## FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION WASHINGTON, DC 20426

## OFFICE OF ENERGY MARKET REGULATION

California Independent System Operator Corporation Docket No. ER17-170-000

December 8, 2016

California Independent System Operator Corporation 250 Outcropping Way Folsom, CA 95630

Attention: John E. Spomer Senior Counsel

Reference: Planning Coordinator Agreement

Dear Mr. Spomer:

On October 24, 2016, the California Independent System Operator Corporation (CAISO) submitted for filing a Planning Coordinator Agreement (PCA) between CAISO and the Metropolitan Water District of Southern California (MWD). The PCA sets forth the terms under which CAISO will serve as the planning coordinator for the transmission facilities owned by MWD that are part of the bulk electric system located within CAISO's balancing authority area. CAISO's tariff revisions are accepted for filing, effective December 26, 2016, as requested.<sup>1</sup>

The filing was noticed on October 25, 2016, with comments, protests, or interventions due on or before November 14, 2016. No protests or adverse comments were filed. Notices of intervention and unopposed timely filed motions to intervene are granted pursuant to the operation of Rule 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 C.F.R. § 385.214). Any opposed or untimely filed motion to intervene is governed by the provisions of Rule 214.

This acceptance for filing shall not be construed as constituting approval of the referenced filing or any rate, charge, classification or any rule, regulation or practice affecting such rate or service contained in your filed documents; nor shall such

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>California Independent System Operator Corporation, FERC FPA Electric Tariff, CAISO Rate Schedules, <u>Rate Schedule No. 84</u>, <u>PCA Between CAISO and MWD</u>, 0.0.0.

acceptance be deemed as recognition of any claimed contractual right or obligation associate therewith; and such acceptance is without prejudice to any findings or orders which have been or any which may hereafter be made by the Commission in any proceeding now pending or hereafter instituted by or against CAISO.

This action is taken pursuant to authority delegated to the Director, Division of Electric Power Regulation - West, under 18 C.F.R. § 375.307. This order constitutes final agency action. Requests for rehearing by the Commission may be filed within 30 days of the date of issuance of this order, pursuant to 18 C.F.R. § 385.713.

Sincerely,

Steve P. Rodgers, Director Division of Electric Power Regulation – West