Regional Planning Process Task Force Report
PJM Interconnection
Markets and Reliability Committee
The Chase Center on the Riverfront, Wilmington, DE
August 17, 2011

The Regional Planning Process Task Force (RPPTF) met on July 22, 2011. This meeting covered the following item:

NOPR Review

Order No. 1000Transmission Planning and Cost Allocation Reforms - Docket No. RM10-23-000

At the latest RPPFT meeting, a discussion was held regarding the then recently released Order No. 1000Transmission Planning and Cost Allocation Reforms - Docket No. RM10-23-000. Below are some of the highlights of the discussion:

•Order No. 1000 builds on:
   – FERC's open access reforms of Order No. 888 (1996)
   – FERC's planning reforms of Order No. 890 (2007).
•Order No. 1000 requires:
   –TPs to improve transmission planning processes and allocate costs for new transmission facilities to beneficiaries of those facilities; and
   –TPs to align transmission planning and cost allocation.
•Key driver: reliability transmission service at just and reasonable rates.
•Not a "one size fits all" approach. Each region is expected to fashion its procedures and processes to fit the region's needs.

Order 1000 Trans Planning and Cost Allocation Reforms

Decision Framework Refinement

Next Steps

•Work with stakeholders to develop recommendations regarding strawman framework
•FERC filing must be made in December in order to implement changes in 2012 RTEP cycle
•Review by the MRC and MC would have to be in the September –November timeframe
•Provide recommendations to Board in September –November timeframe coincident with MRC and MC review
   – Decide on independent

Planning Process Strawman

Administrative Items:

Schedule meetings in tandem with the IPSTF

Future Issues

The RPPTF plans to address the following Future Topics:

- PJM proposal
- Non-Incumbant Discussion

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