

which this Section 27 shall cease to apply, which date shall not be less than seven (7) days after the Notice of Full-Scale Operations is posted.

**27.2** For so long as this Section 27.2 remains in effect, Scheduling Coordinators shall continue to be allowed to specify Adjustment Bids for Dispatchable Loads and exports, conditioned on the rule that the last segment of the Adjustment Bid (i.e., the maximum MW value) must equal the preferred MW operating point specified for the Dispatchable Load or export.

**28. TEMPORARY RULE DISQUALIFYING CERTAIN ENERGY AND ANCILLARY SERVICE BIDS**

**28.1 Application and Termination**

The temporary change disqualifying certain Energy and Ancillary Service bids set out in Section 28.2 shall continue in effect until November 15, 2000, unless its effectiveness is extended by order of the FERC.

**28.2 Disqualification of Certain Energy and Ancillary Service Bids**

The ISO may establish price levels for the Imbalance Energy market and/or for any Ancillary Service market above which any bid for a Settlement Period to which the price level applies will be rejected. The ISO shall establish such price levels in accordance with criteria adopted by the ISO Governing Board from time to time and shall publish such price levels on WEnet or the ISO Home Page in advance of the first Settlement Period for which the ceiling price levels apply.

**29. [NOT USED]**

**30. YEAR 2000 COMPLIANCE**

### **30.1 Y2K Compliance**

“Y2K Compliance” or “Y2K Compliant” means hardware, software, firmware, or other systems or processes (hereafter “systems and processes”) that correctly manage, calculate, compare and sequence date data from, into and between the 20<sup>th</sup> and 21<sup>st</sup> centuries, including leap year calculations, without human intervention. Y2K Compliant systems and processes must utilize input and output date formats that are compatible with the ISO’s systems and processes, must conform to the International Organization for Standardization ISO 8601:1988 standards for representation of dates and must not cause incorrect date calculations.

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