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OFFICE OF ENERGY POLICY AND INNOVATION

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In Reply Refer To:
Electric Storage Participation in Regions with
Organized Wholesale Electric Markets
Docket No. AD16-20-000

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Dear Messieurs:

On April 20, 2016, the ISO/RTO Council (IRC) filed a motion for a 21-day extension of time (motion) from May 2, 2016 to May 23, 2016 to respond to the data requests issued on April 11, 2016 in the above-referenced proceeding. IRC states that additional time is needed to develop thorough and accurate responses to the data requests, including performing necessary analysis to formulate complete answers. IRC requests a commensurate extension to the May 23, 2016 deadline for comments from other parties. IRC states that its motion will not adversely affect any party.

Pursuant to the authority delegated to the Director, Office of Energy Policy and Innovation under 18 C.F.R. § 375.315 (2015), IRC's motion is granted in part, extending the deadline for submitting responses to the data requests to and including May 16, 2016. The deadline for responding to the request for comments is extended to and including June 6, 2016.

This action does not constitute approval of any service, rate, charge, classification, or any rule, regulation, 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 acceptance 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 any of the applicant(s).

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.

If you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact Michael Herbert at (202) 502-8929 or michael.herbert@ferc.gov.

Sincerely,

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