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OFFICE OF ENERGY MARKET REGULATION

California Independent System Operator Corporation
Docket No. ER11-2086-000

February 17, 2011

California Independent System Operator Corporation
151 Blue Ravine Road
Folsom, California 95630

Attention: David S. Zlotlow
Counsel

Reference: Disposition of Proceeds of Penalty Assessments

Dear Mr. Zlotlow:

On November 11, 2010, California Independent System Operator Corporation (CAISO) submitted for filing a petition seeking Commission approval of the disposition of proceeds of penalty assessments (Distribution Plan) collected pursuant to section 37.9 of the CAISO Tariff. CAISO proposes to distribute the proceeds in accordance with the allocation set forth in Attachment 1 of the proposed Distribution Plan, and requests confidential treatment of Attachment 1 under 18 C.F.R. § 112.¹ The proposed Distribution Plan is accepted.

This filing was noticed on November 15, 2010, with comments, protests, or motions to intervene due on or before December 3, 2010. 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 Procedure (18 C.F.R. § 385.214). Any opposed or untimely filed motion to intervene is governed by the provisions of Rule 214.

¹ CAISO is not required by the Tariff to publicly disclose information that would allow parties to determine which Market Participants were assessed penalties. CAISO states that it has chosen not to disclose the identities of such Market Participants because the violations appeared to be without malicious intent and either revolved reporting oversights by the Scheduling Coordinators or were self-reported.

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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 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 your company.

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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