FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20426

California Independent System Operator Corporation

Docket Nos. ER09-556-000

ER08-367-003 ER06-615-003

ER09-556-002

and ER08-367-007

November 12, 2009

Alston & Bird LLP The Atlantic Building 950 F Street, NW Washington, DC 20004-1404

Attention: Bradley R. Miliauskas, Esquire

Attorney for California Independent System

Operator Corporation

Reference: Motion to Modify Effective Date of Certain Tariff Provisions

Dear Mr. Miliauskas:

On November 4, 2009, the California Independent System Operator Corporation (CAISO) filed a motion to modify the effective date of tariff sections 34.5(10), 34.15.1(c), and 34.15.5, involving simplified ramping. The Commission previously accepted these tariff sections with an effective date of November 5, 2009. ¹ The CAISO states that it now needs to postpone the effective date of the provisions to November 12, 2009 so that it has sufficient time to ensure that it has fully resolved an apparently minor inconsistency it has observed while testing the software modifications needed to implement simplified ramping. The November 12, 2009 effective date for sections 34.5(10), 34.15.1(c), and 34.15.5 is accepted.

This filing was noticed on November 6, 2009, with comments, protests, or motions to intervene due on or before November 9, 2009. No protests or comments were filed. Notices of intervention and unopposed timely filed motions to intervene are granted pursuant to the operation of Rule 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and

¹ *See* California Independent System Operator Corporation, Docket Nos. ER09-556-002, <u>et al.</u>, delegated letter order issued October 6, 2009.

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Procedure (18 C.F.R. § 385.214). Any opposed or untimely filed motion to intervene is governed by the provisions of Rule 214.

This acceptance for filing shall not be construed as constituting approval of the referenced filing or of any rate, charge, classification or any rule, regulation or practice affecting such rate or service contained in your tariff; nor shall such acceptance be deemed as recognition of any claimed contractual right or obligation associated therewith; and such acceptance is without prejudice to any findings or orders which have been or any which may hereafter be made by the Commission in any proceeding now pending or hereafter instituted by or against California Independent System Operator Corporation.

This action is taken pursuant to the authority delegated to the Director, Division Tariffs and Market Development – West, under 18 C.F.R. § 375.307. This order constitutes final agency action. Requests for rehearing by the Commission may be filed within 30 days of the date of issuance of this order pursuant to 18 C.F.R. § 385.713.

Sincerely,

Steve P. Rodgers, Director Division of Electric Power Regulation -West

cc: All Parties

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