

February 7, 2020

The Honorable Kimberly D. Bose Secretary Federal Energy Regulatory Commission 888 First Street, NE Washington, DC 20426

> **California Independent System Operator Corporation** Re: Docket No. ER20- -000

> > **Notice of Cancellation of Reliability Coordinator Services** Agreement with Los Angeles Department of Water and Power

Dear Secretary Bose:

The California Independent System Operator Corporation (CAISO) submits for Commission acceptance this notice of cancellation of the non-conforming Reliability Coordinator Services Agreement (Agreement) between the CAISO and Los Angeles Department of Water and Power (LADWP). The CAISO requests cancellation of the Agreement because it has been superseded by a version of the Reliability Coordinator Services Agreement (RCSA) recently executed by the CAISO and LADWP that conforms to the pro forma agreement in the CAISO tariff. Cancellation of the Agreement is also consistent with representations the CAISO made when it filed the Agreement with the Commission. The CAISO respectfully requests that the Commission accept this notice of cancellation effective January 24, 2020, the execution date of the conforming RCSA.

I. **Background and Basis for Cancellation**

In 2019, the CAISO filed the Agreement for Commission acceptance. The CAISO explained in the filing that the Agreement was non-conforming only with respect to the termination provision set forth in section 3.1 thereto and that, following authorization by LADWP's City Council, LADWP was expected to enter into a superseding Reliability Coordinator Services Agreement with the CAISO that would

The CAISO submits this filing pursuant to Section 35.15 of the Commission's regulations, 18 C.F.R. § 35.15. The Agreement is designated as Service Agreement No. 5020 under the CAISO tariff.

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conform to the *pro forma* RCSA set forth in the CAISO tariff.² The Commission issued a letter order accepting the Agreement for filing and granting the CAISO's requested effective date of July 1, 2019.³

The LADWP City Council subsequently provided the referenced authorization, and the CAISO and LADWP have executed the *pro forma* RCSA effective January 24, 2020. Consequently, the Agreement is no longer necessary and should be cancelled. The CAISO respectfully requests that the Commission accept this notice of cancellation effective January 24. Good cause exists for the Commission to grant the requested cancellation date in order to permit the Agreement to be cancelled simultaneously with the effectiveness of the superseding RCSA.⁴

II. Communications

Communications and correspondence regarding this filing should be addressed to the following individual:

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III. Service

The CAISO has served this filing on LADWP and all parties on the official service list for the proceeding in which the Commission accepted the Agreement for filing (Docket No. ER19-2288).

Transmittal letter for filing of Agreement, Docket No. ER19-2288-000, at 2 (June 28, 2019). The *pro forma* RCSA is set forth in appendix B.22 to the CAISO tariff.

³ Commission Letter Order, Docket No. ER19-2288-000 (Aug. 21, 2019).

After the Commission accepts this notice of cancellation, the CAISO will record the RCSA in its Electronic Quarterly Report for Q1 2020 effective January 24, 2020. This will ensure the seamless continuity of reliability coordinator services between when the Agreement was cancelled and the RCSA went into effect.

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IV. Conclusion

For the reasons stated above, the CAISO respectfully requests that the Commission accept this notice of cancellation of the Agreement effective January 24, 2020.

Respectfully submitted,

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