

**Stakeholder Comment Matrix – April 21, 2020**  
**2020 Plan for Energy Storage Roadmap Integration Activities**



<b>Period of Comment:</b> April 21, 2020 through May 5, 2020 <b>Comments From:</b> Energy Storage Canada <b>Date:</b> 2020/05/05	<b>Contact:</b> Justin Rangooni <b>Phone:</b> 647-627-1815 <b>Email:</b> <a href="mailto:jrangooni@energystoragecanada.org">jrangooni@energystoragecanada.org</a>
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Instructions:

1. Please fill out the section above as indicated.
2. Please respond to the questions below and provide your specific comments.
3. Email your completed comment matrix to [energystorage@aeso.ca](mailto:energystorage@aeso.ca) by **May 5, 2020**.

**The AESO is seeking comments from Stakeholders with regard to the following matters:**

	Questions	Stakeholder Comments
1.	Is the publication of the <i>2020 Plan for Energy Storage Roadmap Integration Activities</i> (“2020 Plan”) useful to you? Would any additional information be helpful? Please be as specific as possible.	Yes, the 2020 Plan is useful and provides guidance on the activities for energy storage throughout the year.  Event dates for different activities would be very useful. For example, the next ES progress update is scheduled for June 2020, it would be helpful if there was a placeholder date, or a week when the meeting is expected to be scheduled. This would help Energy Storage Canada coordinate with members to attend the event and be prepared with remarks and questions.
2.	Are there additional energy storage activities that in your view require the AESO’s and stakeholders’ attention in 2020 that are not listed in the 2020 Plan?	Yes, within the short-term implementation phase, Energy Storage Canada is interested in the ability of energy storage resources to provide Load Shed Services for Imports (LSSi) to the AESO.
3.	Do you have suggested changes to the timing of activities in the 2020 Plan schedule? If yes, please be specific to why you would like to see the timing changed and what the suggested timing should look like.	Yes, the 2020 plan notes that ISO Tariff Design for energy storage resources is part of the Phase 1 Short-Term Implementation; however, the ISO Tariff Design has been incorporated into the broader Bulk and Regional Tariff Design process. The Bulk and Regional Tariff Design process includes many other changes to the ISO tariff design to meet challenges of the evolving electricity sector. The ISO tariff design process is complex, and Energy Storage Canada is concerned that the process timelines could

		<p>be stretched. For some changes for energy storage resources, it is appropriate to include energy storage in the broader discussions. However, there are some temporary changes that should be considered separate from the Bulk and Regional Tariff Design process to provide short-term implementation support for energy storage resources. In particular, the AESO should consider a temporary exemption or reduced rate for energy storage resources providing regulation reserves.</p>
4.	<p>Do you have any other suggestions or comments you would like to share with the AESO related to the 2020 Plan?</p>	

Thank you for your input. Please email your comments to: [energystorage@aeso.ca](mailto:energystorage@aeso.ca).