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RE: Arizona Public Service Company's Notice of EIM OATT Stakeholder Process
Docket No. E-00000V-13-0070

Attached please find Arizona Public Service Company's ("APS") notice of its Energy Imbalance Market ("EIM") Open Access Transmission Tariff ("OATT") Stakeholder Process. APS is filing this notice with the Commission for informational purposes only.

The stakeholder meetings will focus on changes to APS's Open Access Transmission Tariff that will facilitate the implementation of EIM.

If you have any questions regarding this information, please contact Kerri Carnes at (602)250-3341.

Sincerely,

Lisa Malagon

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RE: Notice of APS EIM Open Access Transmission Tariff Stakeholder Process

APS Transmission Customer,

Arizona Public Service Company ("APS") is looking forward to participation in an Energy Imbalance Market ("EIM"). APS will be the fourth entity to join the EIM, which is operated by the California Independent System Operator ("CAISO"), and anticipates participating in the EIM market beginning October 2016.

Overall, the EIM market will allow its participants to obtain imbalance energy from a larger pool of resources. This will improve the ability to manage congestion across balancing areas, improve the ability to manage variable energy resources such as renewables, introduce additional resource diversity, and provide additional efficiencies between balancing authority areas.

APS efforts are currently underway to upgrade its systems including generation dispatch and communication capabilities in preparation for entry into the EIM. In addition to systems upgrades, APS will also amend its Open Access Transmission Tariff ("OATT") to incorporate changes reflecting the specific market structure of EIM. These changes may result in operational or financial impacts to APS's transmission customers. APS is inviting its transmission customers and interested parties to participate in our stakeholder process. The goal of the stakeholder process is to help customers learn about EIM, provide guidance on potential customer impacts, and receive feedback on proposed changes to APS's OATT.

The stakeholder process will consist of a series of web-based meetings. Please see the attached meeting schedule. Details about APS's OATT stakeholder meetings can be found on APS's OASIS website: www.oatioasis.com/azaps/. Information regarding meeting registration will be provided in a subsequent communication and posted to APS's OASIS Website.

APS looks forward to your participation and feedback during the stakeholder process. If you have questions please email them to EIMStakeholder@aps.com.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "T. Geisler", written over a horizontal line.

Ted Geisler
Director, Transmission Operations and Maintenance



EIM OATT Tariff Revision Stakeholder Meeting Schedule

| Target Date ¹ | Activity |
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| August 21, 2015 | Announcement of Stakeholder Process |
| September 4 – September 25, 2015 | Post Tariff Revisions and Request for Comment (Round 1) |
| September 15, 2015 | Stakeholder meeting #1 |
| November 6 – December 1, 2015 | Post Tariff Revisions and Request for Comment (Round 2) |
| November 18, 2015 | Stakeholder Meeting #2 |
| January 8, -January 28, 2015 (if needed) | Post Tariff Revisions and Request for Comment (Round 3, if needed) |
| January 15, 2015 (if needed) | Stakeholder Meeting #3 (if needed) |
| March 1, 2016 | APS files OATT Amendment w/FERC |

¹ All meeting dates are subject to change.