

NOTICE OF SPECIFIED PENALTY

Date of Issue: May 25, 2026		Payment Due Date: June 25, 2026	
MSA File Number	RS2025-101	Specified Penalty Amount	\$7,500.00
Market Participant Name:	TransAlta Cogeneration LP		
Reliability Standard	PRC-019-AB-2	Self-Report	Yes: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No: <input type="checkbox"/>
Requirement	R2	Accepted Mitigation Plan	Yes: <input type="checkbox"/> No: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Date of Referral / Self Report	June 20, 2025	Date of Contravention:	June 27, 2024 - January 30, 2025

MSA FINDINGS

Requirement R2 of PRC-019-AB-2 states, in part:

R2 Each legal owner of a transmission facility, legal owner of a generating unit and legal owner of an aggregated generating facility must:

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(b) prior to electrically connecting to the transmission system:

- (i) a generating unit;
 - (ii) a synchronous condenser; or
 - (iii) a generating unit that is part of an aggregated generating facility;
- any of which are impacted by planned system, equipment or setting changes that will affect the coordination as described in requirement R1,

perform the coordination described in requirement R1.

The MSA is satisfied that the conduct was a contravention of requirement R2 of PRC-019-AB-2, from June 27, 2024, to January 29, 2025, as the coordination required by R1 was not performed for GT-301 and ST-302 upon connecting the generating units to the transmission system.

The MSA determined that the contravention is of Moderate severity based on potential risk posed to reliable operations from energizing prior to completing the protection study and on the duration of the contravention.

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 Alberta Reliability Standard. Specified penalties are set out in AUC Rule 027.

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 027 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 unless it qualifies for the public reporting exception for critical infrastructure protection (CIP) contraventions in s. 5.3 of AUC Rule 027. 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

Daniela Cismaru, Advisor, Alberta Reliability Standards on May 22, 2026