FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION WASHINGTON, DC 20426

OFFICE OF ENERGY MARKET REGULATION

In Reply Refer To: California Independent System Operator Corporation Docket No. ER21-2950-000

Issued: November 17, 2021

California Independent System Operator Corporation 250 Outcropping Way Folsom, CA 95630 Attention: John C. Anders

Reference: EIM Implementation Agreement

On September 28, 2021, California Independent System Operator Corporation (CAISO) filed an Energy Imbalance Market (EIM) Implementation Agreement (Agreement) with Western Area Power Administration (Western). The Agreement sets forth the terms under which CAISO will extend its real-time energy market systems to provide imbalance energy services to Western pursuant to CAISO's EIM tariff provisions. Under the Agreement, Western will compensate CAISO for its share of the costs of related system changes, software licenses, and other configuration activities. Pursuant to authority delegated to Director, Division of Electric Power Regulation – West, under 18 C.F.R. § 375.307 (2020), the Agreement is accepted for filing, effective November 28, 2021, as requested.¹

This filing was publicly noticed on September 28, 2021, with comments, protests, or motions to intervene due on or before October 19, 2021. Pursuant to Rule 214 of the Commission's regulations (18 C.F.R. § 385.214 (2020)), notices of intervention, timely-filed motions to intervene, and any unopposed motions to intervene out-of-time filed before the issuance date of this order are granted. Granting a late intervention at this stage of the proceeding will not disrupt the proceeding or place additional burdens on existing parties. No protests or adverse comments were filed.

¹ California Independent System Operator Corporation, FERC FPA Electric Tariff, CAISO Rate Schedules, <u>Rate Schedule 6916, EIM IA between CAISO and Western Area</u> <u>Power Admin (0.0.0)</u>.

This action does not constitute approval of any service, rate, charge, classification, or any rule, regulation, contract, or practice affecting such rate or service provided for in the filed documents; nor shall such action be deemed as recognition of any claimed contractual right or obligation affecting or relating to such service or rate; and such action is without prejudice to any findings or orders which have been or may hereafter be made by the Commission in any proceeding now pending or hereafter instituted by or against CAISO.

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 (2020).

Issued by: Steven T. Wellner, Director - Division of Electric Power Regulation - West