# NOTICE OF SPECIFIED PENALTY

Date of Issue: May 31, 2022		Payment Due Date: June 30, 2022	
MSA File Number	2022-088	Specified Penalty Amount	\$1,500
Market Participant Name	West Fraser Mills Ltd.		
Asset ID (if applicable)	WWD1	Self-Report	□ YES 🖾 NO
ISO Rule Section	203.3	Date of Contravention	August 23 through 25, 2021
Date of Referral/Self-Report	March 17, 2022	This is the second contravention by this asset for this section of the ISO rules within a rolling 12-month period.	

#### **EVENT DETAILS**

At the start of August 23, 2021, the available capability (AC) of the WWD1 asset was 10 MW. Beginning during the HE 03 settlement interval on the same day, the AC of WWD1 decreased. Information available to the MSA indicates that AC restatements were required for the balance of the August 23 through 25, 2021 settlement intervals. However, for certain settlement intervals these restatements were not made, and in other cases these restatements were not made as soon as reasonably practicable. Section 203.3 of the ISO rules states in part:

2(1) A pool participant must only submit an available capability restatement revising the available capability of a source asset if such revision is:

(a) as a result of an acceptable operational reason;

(b) in relation to an operational deviation and required under subsection 5(3) of section 203.4 of the ISO rules, Delivery Requirements for Energy; or

(c) in order to reflect the output of the source asset which is restricted during either one (1) or both of commissioning and testing under section 505.3 of the ISO rules, Coordinating Synchronization, Commissioning, WECC Testing and Ancillary Services Testing or under section 505.4 of the ISO rules. Coordinating Operational Testing.

(2) A pool participant that submits an offer must, if there is a change to the available capability of the source asset as a result of any of the circumstances outlined in subsections 2(1)(a). (b) or (c), submit an available capability restatement revising the available capability for the applicable hours, as soon as reasonably practicable. [...]

## FINDINGS

Based upon the information obtained by the MSA, the MSA is satisfied that the event was a contravention of section 203.3 of the ISO rules.

#### **MATERIAL FACTS**

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

- 1. AESO available capability, dispatch, generation and offer data for WWD1 for August 23 through 25, 2021.
- 2 AESO information request issued to West Fraser Mills Ltd., dated February 25, 2022.
- West Fraser Mills Ltd.'s response to the AESO information request, dated March 11, 2022. 3. 4.
  - Referral from the AESO to the MSA dated March 17, 2022.

### **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 compliance@albertamsa.ca and enforcement@auc.ab.ca. Questions can be directed to compliance@albertamsa.ca.

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