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The Honorable Kimberly D. Bose  
Secretary  
Federal Energy Regulatory Commission  
888 First Street, NE  
Washington, D.C. 20426

**Re: California Independent System Operator Corporation  
Docket Nos. ER06-615-\_\_\_\_, ER07-1257-\_\_\_\_, ER08-73-\_\_\_\_,  
ER08-367-\_\_\_\_, ER08-519-\_\_\_\_, ER08-585-\_\_\_\_, ER08-1059-\_\_\_\_,  
ER09-169-\_\_\_\_, ER09-213-\_\_\_\_, ER09-239-\_\_\_\_, ER09-241-\_\_\_\_,  
OA08-12-\_\_\_\_, and OA08-113-\_\_\_\_  
Informational Filing Regarding Effective Dates of MRTU Tariff  
Sheets**

Dear Secretary Bose:

In orders issued in the above-referenced proceedings, the Commission directed the California Independent System Operator Corporation ("ISO") to make an informational filing specifying the effective date of the tariff sheets being accepted in those orders prior to the implementation of the ISO's Market Redesign and Technology Upgrade ("MRTU") program.<sup>1</sup> Pursuant to these Commission directives, the ISO submits this informational filing specifying the

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<sup>1</sup> See *California Independent System Operator Corp.*, 125 FERC ¶ 61,262, at P 119 (2008); *California Independent System Operator Corp.*, 125 FERC ¶ 61,328, at P 20 and Ordering Paragraph (C) (2008); *California Independent System Operator Corp.*, 125 FERC ¶ 61,338, at P 19 and Ordering Paragraph (C) (2008); *California Independent System Operator Corp.*, 125 FERC ¶ 61,384, at P 28 and Ordering Paragraph (D) (2008); *California Independent System Operator Corp.*, 126 FERC ¶ 61,081, at Ordering Paragraph (C) (2009); *California Independent System Operator Corp.*, 126 FERC ¶ 61,082, at P 1 and Ordering Paragraph (B) (2009); *California Independent System Operator Corp.*, 126 FERC ¶ 61,099, at Ordering Paragraphs (A) and (D) (2009); *California Independent System Operator Corp.*, 126 FERC ¶ 61,149, at P 20 and Ordering Paragraph (D) (2009); *California Independent System Operator Corp.*, 126 FERC ¶ 61,165, at P 36 n.39 (2009); *California Independent System Operator Corp.*, 126 FERC ¶ 61,211, at P 1 n.2 (2009)..

effective date of the affected MRTU tariff sheets as March 31, 2009, with two exceptions.<sup>2</sup>

The first exception is that the MRTU tariff sheets contained in the pending tariff amendment the ISO submitted in Docket No. ER09-710-000 to address the division of responsibility between the ISO's control centers (First Revised Sheet No. 93, First Revised Sheet No. 94, and Original Sheet No. 94A) will be effective April 15, 2009, as stated on those tariff sheets, unless the Commission directs a different effective date.<sup>3</sup> The second exception is that First Revised Sheet No. 639, Second Revised Sheet No. 651, Original Sheet No. 652B, and Original Sheet No. 652C will be effective October 1, 2009, pursuant to the Commission's approval of an October 1 effective date for the revisions to those tariff sheets concerning the use of ramp rates for dispatching resources.<sup>4</sup>

In order to ensure that all interested entities receive this informational filing, the ISO is serving this filing not only on the parties to all of the Commission proceedings in which the orders listed in footnote 1 above were issued, but also on the entities that receive service of ISO tariff amendments, *i.e.*, the California Public Utilities Commission, the California Energy Commission, and all parties with effective Scheduling Coordinator Agreements under the currently effective ISO tariff and the MRTU tariff. In addition, the ISO is posting this information filing on its website.

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<sup>2</sup> After MRTU is implemented, the ISO will submit a replacement version of the MRTU tariff that incorporates the effective dates discussed in this informational filing.

<sup>3</sup> In addition, if the Commission requires that the MRTU tariff sheets contained in any other pending tariff amendments or compliance filings go into effect as of dates other than March 31, the ISO will of course adopt those different effective dates authorized by the Commission.

<sup>4</sup> See *California Independent System Operator Corp.*, 126 FERC ¶ 61,262, at PP 102-03 (2009).

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Please contact the undersigned with any questions.

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## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have served the foregoing document upon all of the entities listed in that document as receiving service, in accordance with the requirements of Rule 2010 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 C.F.R. § 385.2010).

Dated at Folsom, California this 27<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2009.

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