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**Renewable
Northwest
Project**

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**Board of Governors
California Independent System Operator
PO Box 639014
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Dear Board of Governors:

I am writing on behalf of Renewable Northwest Project (RNP) in support of the PacifiCorp and California Independent System Operator (ISO) real-time energy imbalance market (EIM) Final Governance Proposal. RNP is a non-profit coalition of renewable energy businesses, environmental organizations, and consumer advocates that promote the development of a clean energy economy.

The proposed EIM Transitional Committee is structured to provide timely guidance from a diverse set of stakeholders from around the Western Interconnection. RNP supports a diverse and independent board structure to guide the EIM toward a design that will attract as many participants as possible from around the West. We especially appreciate the recommendation to include distinct stakeholder sectors for "government agencies" and "public interest entities."

A well-designed EIM will improve the reliability of the regional transmission system; it will allow more renewable energy to cost-effectively integrate into the existing grid; and it will decrease ratepayers' bills by optimizing the efficiency of within-hour dispatch. As such, RNP strongly encourages the Board of Governors to approve the EIM Draft Final Governance Proposal.

Sincerely,


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