

Project Cancellation for the Windy Hill Biomass Generation Plant Connection

The Power Wood Canada Corp. request for transmission system access to connect its Windy Hill Biomass Generation Plant (Facility) in the High Level area has been cancelled.

BACKGROUND

The Alberta Utilities Commission (Commission) originally approved the AESO's Mustus Biomass Energy Connection Needs Identification Approval Document (NID) on June 17, 2014. The NID approval included the following transmission developments:

- Add one 144 kV transmission line between the market participant's approved Windy Hill 675S substation to the existing Blumenort 832S substation.
- Modify the Blumenort 832 substation.
- Add or modify associated equipment as required for the above transmission developments.

NEXT STEPS

The AESO intends to apply to the Commission for cancellation of the NID approval in mid-2020.

Information related to the Windy Hill Biomass Generation Plant Connection project is available on the AESO's website at www.aeso.ca/stakeholder-engagement/transmission-projects

WHO IS THE AESO?

The Alberta Electric System Operator (AESO) plans and operates Alberta's electricity grid and wholesale electricity market safely, reliably and in the public interest of all Albertans. We are a not-for-profit organization with no financial interest or investment of any kind in the power industry.

We appreciate your views, both on the need for transmission system development and proposed transmission plans. If you have any questions or comments, please contact us directly.

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