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California ISO Ends Transmission Emergency

FOLSOM, Calif. –The California Independent System Operator Corporation (ISO) has cancelled the transmission emergency that has been in effect since approximately 1:30 p.m. today. While the transmission line that was downed during the storm today remains out of service, other transmission capacity has been made available and is allowing the ISO to cancel the emergency conditions. The ISO would like to thank those Northern Californian's who responded to earlier calls for conservation. It is difficult to quantify but your efforts do make a difference.

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