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1. Procedure Detail

1.1. Purpose and Distribution

The California ISO (CAISO) sends System Emergency notices when adverse grid or market conditions require activation of the CAISO Electrical Emergency Plan, which is implemented through the System Emergency procedures. Notices are targeted to control centers and communications departments of Participating Transmission Owners, Utility Distribution Companies, Metered Subsystems, Market Participants as well as state, federal, regulatory and oversight agencies. Not all System Emergency notices are necessarily sent to all recipients but rather to the stakeholders for each notice identified by the CAISO. Subsequent re-transmissions of these notices by media, public safety agencies, and others extend the audience to a much wider range of recipients than those specified above.

System Emergency notices may be issued on a California ISO Grid or Regional (Northern or Southern California) basis. In addition to the standardized text in the following pages, CAISO Operators can elect to provide additional details and descriptions specific to the event.

1.1.1. Advisories, NOT Dispatch Instructions

System Emergency notices do not serve as, nor should they be mistaken for, dispatch instructions or orders issued by the CAISO. They are advisories only and dispatch instructions relative to system emergencies will be issued through established modes.

1.1.2. Disclaimer

System Emergency notices are based on current conditions of the transmission grid system. While a System Emergency notice reflects the most current information available to the CAISO at the time of issuance, transmission grid system conditions are subject to sudden and rapid change without warning and the accuracy of any notice cannot be assured. These CAISO notices are provided solely for informational purposes. Reliance by any party on the contents of these CAISO notices, regardless of any errors, omissions, inaccuracies, and/or subsequent changed conditions shall not be made the basis for any claim, demand, or cause for action against the CAISO. Any recipient’s decisions or actions that may be based in any way whatsoever on the contents of these CAISO notices shall be the sole responsibility of the recipient.
1.2. Issuance of System Emergency Notices

1.2.1. Flex Alert

**CAISO Grid, Northern CA Region, Southern CA Region, South OC San Diego Region, or VEA Region**

The California ISO has issued a Flex Alert for [the CAISO Grid, Northern CA Region, Southern CA Region, South OC San Diego Region or VEA Region] effective [Day], [Date].

Californians are urged to conserve electricity from [Date] at [Time] to [Date] at [Time] to avoid power disruptions.

A news release [is pending / has been issued]. For media inquiries, email ISOMedia@caiso.com.

1.2.2. Restricted Maintenance Operations Notice

**CAISO Grid, Northern CA Region, Southern CA Region, or VEA Region**

**CAISO Grid Restricted Maintenance Operations [Notice No.]**

The California ISO is declaring [CAISO Grid, Northern CA Region, Southern CA Region or VEA Region] RESTRICTED MAINTENANCE OPERATION for the period from [Start Date], [Start Time] through [End Date], [End Time].

Reason: [CAISO is anticipating high loads and temperatures across the CAISO Grid, Northern CA Region, Southern CA Region, or VEA Region].


Restricted Maintenance Operations, as detailed in ISO Operating Procedure 4420, will be in effect.

Market Participants are cautioned to avoid actions which may jeopardize generator and/or transmission availability.

Monitor system conditions on Today's Outlook [http://www.caiso.com/TodaysOutlook/Pages/default.aspx] and check with local electric utilities for additional information.

Notice issued at: [[Notice Post Date]]
1.2.3. Northern CA Region Restricted Maintenance Operations - Gas Supply Insufficiency Notice

Northern CA Region

Northern CA Region Restricted Maintenance Operations - Gas Supply Insufficiency Notice [Notice No.]

The California ISO is declaring Northern CA Region RESTRICTED MAINTENANCE OPERATION for the period from [Start Date], [Start Time] through [End Date], [End Time].

Reason: [Natural gas curtailments in the Northern California area].

Refer to the CAISO System Emergency Fact Sheet (http://www.caiso.com/Documents/SystemAlertsWarningsandEmergenciesFactSheet.pdf) for additional detail.

Restricted Maintenance Operations, as detailed in ISO Operating Procedure 4120, Gas Transmission Pipeline Derates or Outages, will be in effect. Outages are not being Canceled at this time but need to follow the scheduled times to avoid cancellation. If outages need to be Cancelled, a separate RMO notice will be issued with additional information.

Market Participants are cautioned to avoid actions, which may jeopardize generator and/or transmission availability.

