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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Order Instituting Rulemaking to Oversee the Resource Adequacy Program, Consider Program Refinements, and Establish Annual Local and Flexible Procurement Obligations for the 2019 and 2020 Compliance Years.

Rulemaking 17-09-020

**ASSIGNED COMMISSIONER AND ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE'S
JOINT RULING MODIFYING TRACK 1 SCHEDULE**

The Scoping Memo in this proceeding incorporated the following schedule for addressing the Track 1 issues of the Local Capacity Requirements (LCR) and Flexible Capacity Requirements (FCR):

Track 1 Calendar – LCR and FCR Issues

Event	Date*
CAISO files draft 2019 LCR Report	March 9, 2018
Comments on draft 2019 LCR Report	March 23, 2018
CAISO files final 2019 LCR and FCR Reports	April 27, 2018
Comments on CAISO final 2019 LCR and FCR Reports	May 4, 2018
Reply Comments on CAISO 2019 LCR and FCR Reports	May 11, 2018

**Dates in this table are subject to change dependent upon CAISO processes.*

The California Independent System Operator (CAISO) has stated that it does not anticipate issuing its draft 2019 LCR Report until April 23, 2018. (CAISO March 16, 2018 Reply Comments at 2.) The CAISO has also stated that it

“is on target” to finalize its LCR and FCR studies by May 15, 2018. (*Id.*)

Accordingly, the schedule set forth in the Scoping Memo needs to be modified.

The new schedule for LCR and FCR issues is:

Track 1 Calendar – LCR and FCR Issues

Event	Date
CAISO files draft 2019 LCR and FCR Reports	April 23, 2018
Comments on draft 2019 LCR and FCR Reports	May 4, 2018
CAISO files final 2019 LCR and FCR Reports	May 15, 2018
Comments on final 2019 LCR and FCR Reports	May 18, 2018

Please note that in addition to changes in dates, the CAISO is directed to file both its draft LCR and draft FCR Reports on April 23, 2018, and that reply comments on the final LCR and FCR Reports will no longer be filed.

If the CAISO’s final LCR and FCR Reports are not filed by May 15, 2018, or if there are other reasons that the final LCR and FCR Reports cannot timely be incorporated in the Track 1 proposed decision, the Track 1 proposed decision may use the draft LCR and FCR numbers and a “deadband,” similar to the option presented and discussed in the February 23, 2018 workshop, the February 26, 2018 e-mail ruling, and subsequent party comments.

Therefore, **IT IS RULED** that the schedule in Track 1 of this proceeding is modified as described above.

Dated March 27, 2018, at San Francisco, California.

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Assigned Commissioner

/s/ PETER V. ALLEN

Peter V. Allen
Administrative Law Judge