

Notice

Application for 2017 Rider Y and interest rate true-up compliance filing

Proceeding 23014 Direct Energy Regulated Services

The Alberta Utilities Commission, the independent utilities regulator, will be considering the application for Direct Energy Regulated Services' (DERS) 2017 Rider Y and interest rate true-up compliance filing to ensure that the delivery of Alberta's utility service takes place in a manner that is fair, responsible and in the public interest. If you feel you may be affected by this application, you can provide input to the AUC to review before it makes its decision.

DERS has filed an application requesting approval for DERS' 2017 Rider Y and interest rate true-up compliance filing. DERS has examined the magnitude of the two adjustments, specifically:

- (i) the net increase in Rule 023: *Rules Respecting Payment of Interest* interest directed in Decision 22472-D01-2017;¹ and
- (ii) the net under-recovery in Rider Y, as directed to be assessed in paragraph 56 of Decision 21568-D01-2016.²

DERS stated that its analysis indicates that the noted net adjustments are relatively small and the adjustments required to give effect to the net amounts would be minimal. Accordingly, DERS submits that, in this case, it would be appropriate to maintain rate stability and consistency by continuing with the existing rates, such that no further true-up adjustment is necessary.

Written submissions are due October 23, 2017.

To register your concerns, or your support for the application, please visit the AUC website and log in to the eFiling System to file your submission for Proceeding 23014. If you do not have access to the internet, send your name, address, phone number, organization you are representing, description of your interest in the proceeding, position including information in support of the position and reasons why the AUC should decide in the manner recommended, and whether further process is required. If no written submissions are received, the Commission may make its decision without further notice or process.

¹ Decision 22472-D01-2017: Direct Energy Regulated Services, Review of Decision 21568-D01-2016, Proceeding 22472, September 19, 2017.

² Decision 21568-D01-2016: Direct Energy Regulated Services, 2012-2016 Default Rate Tariff and Regulated Rate Tariff Non-Energy Compliance Filing True-Up Application, Proceeding 21568, October 20, 2016.

To learn more about the application and review process, contact:
Bob Clarke at 780-422-4107 or email your questions to bob.clarke@auc.ab.ca.

The application, and any associated documents being reviewed, are publicly available on our website. Alternatively, you may contact the applicant's representative, Jessica Halland, at 403-776-2203 or by email at jessica.halland@directenergy.com for further details about what is being applied for, or for a copy of the application.

Privacy

To support an open and transparent process, information you send to the AUC will be publicly available through the AUC's eFiling System. If there is confidential information you would like to file, a request must be made in advance of filing your submission.

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Alberta Utilities Commission
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