Monitor system conditions on Today's Outlook (http://www.caiso.com/TodaysOutlook/Pages/default.aspx) and check with local electric utilities for additional information.
1.2.4. **Southern CA Region Restricted Maintenance Operations - Gas Supply Insufficiency Notice**

**Northern CA Region**

Notice issued at: [[Notice Post Date]]

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**Southern CA Region**

**Southern CA Region Restricted Maintenance Operations - Gas Supply Insufficiency Notice**

The California ISO is declaring Southern CA Region RESTRICTED MAINTENANCE OPERATION for the period from [Start Date], [Start Time] through [End Date], [End Time].

Reason: [Natural gas curtailments in the Southern California area].


Restricted Maintenance Operations, as detailed in ISO Operating Procedure 4120, Gas Transmission Pipeline Derates or Outages, will be in effect. Outages are not being Canceled at this time but need to follow the scheduled times to avoid cancellation. If outages need to be Canceled, a separate RMO notice will be issued with additional information.

The California ISO will be using a gas nomogram in the DayAhead & Real-Time markets, along with approved outages, for the identified regions based on gas burn limits from the gas companies.

Transmission and generation operators are cautioned to avoid actions, which may jeopardize generator and/or transmission availability.
1.2.5. Generation Restricted Maintenance Operations Notice

The California ISO is declaring [CAISO Grid, Northern CA Region, Southern CA Region or VEA Region] GENERATION Restricted Maintenance Operations for the period from [Start Date], [Start Time] through [End Date], [End Time].

Reason: [CAISO anticipates generation resources may be inadequate for the period covered by this notice].

Refer to the CAISO System Emergency Fact Sheet (http://www.caiso.com/Documents/SystemAlertsWarningsandEmergenciesFactSheet.pdf) for additional detail.

Restricted Maintenance Operations, as detailed in ISO Operating Procedure 4420, will be in effect. Additionally, Market Participants are cautioned to avoid actions which may jeopardize generator availability.

This notice does not restrict scheduled outages which do not affect generating resource availability.
1.2.6. Transmission Emergency Notice

CAISO Grid, Northern CA Region, Southern CA Region, or VEA Region

CAISO Grid TRANSMISSION EMERGENCY Notice [Notice No.]

The California ISO hereby issues a [CAISO Grid, Northern CA Region, Southern CA Region or VEA Region] TRANSMISSION EMERGENCY Notice effective [Start Date], [Start Time] through [End Date], [End Time] based on conditions as of [Notice Post Date].

Reason: [Reason]

Refer to the CAISO System Emergency Fact Sheet (http://www.caiso.com/Documents/SystemAlertsWarningsandEmergenciesFactSheet.pdf) for additional detail.

Monitor system conditions on Today's Outlook (http://www.caiso.com/TodaysOutlook/Pages/default.aspx) and check with local electric utilities for additional information.

Notice issued at: [[Notice Post Date]]
1.2.7. **Transmission Emergency** - Firm Load Interruptions Notice

CAISO Grid, Northern CA Region, Southern CA Region, or VEA Region

Firm Load Interruption - Transmission Emergency Notice [Notice No.]

As of [Start Time] the California ISO has requested [Number/Value] MW of load to be shed due to the Transmission Emergency.

A separate notification will be made when load has been restored.

Refer to the CAISO System Emergency Fact Sheet (http://www.caiso.com/Documents/SystemAlertsWarningsandEmergenciesFactSheet.pdf) for additional detail.

Monitor system conditions on Today's Outlook (http://www.caiso.com/TodaysOutlook/Pages/default.aspx) and check with local electric utilities for additional information.

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1.2.8. Alert/ Requesting EEA Watch Notice

CAISO Grid, Northern CA Region, Southern CA Region, or VEA Region

STATEWIDE ALERT NOTICE [Notice No.]

The California ISO hereby issues a [CAISO Grid, Northern CA Region, Southern CA Region or VEA Region] ALERT Notice, effective [Start Date], [Start Time] through [End Date], [End Time].

Reason: [Reason]

CAISO is forecasting a resource deficiency with all available resources in use or forecasted to be in use for the specified time period. If not already declared, CAISO may request the Reliability Coordinator declare an EEA Watch.

Conservation efforts are encouraged for the time period specified in this notice. Energy Market Participants are encouraged to offer additional Supplemental Energy and Ancillary Service bids.

