

Memorandum

To: Technical Panel
From: Josh Duru
Date: August 8, 2017
Re: MR-00431: Market Rules True-Up – Disconnection Orders

Attached for Technical Panel review and consideration are the following documents:

- Presentation;
- Market rule amendment proposal MR-00431-R00.

The IESO proposes to amend the market rules to explicitly identify the obligation of transmitters, distributors and other market participants to comply with disconnection orders issued by the IESO to give effect to a suspension order, termination order or an IESO ordered de-registration of a market participant's facilities due to persistent breaches of the market rules.

In addition, the IESO proposes to amend references to disconnection orders within the grid connection requirements of the market rules in order to create consistency regarding the types of market participants to whom the IESO may issue a disconnection order.

At its meeting on June 27, 2017, the Technical Panel determined that the amendment submission MR-00431-R00 warrants consideration and assigned a regular priority to the development of the amendment proposal.

At that time, the Technical Panel deemed it premature to vote on posting the amendment proposal for stakeholder comment. The Panel identified the need for the IESO to clarify the impact to distribution systems and to specify the types of facilities who may be sent a disconnection order pursuant to Chapter 3. The Panel also asked the IESO to specify the instances when the IESO may issue a disconnection order pursuant to Chapter 3 via voice communication. The IESO has taken the Panel discussion into consideration in the development of the presentation to address these concerns. Changes to the discussion section of the amendment proposal have been highlighted for the Panel's consideration.

Panel Decision Required

The IESO recommends that the Panel agree to post MR-00431 for stakeholder comment for a period of two weeks, ending on August 31, 2017. The target for IESO Board consideration of the amendment is October 25, 2017.

Yours truly,

Josh Duru

Attach.