

California ISO Readiness Notes

Title: E-Tag – Auto Approval Change

Change to be implemented: E-Tag Auto approval change

Change type: Business process change

Expected Implementation Date: November 15, 2023

System Outage Time: No impact/No application outage required

Link to associated Operating Procedures:

[2510](#) NERC Tagging Requirements

[5210A](#) Transmission Desk Logging

Additional Details:

The California ISO will be implementing a change to its E-Tag business practice and operating procedure associated with the auto approval of E-Tags after the T-20 submission deadline. Per NERC and NAESB standards, the T-20 deadline is the latest time an E-Tag can be submitted before the time classification is “Late”.

Effective November 15, 2023 the California ISO will be implementing a change to its current E-Tag process. Currently the ISO auto approves any late tag submitted after T-20. Due to the reliability impact of late tag submittal the ISO will no longer auto approve E-tags submitted after T-20 (i.e. less than 20 minutes before the start of the operating hour).

Change to go in to effect:

The CAISO will no longer automatically approve E-Tags submitted after T-20 (i.e. less than 20 minutes before the start of the operating hour). However, when applicable for reliability reasons, the ISO may manually approve any late E-tags on a case-by-case basis.

For questions regarding this change please submit a CIDI ticket or contact CustomerReadiness@caiso.com or your customer service representative at (916) 608-7320.