PG&E’s Comments on Forbidden Operating Region Tariff Language

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Pacific Gas & Electric Company (PG&E) appreciates the opportunity to comment Forbidden Operating Region (FOR) tariff language.

**Background**

**CAISO Proposed Tariff Changes**

The CAISO has proposed tariff changes to reflect the implementation of Forbidden Operating Regions (FOR). These changes are intended to express the following market rules:

- The CAISO will not dispatch a resource within its FOR in the Real - Time Market, unless it is being dispatched through the FOR, in which case the resource will be dispatched in the direction that it entered the FOR at the maximum applicable Ramp Rate over consecutive Dispatch intervals.

- A resource ramping through a Forbidden Operating Region shall not set the Real - Time LMP at its location.

- A resource with a Forbidden Operating Region cannot provide Ancillary Services in Real - Time for a particular fifteen (15) minute dispatch interval unless that resource can complete its transit through the relevant Forbidden Operating Region within that particular dispatch interval.

**Comments**

**No Suggested Tariff Changes.** PG&E is supportive of the CAISO’s proposed tariff language and believes that it accurately reflects the Technical Bulletin.