

## NOTICE OF SPECIFIED PENALTY

Date of Issue: March 23, 2026		Payment Due Date: April 23, 2026	
MSA File Number	2025-355	<b>Specified Penalty Amount</b>	<b>\$250</b>
Market Participant Name	Alberta Powerline Ltd.		
Asset ID (if applicable)	N/A	Self-Report	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO
ISO Rule Section	503.13	Date of Contravention	September 7, 2024
Date of Referral/Self Report	August 19, 2025	This is the first contravention by this asset for this section of the ISO rules within a rolling 12-month period.	

### MSA FINDINGS

Section 503.13 of the ISO Rules states, in part:

7(2) The ISO must, if it identifies or suspects a failure or malfunction of a synchrophasor measurement unit or any of its components, notify the applicable legal owner as soon as practicable, but not later than one business day, after identifying the suspected failure.

(3) The applicable legal owner must provide the ISO with the date it expects to investigate the suspected failure or malfunction of the synchrophasor measurement unit or any of its components which, in the case of an investigation in response to a notification under subsection 7(2), must be within 2 business days of receiving the ISO's notification.

On September 5, 2024, the AESO notified ATCO Electric Ltd. ('AEL') of a potential failure or malfunction of a synchrophasor measurement unit at the 951S Thickwood Hills and 939S Livock Alberta Powerline Ltd. sites. Information available to the MSA indicates that AEL did not provide the ISO with the date it expected to investigate the suspected failure within two (2) business days of receiving the notification from the AESO.

The MSA is satisfied that the conduct was a contravention of Section 503.13 of the ISO rules.

### DELIVERY OF PAYMENT

Payment can be made by electronic funds transfer (EFT). Please reach out to [compliance@albertamsa.ca](mailto:compliance@albertamsa.ca) for instructions. When submitting the EFT, please send an email to [AU.FinOps@gov.ab.ca](mailto:AU.FinOps@gov.ab.ca), [compliance@albertamsa.ca](mailto:compliance@albertamsa.ca) and [enforcement@auc.ab.ca](mailto:enforcement@auc.ab.ca) noting the MSA file #, market participant name, name as appears on bank account, payment amount and the date of the payment. Questions can be directed to [compliance@albertamsa.ca](mailto:compliance@albertamsa.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](mailto:compliance@albertamsa.ca).

### APPROVED BY

Mike Morganton, Executive Director, Enforcement, on March 20, 2026