

COMMENTS OF THE CALIFORNIA ENERGY STORAGE ALLIANCE:

Reactive Power Requirements and Financial Compensation

Addendum to the Draft Final Proposal

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The California Energy Storage Alliance (CESA)¹ offers these brief comments on the Reactive Power Requirements and Financial Compensation Addendum to the Draft Final Proposal.² These comments build on previous CESA comments.

CESA supports the CAISO’s plan as laid out and finds the proposal to be generally reasonable, so long as the new changes are implemented such that new interconnection applicants can reasonably plan to meet the new requirements.

CESA also requests that the CAISO, where reasonable, align its reactive power initiative and eventual Tariff language to mirror or map to the language used in the IEEE 1547 process, much of which is focused on reactive power concepts, standards, and approaches. In this regard, the CAISO’s work can align and also inform other related efforts, even into Rule 21 activities.

¹ The views expressed in these Comments are those of CESA, and do not necessarily reflect the views of all of the individual CESA member companies. (<http://storagealliance.org>)

² “[Reactive Power Requirements and Financial Compensation Revised Addendum to the Draft Final Proposal](#)”, CAISO, July 21, 2016