Member Vote and Rationale – Stream 1 Capacity Auction Enhancements

IESO Technical Panel, June 13, 2023

The vote to recommend the proposed market rule amendments (MR-00476-R00) for consideration to the IESO Board of Directors passed unanimously at the June 13, 2023, Technical Panel meeting.

MR-00476-R00 - Capacity Auction Enhancements - Stream 1

TP Member	Vote and/or Rationale
Nick Papanicolaou	For
(Consumer)	
Indra Maharjan	For
(Consumer)	
Forrest Pengra	For
(Residential Consumer)	
Emma Coyle	For
(Generator)	
Jason Chee-Aloy	For
(Renewable Generators)	



TP Member	Vote and/or Rationale
Jennifer Jayapalan (Energy Storage)	I voted in favour of recommending the proposed amendments to the capacity auction. The IESO has worked with market participants and impacted communities to develop a framework that takes stakeholder feedback into consideration and provides the IESO with the reliability they require.
Vlad Urukov	For
(Generator)	
Robert Reinmuller	For
(Transmitters)	
Rob Coulbeck	For
(Retailers or Wholesalers)	
Dave Forsyth (Consumer)	I voted to recommend the proposed Market Rule amendments for the Capacity Auction Enhancements- Stream 1 Component as I have reviewed them in detail and believe they do reflect the outcomes of the stakeholder engagement process. However, this latest engagement had a very limited scope due to time and resource constraints and didn't address some of the important issues faced by Demand Response participants. As I have stated previously, I believe the IESO should start a new engagement to conduct a comprehensive review of the DR participation model in the Capacity auction with emphasis on the HDR model.
Ron Collins (Energy Related Businesses and Services)	For
Sarah Griffiths (Demand Response)	Abstain

TP Member	Vote and/or Rationale
Joe Saunders (Distributor)	I voted in favour of the motion to recommend the proposed market rule amendments MR-00476-R00 to the IESO Board for consideration. At the April 18, 2023, TP meeting, a presentation on Capacity Auction Enhancements was given by IESO staff. At the May 16, 2023, TP meeting, the Technical Panel voted to post the proposed market rule amendments for stakeholder comment. Stakeholder feedback was received with the IESO posting responses to the feedback. As a result of the education, stakeholder feedback and TP discussion, I voted in favour to recommend the market rule amendments to the Board.
David Short (IESO)	For