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California Independent System  
Operator Corporation  
Docket No. ER12-1237-000  
**April 13, 2012**

California Independent System  
Operator Corporation  
250 Outcropping Way  
Folsom, CA 95630

Attention: John C. Anders, Esquire  
Senior Counsel for California Independent System  
Operator Corporation

Reference: Extension of term of Participating Load Agreement

Dear Mr. Anders:

On March 9, 2012, the California Independent System Operator Corporation (CAISO) submitted an Amended Participating Load Agreement (PLA) with the California Department of Water Resources (CDWR) (Amended PLA). CAISO states the Amended PLA, which modifies Section 3.2, Termination, extends the current PLA for an additional four months without any other changes. CAISO notes that this extension of the term of the current PLA will allow additional time for the parties to complete their negotiation of substantive changes to the current PLA. Waiver of the Commission's notice requirements pursuant to section 35.11 of the Commission's rules and regulations (18 C.F.R. § 35.11) is granted, and the Amended PLA is accepted for filing, effective March 10, 2012, as requested.

This filing was noticed on March 9, 2012, with comments, protests, or motions to intervene due on or before March 30, 2012. No protests or adverse 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 Procedure (18 C.F.R. § 385.214). Any opposed or untimely filed motion to intervene is governed by the provisions of Rule 214.

This action does not constitute approval of any service, rate, charge, classification, or any rule, regulation, contract, or practice affecting such rate or service provided for in

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the filed documents; nor shall such action be deemed as recognition of any claimed contractual right or obligation affecting or relating to such service or rate; and such action is without prejudice to any findings or orders which have been or 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 authority delegated to the Director, Division of Electric Power Regulation - 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

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