

**Oasis Power Partners, LLC
c/o EDF Renewable Energy, Inc.
15445 Innovation Drive
San Diego, CA 92128**

March 2, 2017

California Independent System Operator
250 Outcropping Way
Folsom, California 95630

Re: PIRP Protective Measures

Dear Sir or Madam:

I am writing this letter on behalf of Oasis Power Partners, LLC (“Oasis”) to urge the California Independent System Operator (“CAISO”) to extend the PIRP Protective Measures for our project. Oasis supports generally the positions of the California Wind Energy Association (“CalWEA”) in this respect.

Oasis owns and operates a 60 MW wind project and is under contract to sell all of the output from our project to San Diego Gas and Electric Company (“SDG&E”). Oasis currently receives PIRP Protective Measures because, under our contract with SDG&E, Oasis is responsible for CAISO real time settlements and does not have the ability to mitigate its exposure to imbalance costs or otherwise respond to CAISO market price signals. The PIRP Protective Measures carry forward the monthly imbalance netting feature of PIRP upon which our contract with SDG&E was, in part, based.


In addition, because our contract was entered into long before the market enhancements implemented in response to FERC Order 764 were made, many of the contractual parameters related to scheduling and settlements were premised upon the timelines and mechanics in effect prior to such market enhancements. The PIRP Protective Measures continue to apply these timelines and mechanics and allow us to avoid potentially difficult contract interpretation issues and disputes.

Oasis has been in discussions with SDG&E in an attempt to modify our contract and avoid the need for PIRP Protective Measures. Oasis is hopeful that these negotiations will bear fruit, but does not expect that they will be completed by April 30, 2017.

As indicated in CalWEA’s comments, OASIS relied upon the existence of the monthly netting feature of PIRP and other related market mechanics and should not be penalized by losing the benefit of PIRP Protective Measures after expiration of the arbitrary initial three-year time period

initially set forth for the Protective Measures. OASIS will continue to pursue a contract amendment with SDG&E in good faith and requests that PIRP Protective Measures continue to apply while we do so. It is important to recognize that our contract with SDG&E will expire at the end of 2019, so this extension will only apply, at most, for an additional 32 months.

Sincerely,



Jeanie Lopez
Asset Manager