

Executive Summary Manual Changes



Effective Date

August 1, 2024

Impacted Manual #(s)/Manual Title(s):

Manual 11: Energy & Ancillary Services Market Operations

Manual 13: Emergency Operations

Conforming Order(s):

N/A

Associated Issue Tracking Title:

Reserve Certainty and Resource Flexibility Incentives

Committee Approval Path - What committee(s) have already seen these changes?

RCSTF

MIC, OC (informational only)

MRC 1st read date: June 27, 2024

MRC voting date: July 24, 2024

Impacted Manual sections:

Manual 11 Section 4.3 Reserve Requirement Determination

Manual 13 Section 2.2 Reserve Requirements

Reason for change:

- Detail how the 30-Minute Reserve Reliability Requirement would be set after these changes are in effect
- Clarify that the Synchronized Reserve, Primary Reserve and 30-Minute Reserve extended reserve requirements can be increased independently from one another

Summary of the changes:

Updates to Manual 11 Section 4.3 Reserve Requirement Determination

 Clarified that each of the reserve services has its own Extended Reserve Requirement, which can be increased discretely



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- Clarified that the requirements will continue to nest
- Replaced the 3,000 MW value in the 30-Minute Reliability Requirement with the new minimum operating reserve quantity, and referenced Manual 13 where that calculation is detailed

Updates to Manual 13 Section 2.2 Reserve Requirements

- Detailed how the minimum operating reserve value would be calculated, based on the load forecast peak, average load forecast error and average generator forced outage rate
- Detailed how each quantity in the operating reserve calculation is derived
- Explained the process for calculating the average load forecast error and average generator forced outage rate annually
- Explained how the 30-Minute Reliability Requirement is set in a reserve sub-zone