California Department of Water Resources State Water Project Comments on Need for SLIC to SIBR Interface

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Per the May 12, 2011 CAISO Market Notice requesting comments on the need to implement a SLIC to SIBR interface, the California Department of Water Resources State Water Project (SWP) respectfully submits the following comment.

1. Need for SLIC to SIBR Interface

The SWP does not consider a SLIC to SIBR Interface to be a priority at this time. Additional market simulations or initiatives that require extensive system and software changes are difficult in this current budget environment. If a new Outage Management System will replace SLIC in 2012 we look forward to participating in the respective Stakeholder process.