UNITED STATES OF AMERICA BEFORE THE FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION

Oakland Power Company, LLC)

Docket No. ER23-574-000

STATEMENT OF THE CALIFORNIA INDEPENDENT SYSTEM OPERATOR CORPORATION IN SUPPORT OF REQUESTED AMENDMENT TO MUST-RUN SERVICE AGREEMENT

Pursuant to the Joint Offer of Settlement and Settlement Agreement (Settlement) filed by Oakland Power Company LLC (Oakland Power) in Docket No. ER22-290-000 on May 10, 2023 and the Letter Order of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission ("FERC" or "Commission") dated August 24, 2023, approving that Settlement, 184 FERC ¶ 61,120 (2023), the California Independent System Operator Corporation ("CAISO") hereby submits this Statement of Support for the Amendment to Must-run Service Agreement (RMR Agreement) for Recovery of Costs of CARB Compliance filing made by Oakland Power on September 25, 2023, under the terms of the Settlement in this docket.

I. Background

The CAISO is the balancing authority responsible for the reliable operation of the electric grid comprising the transmission systems of a number of utilities. As part of those obligations, it has an RMR Agreement with Oakland Power, under which Oakland makes annual rate filings. The CAISO filed Notices of Intervention in the rate filing for Contract Years 2022 (Docket No. ER22-290-000), and it supported the Settlement in this docket that provided for Oakland to make a filing amending the RMR Agreement to enable it to recover the costs of emissions allowances incurred in 2022

and 2023 to comply with its obligations under California's Cap-and-Trade Program,

but requiring an offset against payments Oakland was otherwise entitled to for service

in excess of the Contract Service Limits set forth on Schedule A of its RMR Agreement.

As part of that Settlement, the CAISO agreed to submit a Statement of Support in

response to the amendment Oakland has now made.

II. **Statement of Support**

Oakland Power's September 25, 2023 filing, which amends Article 7 of the

RMR Agreement, reflects the Settlement terms, and the CAISO therefore supports the

amended filing.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Mary Anne Sullivan

Mary Anne Sullivan

HOGAN LOVELLS US LLP 555 13th Street, N.W.

Washington, D.C. 20004

Tel: (202) 637-5600

Fax: (202) 637-5633

Maryanne.Sullivan@hoganlovells.com

Counsel for the California Independent

System Operator Corporation

Dated: October 12, 2023

2