



Notice

To: Mary Leslie, Chair, ISO Board of Governors
Rob Kondziolka, Chair, WEIM Governing Body
Andrew Campbell, Incoming Chair, WEIM Governing Body

From: Roger Collanton, Vice President, General Counsel and Corporate Secretary

Date: June 29, 2023

Re: Notice of Planned Decisional Classification for the request to withdraw previously approved WEIM base schedule submission timeline changes

Any objection by the Chairs to this decisional classification is due by July 7, 2023.

This is formal notice of Management’s decisional classification for the request to change the timeline for submitting WEIM base schedules. Management believes that this item falls within the joint authority of the WEIM Governing Body and the ISO Board of Governors because the revised rule would apply to WEIM participants.

In 2020, the WEIM Governing Body and Board approved a tariff amendment that would have effectively allowed participants additional time to adjust their schedules, until 30 minutes prior to the hour. FERC accepted this amendment and authorized a delay of the implementation pending feasibility testing. The testing has shown that the market cannot consistently meet the planned new timelines. Accordingly, Management proposes to file an amendment to maintain the current final submission deadline at 40 minutes prior to the hour going forward.

Any objection by the Chairs to this decisional classification is due by Friday, July 7, 2023. Otherwise, the initiative will be presented for decision consistent with this classification.¹

The proposed tariff change would be “applicable to EIM Entity balancing authority areas, EIM Entities, or other market participants within EIM Entity balancing authority areas, in their capacity as participants in EIM.” It would not be applicable “only to the CAISO balancing authority area or to the CAISO-controlled grid.” Accordingly, it falls within the scope of joint authority under the currently effective rules.

¹ The process is described in the “Guidance Document,” available [here](#).

Written stakeholder comments on the meeting to present the proposed submission deadline change were due June 22, 2023. There were no objections to the decisional classification as presented at that meeting.

The presentation related to this withdrawal request is located [here](#). Additional relevant papers for this initiative are located [here](#).