Refer to the CAISO System Emergency Fact Sheet (http://www.caiso.com/Documents/SystemAlertsWarningsandEmergenciesFactSheet.pdf) for additional detail.

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1.2.9. **Warning/ Requesting EEA 1 or 2 Notice**

**CAISO Grid, Northern CA Region, Southern CA Region, or VEA Region**

CAISO is forecasting a resources deficiency with all available resources in use or forecasted to be in use for the specified time period. If not already declared, CAISO may request the Reliability Coordinator to declare an EEA-1.

If the Emergency Demand Response Programs are dispatched, then CAISO may request the Reliability Coordinator to declare an EEA-2.

Conservation efforts are encouraged for the time period specified in this notice. Energy Market Participants are encouraged to offer additional Supplemental Energy and Ancillary Service bids.

Refer to the CAISO System Emergency Fact Sheet for additional detail.

Monitor system conditions on Today's Outlook and check with local electric utilities for additional information.

Notice issued at: [Notice Post Date]
1.2.10. Stage 1 / Requesting EEA 2 Notice

CAISO Grid, Northern CA Region, Southern CA Region, or VEA Region

CAISO Grid Stage 1 System Emergency Notice [Notice No.]

The California ISO hereby issues a [CAISO Grid, Northern CA Region, Southern CA Region or VEA Region] Stage 1 System Emergency Notice, effective [Start Date], [Start Time] through [End Date], [End Time].

Reason(s): [Reason]

CAISO is forecasting an energy deficiency with all available resources in use for the specified time period. To preserve grid reliability, CAISO will take actions in 4420 sect 3.5.3 and request the Reliability Coordinator to declare an EEA-2. CAISO will request Utility Distribution Companies and Metered Subsystems voluntarily reduce usage of electricity.

Conservation efforts are encouraged for the time period specified in this notice. Energy Market Participants are encouraged to offer additional Supplemental Energy and Ancillary Service bids.

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1.2.11. Stage 2 System Emergency/ Requesting EEA 3 Notice

CAISO Grid, Northern CA Region, Southern CA Region or VEA Region

CAISO Grid Stage 2 System Emergency Notice [Notice No.]

The California ISO hereby issues a [CAISO Grid, Northern CA Region, Southern CA Region or VEA Region] Stage 2 System Emergency Notice effective [Start Date], [Start Time] through [End Date], [End Time].

Reason: [Reason]

CAISO is forecasting an energy deficiency with all available resources in use for the specified time period. To preserve grid reliability, CAISO will take actions in 4420 sect 3.5.4 and request the Reliability Coordinator declare an EEA-3. CAISO will be calling on Utility Distribution Companies to implement their Interruptible Loads and requests maximum conservation. Energy Market Participants are encouraged to offer additional Supplemental Energy and Ancillary Service bids.

Refer to the CAISO System Emergency Fact Sheet (http://www.caiso.com/Documents/SystemAlertsWarningsandEmergenciesFactSheet.pdf) for additional detail.
CAISO Grid,
Northern CA Region, Southern CA Region or VEA Region

Monitor system conditions on Today's Outlook (http://www.caiso.com/TodaysOutlook/Pages/default.aspx) and check with local electric utilities for additional information.

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1.2.12. 1-Hour Notification of Probable Load Interruptions

CAISO Grid,
Northern CA Region, Southern CA Region or VEA Region

1-Hour Notification of Probable CAISO Grid Load Interruptions [Notice No.]

The CAISO anticipates the need to interrupt firm load for the period [Start Date], [Start Time] through [End Date], [End Time] in the amount of [MW amount] MW for each respective hour for the period [CAISO Grid, Northern CA Region, Southern CA Region or VEA Region] based on system conditions as of [[Notice Post Date]].

Maximum conservation efforts are encouraged for the time period specified in this notice. Utility Distribution Companies and Metered Subsystems shall await Operating Instructions from CAISO. If not already declared, CAISO will request the Reliability Coordinator to declare an EEA-3 and CAISO will issue a ‘Stage 3 System Emergency Notice’ and ‘Load Interruptions – Stage 3 System Emergency Notice’ when the load interruptions have actually begun or are imminent.

