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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Order Instituting Rulemaking to Consider
Annual Revisions to Local Procurement
Obligations and Refinements to the Resource
Adequacy Program.

Rulemaking 08-01-025
(Filed January 31, 2008)

**ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE'S RULING ADOPTING DATES CERTAIN
FOR, AND MAKING OTHER CHANGES TO, THE PHASE 2 SCHEDULE**

The *Assigned Commissioner's Phase 2 Ruling and Scoping Memo* (Phase 2 Scoping Memo), issued September 15, 2008, adopted a generalized schedule for processing Phase 2 that addresses both the California Independent System Operator Corporation's (CAISO's) Local Capacity Requirements (LCR) study and this Commission's workshop and comment process. The Phase 2 Scoping Memo also provided that the Administrative Law Judge (ALJ) will finalize the Phase 2 schedule by determining dates certain for the various elements of the schedule. Further, it authorized the Assigned Commissioner or the ALJ to make any revisions to the schedule necessary to facilitate the fair and efficient management of the proceeding.

Following the workshop discussions of October 6, 2008, and in consultation with the Energy Division, I adopt the following schedule for the remainder of Phase 2.

Phase 2 Schedule

11/03/08	CAISO holds stakeholder meeting to address LCR study criteria, methodology, and assumptions
12/05/08	Working group on ambient conditions reports on engineering analysis
12/19/08	Comments on Draft 2010 LCR Manual and CAISO responses to comments posted by CAISO
01/01/09	Participating Transmission Owners (PTOs) submit base cases to CAISO
01/09/09	Proposals for Phase 2 issues served
01/15/09	CAISO publishes PTO base cases
Week of 01/20/09	Energy Division workshops on Phase 2 issues. (Energy Division will provide notice of date(s), times, location(s), and agenda.)
01/22/09	Stakeholders submit comments on PTO base cases to CAISO
02/06/09	Energy Division issues report on workshops
02/13/09	Parties file comments with Commission on all Phase 2 issues except LCR Study and local procurement obligations
02/27/09	Parties file reply comments with Commission on all Phase 2 issues except LCR study and local procurement obligations
03/02/09	CAISO publishes preliminary LCR study results, and solicits operating procedures
03/10/09	CAISO holds stakeholder meeting on preliminary LCR study results
03/20/09	Energy Division issues 2008 RA report
03/24/09	Stakeholders submit comments on preliminary study results to CAISO
03/24/09	PTOs submit operating procedures to CAISO
04/07/09	CAISO publishes proposed final LCR results
04/14/09	CAISO holds final stakeholder meeting on LCR study
04/21/09	Stakeholders submit comments to CAISO

05/01/09	CAISO files final LCR Study report with Commission
05/08/09	Parties file comments with Commission on LCR Study and local procurement obligations
05/12/09	Parties file reply comments with Commission on LCR study and local procurement obligations
05/15/09	Proposed decision issued
06/04/09	Parties file comments on proposed decision with Commission
06/09/09	Parties file reply comments on proposed decision with Commission
06/18/09	Commission issues final Phase 2 decision

IT IS RULED that the schedule set forth above shall govern the processing of Phase 2 of this proceeding.

Dated October 30, 2008, at San Francisco, California.

 /s/ MARK S. WETZELL
Mark S. Wetzell
Administrative Law Judge

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Dated October 30, 2008, at San Francisco, California.

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