

## **IESO Engagement**

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**From:** IESO Customer Relations  
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**Subject:** Get ready to test the new Dispatch Advisory Reports

### **Background**

The IESO is refreshing the Market Information System (MIS), one of the key systems used to determine dispatch schedules. The only impact to market participants will be a change to the Dispatch Advisory Report which is expected to increase the number of advisory intervals displayed from four to ten intervals. There are no other changes in functionality.

The MIS refresh project began in 2015 and is on target with an in-service date expected in December 2017.

### **Testing period scheduled for November 13 to 24**

A two-week trial period in the sandbox environment is scheduled for November 13 to 24 to allow testing the retrieval of the new Dispatch Advisory Reports.

### **What is required from you?**

If you would like to participate in testing, please ensure that your organization has bids/offers entered in the sandbox during the trial period. Alternatively, we can copy your bids/offers into the sandbox environment from production and convert them into standing bids/offers for the duration of the trial period (please note, this would not affect your bids/offers in production). **If you choose this option, we need your written confirmation when you register for testing by e-mailing [engagement@ieso.ca](mailto:engagement@ieso.ca).**

Market Participants using machine (API) accounts for automatic retrieval of the Dispatch Advisory Reports can obtain the schema, sample report, and help file [here](#).

Prior to the start of the testing period, please ensure that you have a sandbox user account or API account with access to Operational Reports. If you require assistance with resetting your password for your existing account, please e-mail [customer.relations@ieso.ca](mailto:customer.relations@ieso.ca). If you require a new account, please have your Rights Administrator request this in [Sandbox Online IESO](#).

Thanks – Karla  
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