Refer to the CAISO System Emergency Fact Sheet (http://www.caiso.com/Documents/SystemAlertsWarningsandEmergenciesFactSheet.pdf) for additional detail.
### 1.2.13. Stage 3 System Emergency/ Requesting EEA 3 Notice

**CAISO Grid, Northern CA Region, Southern CA Region or VEA Region**

The California ISO hereby issues a [CAISO Grid, Northern CA Region, Southern CA Region or VEA Region] Stage 3 System Emergency Notice effective [Start Date] at [Start Time] through [End Date] at [End Time].

**Reason:** [Reason]

CAISO is forecasting an energy deficiency with all available resources in use for the specified time period. To preserve grid reliability, CAISO will take actions in 4420 sect 3.5.5 and, if not already declared, request the Reliability Coordinator declare an EEA-3. Utility Distribution Companies and Metered Subsystems shall await Operating Instructions from the CAISO for load curtailments, use of Interruptible Loads and requests Out-of-Market (OOM) and Emergency Energy from all available sources. Maximum conservation efforts are requested.
## 1.2.14. Stage 3 System Emergency - Firm Load Interruptions Notice

**CAISO Grid, Northern CA Region, Southern CA Region or VEA Region**

Firm Load Interruption - Stage 3 System Emergency Notice [Notice No.]

As of [Start Time] the California ISO has requested [Number/Value] MW of load to be shed due to the Stage 3 System Emergency.

A separate notification will be made when load has been restored.


Monitor system conditions on Today's Outlook [http://www.caiso.com/TodaysOutlook/Pages/default.aspx] and check with local electric utilities for additional information.

Notice issued at: [[Notice Post Date]]
1.2.15. System Emergency Notice

CAISO Grid, Northern CA Region, Southern CA Region or VEA Region

CAISO Grid SYSTEM EMERGENCY Notice [Notice No.]

The California ISO hereby issues a [CAISO Grid, Northern CA Region, Southern CA Region, or VEA Region] SYSTEM EMERGENCY Notice effective [Start Date], [Start Time] through [Start Date], [Start Time] based on conditions as of [[Notice Post Date]].

Reason: [Reason]

Refer to the CAISO System Emergency Fact Sheet

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### 1.3. Termination of System Emergency Notices

#### 1.3.1. Flex Alert Cancellation Notice

**CAISO Grid, Northern CA Region, Southern CA Region, South OC San Diego Region, or VEA Region**

The California ISO has **concluded** the Flex Alert issued for [[Effective Date]].

Thank you for your participation.


Monitor system conditions on Today’s Outlook ([http://www.caiso.com/TodaysOutlook/Pages/Default.aspx](http://www.caiso.com/TodaysOutlook/Pages/Default.aspx)) and check with local electric utilities for additional information.

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#### 1.3.2. Restricted Maintenance Operations Cancellation Notice

**CAISO Grid, Northern CA Region, Southern CA Region, or VEA Region**

CAISO Grid Restricted Maintenance Operations CANCELLATION [Notice No.]

Effective [Date, Time] the California Independent System Operator has terminated CAISO Grid Restricted Maintenance Operations.

CAISO Grid Restricted Maintenance Operations has been in effect since [[Effective Date]].

[Reason/details]


Monitor system conditions on Today’s Outlook ([http://www.caiso.com/TodaysOutlook/Pages/Default.aspx](http://www.caiso.com/TodaysOutlook/Pages/Default.aspx)) and check with local electric utilities for additional information.
1.3.3. **Northern CA Region Restricted Maintenance Operations - Gas Supply Insufficiency Cancellation Notice**

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### 1.3.4. Southern CA Region Restricted Maintenance Operations - Gas Supply Insufficiency Cancellation Notice

#### Southern CA Region

Southern CA Region Restricted Maintenance Operations - Gas Supply Insufficiency Notice CANCELLATION [Notice No.]

Effective [Date, Time] the California Independent System Operator has terminated Southern CA Region Restricted Maintenance Operations - Gas Supply Insufficiency Notice.

Southern CA Region Restricted Maintenance Operations - Gas Supply Insufficiency Notice has been in effect since [[Effective Date]].

[Reason/Details]

Refer to the CAISO System Emergency Fact Sheet

Monitor system conditions on Today's Outlook
(http://www.caiso.com/TodaysOutlook/Pages/default.aspx) and check with local electric utilities for additional information.

