisfied that these events were contraventions of section 201.7 of the ISO rules.

# MATERIAL FACTS

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

- 1. AESO dispatch data for BFD1 for February 14 and 20, 2020.
- 2. AESO information requests issued to Horseshoe Power GP Ltd., dated July 9, 2020.
- 3. Horseshoe Power GP Ltd.'s response to the AESO information requests, dated August 24, 2020.
- 4. Referrals from the AESO to the MSA dated September 2, 2020

# DELIVERY OF PAYMENT

Payment by cheque or certified funds is to be made payable to the "General Revenue Fund c/o Minister of Finance", and delivered to Alberta Energy at: 9945 – 108 Street NW, Edmonton, Alberta, T5K 2G6. The payment should reference this Notice of Specified Penalty and related MSA File #. Electronic copies of the payment and confirmation of delivery should be sent by email to <u>compliance@albertamsa.ca</u> and <u>enforcement@auc.ab.ca</u>. Questions can be directed to <u>compliance@albertamsa.ca</u>.

# 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 <u>compliance@albertamsa.ca</u>.

SIGNATURE				
Signature	"Original Signed"	Signature Date	December 17, 2020	
Name	Andrew Wilkins	Title	Director, Compliance	