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OFFICE OF ENERGY MARKET REGULATION

California Independent System Operator  
Corporation  
Docket No. ER18-2380-000

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California Independent System Operator  
Corporation  
250 Outcropping Way  
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Attention: Jordan Pinjuv  
Senior Counsel

Reference: Eligible Intermittent Resources Tariff Revisions

Dear Mr. Pinjuv

On September 6, 2018, the California Independent System Operator Corporation (CAISO) filed revisions to clarify existing obligations for eligible intermittent resources to comply with CAISO-issued dispatch instructions under its tariff. Specifically, CAISO states the proposed tariff revisions: (1) clarify that eligible intermittent resources should generate as capable when the resource's dispatch operating target is equal to its forecasted output; otherwise, if the resource's dispatch operating target is below its forecast, the resource should not exceed its dispatch operating target; (2) clarify the definitions of "dispatch operating target" and "dispatch operating point" to synchronize with how the terms are used in CAISO's Business Practice Manual; and (3) replace the term "operating order" with "operating instruction" to be consistent with North American Electric Reliability Corporation Reliability Standard COM 002-4. CAISO's tariff revisions are accepted for filing, effective November 6, 2018, as requested.

The filing was noticed on September 6, 2018, with comments, protests, or interventions due on or before September 27, 2018. 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 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 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.

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