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## CALIFORNIA INDEPENDENT SYSTEM OPERATOR

To whom it may concern:

Seattle City Light is a municipal utility that serves approximately 400,000 retail customers in Seattle and surrounding cities. Seattle City Light owns generation and transmission assets and is active in western energy markets to ensure reliable, low-cost service to our customers. We thank the California Independent System Operator (CAISO) for the opportunity to comment on the proposed changes to the tariff language for the flexible ramping product.

Seattle City Light supports the proposed tariff changes.

Seattle City Light requests that CAISO establish a specific time period or set of conditions that would trigger a re-examination of how this addition and all changes to the market are working as the EIM expands regionally. Similarly, in the event the CAISO is authorized to, and does in fact, evolve into a "Western ISO" operating both inside and outside the state of California, Seattle City Light requests that the flexible ramping product be reevaluated at that time.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'R. Cromwell, Jr.', written over a white background.

Robert W. Cromwell, Jr., Director  
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Seattle City Light