California Independent System Operator Corporation



October 10, 2017

The Honorable Kimberly D. Bose Secretary Federal Energy Regulatory Commission 888 First Street, NE Washington, DC 20426

Re: California Independent System Operator Corporation Docket No. ER17-2179-___

Compliance Filing to Correct Tariff Section Cross-Reference

Dear Secretary Bose:

The California Independent System Operator Corporation (CAISO) respectfully submits this filing in compliance with the Commission's directive in its September 21, 2017, order.¹ On July 28, 2017, the CAISO proposed a tariff amendment to eliminate the requirement in its tariff to develop a conceptual statewide plan as part of the CAISO's annual regional transmission planning process. The September 21 order accepted the CAISO's tariff amendment, subject to a compliance filing to correct an administrative oversight, effective September 27, 2017, as requested.

This filing modifies CAISO tariff section 24.13 to remove the erroneous reference to tariff section 24.4.4, as it was deleted in its entirety. Included with this filing are the following attachments:

Attachment A	Clean CAISO tariff language incorporating the tariff revision a clean version of the tariff revision; and
Attachment B	Red-lined tariff language showing the revision to the tariff section.

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Cal. Indep. Sys. Operator Corp. 160 FERC ¶ 61,106 (2017) (September 21 order).

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The CAISO respectfully requests that the Commission accept this change to be effective September 27, 2017, consistent with the Commission's September 21 order.

Respectfully submitted,

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Counsel for the California Independent System Operator Corporation Attachment A – Clean Tariff Records Compliance Filing to Correct Tariff Section Cross-Reference California Independent System Operator Corporation

24.13 Interregional Transmission Proposals in the Regional Process

Under the procedures set forth in Sections 24.3.3(d) and 24.4.3, the CAISO may consider potential interregional solutions to regional needs during Phase 2 of the Transmission Planning Process. Potential interregional solutions submitted to the CAISO pursuant to these sections will be evaluated on the basis of the need for the entire proposed facility as a CAISO regional solution, the costs of which would be recovered through the Transmission Access Charge if approved as part of the comprehensive Transmission Plan. A potential interregional solution found by the CAISO to meet identified regional needs will be submitted to the CAISO Board for approval in the Transmission Plan and, if approved and applicable, the Project Sponsor will be selected in accordance with the competitive solicitation process described in Section 24.5. Subsequently, the Project Sponsor may elect to have the project studied by Relevant Planning Regions other than the CAISO pursuant to section 24.18.3 and may elect to seek Interregional Cost Allocation per section 24.18.4. The Project Sponsor must comply with the submission requirements contained in sections 24.18.3.1 and 24.18.4.1, respectively. The CAISO may also identify an interregional solution to the Relevant Planning Regions if the CAISO believes such conceptual solution could provide benefits to the other Planning Regions.

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Attachment B – Marked Tariff Records Compliance Filing to Correct Tariff Section Cross-Reference California Independent System Operator Corporation

24.13 Interregional Transmission Proposals in the Regional Process

Under the procedures set forth in Sections 24.3.3(d), and 24.4.3 and 24.4.4, the CAISO may consider potential interregional solutions to regional needs during Phase 2 of the Transmission Planning Process. Potential interregional solutions submitted to the CAISO pursuant to these sections will be evaluated on the basis of the need for the entire proposed facility as a CAISO regional solution, the costs of which would be recovered through the Transmission Access Charge if approved as part of the comprehensive Transmission Plan. A potential interregional solution found by the CAISO to meet identified regional needs will be submitted to the CAISO Board for approval in the Transmission Plan and, if approved and applicable, the Project Sponsor will be selected in accordance with the competitive solicitation process described in Section 24.5. Subsequently, the Project Sponsor may elect to have the project studied by Relevant Planning Regions other than the CAISO pursuant to section 24.18.3 and may elect to seek Interregional Cost Allocation per section 24.18.4. The Project Sponsor must comply with the submission requirements contained in sections 24.18.3.1 and 24.18.4.1, respectively. The CAISO may also identify an interregional solution to the Relevant Planning Regions if the CAISO believes such conceptual solution could provide benefits to the other Planning Regions.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that I have served the foregoing document upon the parties listed on the official service list in the captioned proceedings, 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 10th day of October, 2017.

<u>/s/ Grace Clark</u> Grace Clark