

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
BEFORE THE
FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION**

**California Independent System
Operator Corporation**

**) Docket No. ER06-615
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**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE
JULY 2008 MRTU STATUS REPORT OF THE
CALIFORNIA INDEPENDENT SYSTEM OPERATOR CORPORATION**

The California Independent System Operator Corporation ("CAISO") respectfully requests that the Commission grant the CAISO a one-week extension of time in which to submit the monthly status report ("Report") in compliance with Paragraph 1415 of the Commission's September 21, 2006 "Order Conditionally Accepting The California Independent System Operator's Electric Tariff Filing To Reflect Market Redesign and Technology Upgrade," 116 FERC ¶ 61,274 (2006) ("September 21 Order"), issued in the above-captioned docket. The September 21 Order requires the CAISO to file monthly reports concerning the progress in designing and implementing the CAISO's Market Redesign and Technology Upgrade ("MRTU") and the status of the CAISO's MRTU readiness program. The CAISO generally submits this monthly report on the first Monday of each month.

As has been discussed in previous reports, the CAISO has been working towards a target MRTU Go Live date of October 1, 2008. However, this date is conditioned on the outcome of the ongoing market simulation, two separate Readiness Assessments scheduled for this summer, and authorization by the CAISO Board of Governors to file its readiness statement.

The next CAISO Governing Board meeting is scheduled for July 9-10, 2008, at which time CAISO management will discuss the status of the CAISO's readiness efforts. Pursuant to the September 21 Order, the next monthly report would be due to the Commission on July 7, 2008, two days before the Governing Board meets. In order to provide the Commission and interested parties with the most up-to-date information available concerning the status of MRTU, the CAISO respectfully requests a one-week extension to submit the July Report on Monday, July 14, 2008.

Thank you for your consideration in this matter. Please contact the undersigned should you have any questions.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have served the foregoing document upon the parties listed on the official service list in the captioned proceeding, in accordance with the requirements of Rule 2010 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 C.F.R. § 385.2010).

Dated at Folsom, California this 30th day of June, 2008.

/s/ Susan L. Montana

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