



April 30, 2026

The Honorable Debbie-Anne A. Reese
Secretary
Federal Energy Regulatory Commission
888 First Street, NE
Washington, DC 20426

Re: California Independent System Operator Corporation

**Notice of Termination of Nodal Pricing Model Agreement and
Request for Expedited Termination Effective Date**

Docket No. ER26-____-000

Dear Secretary Reese:

The California Independent System Operator Corporation (“CAISO”) files for Commission acceptance this notice of termination (“Notice of Termination”) of the Nodal Pricing Model Agreement (“Agreement”) between the CAISO and PacifiCorp.¹ The CAISO requests that the Commission accept the Notice of Termination effective May 1, 2026. The Agreement provides for termination by PacifiCorp if it joins an extended day-ahead market operated by the CAISO. PacifiCorp will commence participation in the Extended Day-Ahead Market (“EDAM”) operated by the CAISO on May 1, 2026 and has requested concurrent termination according to the Agreement. Therefore, good cause exists for the Commission to accept this Notice of Termination effective as of May 1.

I. Background

The Agreement was filed with the Commission on December 20, 2019 in Docket No. ER20-664, and was accepted effective March 1, 2020 as requested

¹ The CAISO submits this filing pursuant to section 35.15 of the Commission’s regulations, 18 C.F.R. § 35.15. The Agreement is designated as CAISO Rate Schedule No. 6052.

by the CAISO.² An amendment to the Agreement was accepted in Docket No. ER24-215-000 effective January 1, 2024 as requested by the CAISO.³

The Agreement details the contractual terms, including the scope of work necessary to provide PacifiCorp the nodal pricing model solution, and establishes the nodal pricing model services fee that PacifiCorp pays the CAISO to compensate for the service. In essence, the CAISO provides informational day-ahead market results for the PacifiCorp balancing areas, *i.e.*, without financial settlement, which PacifiCorp uses for allocation of its power costs among the states in which PacifiCorp provides retail electric service.

II. Notice of Termination

The sole purpose of this filing is to provide notice that the Agreement will terminate when PacifiCorp commences EDAM participation on May 1, 2026. Section 2.2.2 of the Agreement allows Pacificorp to submit a termination notice without additional procedure if Pacificorp joins a day-ahead market operated by the CAISO. Pacificorp meets this requirement because it is proceeding towards EDAM participation on May 1, 2026, and has notified the CAISO accordingly. Consistent with the Section 2.3 of the Agreement, charges incurred prior to termination will be invoiced and settled according to the Agreement using a CAISO invoice that prorates the final billing period as applicable.

III. Request for Expedited Termination Effective Date

The CAISO requests that the Commission accept the Notice of Termination effective May 1, 2026. This termination date is concurrent with PacifiCorp's planned participation in EDAM and is consistent the Agreement. The Commission's regulations state in relevant part that, "[f]or good cause shown, the Commission may by order provide that the notice of cancellation or termination shall be effective as of a date . . . prior to the date the filing would become effective in accordance with these rules."⁴ Good cause exists for the Commission to grant the requested May 1, 2026 effective date for the Notice of Termination because no prejudice will result to any party, PacifiCorp's participation in EDAM is imminent, the Agreement provides for termination under these circumstances, and there is no reason for PacifiCorp to receive the service from the CAISO or pay for the service after it commences participation in EDAM.

² *Cal. Indep. Sys. Operator Corp.*, 170 FERC ¶ 61,169 (2020).

³ *Cal. Indep. Sys. Operator Corp.*, Commission letter order, Docket No. ER24-215-000, (Dec. 21, 2023).

⁴ 18 C.F.R. § 35.15(a).

IV. Service

The CAISO has served copies of this filing upon PacifiCorp, the California Public Utilities Commission, the California Energy Commission, and all parties on the official service list for the previous proceedings that concerned the original submission of the Agreement and the amendment thereto (*i.e.*, Docket Nos. ER20-664 and ER24-215). In addition, the CAISO has posted the filing on its website.

V. Correspondence

Pursuant to Rule 203(b) of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure,⁵ the CAISO requests that all correspondence, pleadings, and other communications regarding this filing be directed to the following:

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⁵ 18 C.F.R. § 385.203(b).

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VI. Conclusion

For the reasons provided above, the CAISO requests that the Commission accept this Notice of Termination of the Agreement effective May 1, 2026. If there are any questions or concerns pertaining to this filing, please contact the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,

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