

Regional Planning Process Task Force Report PJM Interconnection – Members Committee Information Webinar January 27, 2014

The Regional Planning Process Task Force (RPPTF) met on January 16th, 2014.

The RPPTF continues its efforts to finalize language for a Designated Entity Agreement (DEA) and a Coordination and Interconnection Agreement (CIA) to support implementation PJM proposal windows and selection of designated entities to develop, construct, own and operate greenfield transmission projects. The draft documents have been reviewed and commented upon over several RPPTF sessions and Stakeholders have been requested to submit any final comments by January 31, 2014.

The RPPTF has also advanced efforts to finalize the concepts, principles and draft OA/OATT redlines associated with developing a cohesive Multi-Driver Approach (MDS) which will permit incorporation of State Agreement/Public Policy projects as part of the PJM RTEP. Simultaneously, PJM's State and Governmental Policy team has begun conducting educational and feedback sessions with OPSI and individual States regarding development of the Multi-Driver Approach. The PJM Transmission Owners are evaluating the current cost allocation methodology to determine if any refinements will be necessary to implement the MDA. Stakeholders have been requested to submit any final comments by January 31, 2014.

Pending the review of the comments received, PJM will provide final drafts for review at the February RPPTF session and, shortly thereafter, a Stakeholder Poll and PJM Member Vote will be conducted. The results of the poll/vote will determine concurrence and ability to submit the Draft DEA, CIA and MDA documents to the MRC for consideration and a "first read". The RPPTF is working toward a completion timeline that will permit MRC/MC endorsed actions to be filed at FERC in the early second quarter of 2014. The PJM TO's are aware of the existing timeline and intend to offer any cost allocation filings on similar timing.

Next meeting:

The next RPPTF is February 20, 2014 at the PJM CTC.

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