

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION

California Independent System
Operator Corporation

Docket No. ER11-2256-000

NOTICE OF EXTENSION OF TIME

(August 25, 2011)

On April 28, 2011, Commission staff convened a technical conference to discuss issues related to the California Independent System Operator Corporation's (CAISO) capacity procurement mechanism compensation methodology and exceptional dispatch mitigation provisions.¹ On May 20, 2011, CAISO filed a motion for an extension of time to file initial comments and reply comments on the technical conference. The motion stated that CAISO intended to attempt to reach a joint resolution of the outstanding issues with parties. The Commission granted CAISO's motion for extension of time on May 23, 2011. The Commission has since, at CAISO's request, granted two additional extensions of time. On August 25, 2011, CAISO filed a motion for a fourth extension of time, requesting an additional 60 days to file comments. CAISO states that the parties are making progress, but have not yet completed, drafting the settlement documents. CAISO asserts that extending the comment filing dates by approximately 60 days should afford sufficient time for the parties to complete the settlement documents and submit the settlement to the Commission. Upon consideration, all parties are granted an extension of time to file initial comments until October 28, 2011. Post-technical conference reply comments are due on or before November 15, 2011.

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¹ *Cal. Indep. Sys. Operator Corp.*, 134 FERC ¶ 61,211, at P2 (2011).