Notice

To: David Olsen, Chair, Board of Governors  
    John Prescott, Chair, EIM Governing Body  
From: Roger Collanton, Vice President, General Counsel and Corporate Secretary  
Date: September 8, 2020  
Re: Notice of Planned Decisional Classification for “FERC Order 831 – Import Bidding and Market Parameters”

Any objection by the Chairs to this decisional classification is due by September 11, 2020.

This is formal notice of ISO Management’s decisional classification for the initiative “FERC Order 831 – import bidding and market parameters.” Any objection by the Chairs to the decisional classification is due by September 11, 2020. Otherwise, this initiative will be presented for decision consistent with the classification described below.¹

This initiative falls within the EIM Governing Body’s advisory role (E2). This means that the initiative will be presented to the ISO Board of Governors for approval with any advisory input from the EIM Governing Body that it elects to provide.

This classification is consistent with the classification presented in the Briefing on Policy Outlook at the June 30, 2020 EIM Governing Body meeting.

The draft final proposal for this initiative has been revised twice. Following the draft final proposal dated April 23, 2020, Management posted a Revised Draft Final Proposal on July 22, 2020, and then a Final Proposal on August 24, 2020, which was a further revision of the July 22 proposal. The Final Proposal is located here. Additional relevant papers for this initiative are located here.

Written stakeholder comments on the final proposal, including the proposed classification, were due September 4, 2020. There were no objections to the decisional classification in the draft final proposal. We note that a group of EIM Entities that had objected to the proposed decisional classification in earlier papers, stated with respect to the Final Proposal and its advisory classification that they “do not challenge this recommendation.”

¹ The process is described in the Guidance for Handling Initiatives within the Decisional Authority or Advisory Role of the EIM Governing Body.