Notice issued at: [[Notice Post Date]]
1.3.5. Generation Restricted Maintenance Operations Cancellation Notice

CAISO Grid, Northern CA Region, Southern CA Region, or VEA Region

CAISO Grid Generation Restricted Maintenance Operations CANCELLATION [Notice No.]

Effective [Date, Time] the California Independent System Operator has terminated CAISO Grid Generation Restricted Maintenance Operations.

CAISO Grid Generation Restricted Maintenance Operations has been in effect since [Effective Date].

[Reason/Details]

Refer to the CAISO System Emergency Fact Sheet (http://www.caiso.com/Documents/SystemAlertsWarningsandEmergenciesFactSheet.pdf) for additional detail.

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1.3.6. **Transmission Emergency Cancellation** Notice

**CAISO Grid, Northern CA Region, Southern CA Region, or VEA Region**

**CAISO Grid Transmission Emergency CANCELLATION [Notice No.]**

Effective [End Date], [End Time] the California ISO terminates [CAISO Grid, Northern CA Region, Southern CA Region or VEA Region] TRANSMISSION EMERGENCY in effect since [[Effective Date]].


Notice issued at: [[Notice Post Date]]

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1.3.7. **Transmission Emergency** - Firm Load Interruptions Cancellation **Notice**

**CAISO Grid, Northern CA Region, Southern CA Region, or VEA Region**

**Firm Load Interruptions - Transmission Emergency CANCELLATION [Notice No.]**

As of [End time] the California ISO has canceled the request to shed load due to the Transmission Emergency.
### CAISO Grid, Northern CA Region, Southern CA Region, or VEA Region

Load has been restored.

Refer to the CAISO System Emergency Fact Sheet (http://www.caiso.com/Documents/SystemAlertsWarningsandEmergenciesFactSheet.pdf) for additional detail.

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#### 1.3.8. Alert/ Potential EEA 1 Cancellation Notice

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### CAISO Grid, Northern CA Region, Southern CA Region, or VEA Region

STATEWIDE ALERT CANCELLATION NOTICE [Notice No.]

Effective [Date] at [Time], the California ISO terminates the [CAISO Grid, Northern CA Region, Southern CA Region or VEA Region] ALERT in effect since [[Effective Date]].

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1.3.9. Warning/ Requesting EEA 1 or 2 Cancellation Notice

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1.3.10. Stage 1 **System Emergency/EEA 2** Cancellation Notice

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CAISO Grid Stage 1 System Emergency CANCELLATION NOTICE [Notice No.]

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1.3.11. Stage 2 **System Emergency/ EEA 3** Cancellation Notice

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1.3.12. Stage 3 **System Emergency/ EEA 3** Cancellation Notice

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**1.3.13. Stage 3 System Emergency - Firm Load Interruptions Cancellation Notice**

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1.3.14. System Emergency Cancellation Notice

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CAISO Grid System Emergency CANCELLATION [Notice No.]

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## 2. Supporting Information

### Operationally Affected Parties

Shared with the Public.

### References

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### Definitions

Unless the context otherwise indicates, any word or expression defined in the Master Definitions Supplement to the CAISO Tariff shall have that meaning when capitalized in this Operating Procedure.

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  - Aligned Flex Alert templates in procedure with AWE Tool template, per Communications request.  
  - Minor formatting and grammar throughout.                                                                                                      | 6/29/2017  |
| 8.0     | **Errata Change:** version of last publish should reflect 8.0, but was noted as 8.1 in Version History only.                                                                                               |            |
| 8.1     | **Added Section 1.2.11 and 1.2.12 for Restricted Maintenance Operations Northern and Southern CA – Gas Supply Insufficiency added to AWE Tool.** Noted **Errata Change:** for version of last update in Version History. Minor formatting and grammar updates.  
  Updated language of notices per updated templates (added California, replaced ISO with CAISO, and added websites references).                                                                 | 8/28/2018  |
| 9.0     | **Annual Review:**  
  Updating messaging; changed order of alerts to be consistent with 4420, 4420B, Flex Alert, RMO, Transmission Emergency, Alert, Warning, etc. Updated instances of ISO to CAISO. Updated energy emergency language for warning, stages 1, 2, and 3.  
  Added Table of Contents.                                                                                                                                                              | 6/15/2021  |