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Under section 5.2(2)(b) of the *Alberta Energy Regulator Rules of Practice*, we may make decisions on certain types of applications under the *Public Lands Act* before the time period for filing a statement of concern has elapsed (an expedited decision).

Table 1 lists the specific application types under the *Public Lands Act* that qualify for an expedited decision. Applications for approvals under section 13 of the *Public Lands Administration Regulation* also qualify for an expedited decision. Refer to [PLAR Formal Dispositions Directive](#) for disposition type descriptions.

For more information on our application processes and how to file a statement of concern for expedited decisions, visit our website, www.aer.ca > Regulating Development > Project Application > [Application Processes](#).

Table 1. Formal disposition applications under the *Public Lands Act* for which the AER may issue an expedited decision

Disposition Type	Purpose	Activity
LOC	Access	Class II - All Weather or Dry
LOC	Access	Class III - All Weather or Dry
LOC	Access	Class IV - Frozen / Dry Conditions
LOC	Access	Class V - Frozen
LOC	Access	Class VI - Frozen
LOC	Bed and Shore	Anchor (Waterbody)
LOC	Bed and Shore	Boat Launch
LOC	Bed and Shore	Bridge
LOC	Bed and Shore	Culvert Crossing
LOC	Erosion Protection	Upland Erosion Protection
LOC	Pipeline	Fresh Water
LOC	Pipeline	Produced Water
LOC	Pipeline	Waste Water
LOC	Pipeline	Multi Pipeline ROW
LOC	Research, Monitoring and Education	Water Observation / Monitoring - Industrial Use
LOC	Water Diversion	Drainage or Irrigation Ditch
LOC	Water Diversion	Outfall
LOC	Water Diversion	Water Intake / Supply Line
LOC	Water Diversion	Water Reservoir
MLL	PNG or OS Facility	Compressor Site
MLL	PNG or OS Facility	Gas Processing Plant
MLL	PNG or OS Facility	Gas Processing Plant - Sulphur Recovery
MLL	PNG or OS Facility	Satellite Site

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MLL	PNG or OS Facility	Transport Facility
MLL	Research, Monitoring and Education	Environmental Monitoring Site
MLL	Research, Monitoring and Education	Heave Monuments
MLL	Research, Monitoring and Education	Piezometer
MLL	Research, Monitoring and Education	Water Observation / Monitoring
MLL	Storage	Industrial
MLL	Storage	Stockpile
MLL	Water Well	Observation
MLL	Water Well	Production
MSL	Drilling Waste Disposal	Remote Sump
MSL	PNG or OS Facility	Compressor Site
MSL	PNG or OS Facility	Gas Processing Plant
MSL	PNG or OS Facility	Gas Processing Plant - Sulphur Recovery
MSL	PNG or OS Facility	Oil/Bitumen Battery Site
MSL	PNG or OS Facility	Satellite Site
MSL	Wellsite	Disposal
MSL	Wellsite	Experimental
MSL	Wellsite	Injection
MSL	Wellsite	Observation
MSL	Wellsite	OS - Observation
MSL	Wellsite	OS - Cold Production
MSL	Wellsite	PNG Production (MW)
MSL	Wellsite	PNG Production (SW)
MSL	Wellsite	Storage Well
PIL	Pipeline Installation	Cathodic Protection / Anode Bed
PIL	Pipeline Installation	Compressor Station (Sales Line)
PIL	Pipeline Installation	Header or Riser Site
PIL	Pipeline Installation	Heater Site
PIL	Pipeline Installation	Meter Station Site
PIL	Pipeline Installation	Pumping Station
PIL	Pipeline Installation	Separator Site
PIL	Pipeline Installation	Tank Farm
PIL	Pipeline Installation	Valve Site
PLA	Pipeline	Cathodic Protection / Anode Bed
PLA	Pipeline	Multiple Pipeline ROW
PLA	Pipeline	PNG / OS Pipeline

Disposition Type	Purpose	Activity
RVC	Fire Hazard Management	Fireguard
RVC	Vegetation Control	n/a