

February 4, 2025

To: Parties currently registered in Proceeding 28725

Acestes Power ULC Ponoka Solar Project Power Plant and Interconnection Proceeding 28725 Applications 28725-A001 and 28725-A002

Withdrawal of applications

- 1. On December 15, 2023, Acestes Power ULC filed the subject applications with the Alberta Utilities Commission to construct and operate the Ponoka Solar Project.
- 2. On May 28, 2024, the Commission placed this proceeding into abeyance at the request of Acestes and required Acestes to provide the Commission with an update on the status of its applications by January 31, 2025. All previously scheduled procedural steps, including the filing of evidence and the scheduled oral hearing dates, were suspended.
- 3. On January 30, 2025, Acestes requested to withdraw its applications as it has decided not to proceed with the power plant at this time. Acestes stated that it will resubmit the applications if it chooses to restart the project.
- 4. Pursuant to Section 12.2 of Rule 001: *Rules of Practice*, the Commission accepts the request to withdraw the applications and will close Proceeding 28725 without further process.
- 5. Should you have any questions, please contact the undersigned at 403-592-4509 or by email at mustakimul.hoque@auc.ab.ca.

Yours truly,

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