

Memorandum

To: Technical Panel
From: Josh Duru
Date: February 27, 2018
Re: MR-00435: Station Service Obligations

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

- Presentation – Station Service Obligations (January 23, 2018 version revised);
- Market rule amendment proposal MR-00435-R00.

The IESO proposes to remove the obligation for registered market participants to identify and provide station service estimates and place the obligation on the market participant responsible for registering the relevant facility, consistent with the intent of placing this obligation on the owner of a facility. This change will ensure that the market participant responsible for registering the relevant facility, which is the owner of a facility, is obligated to comply with the station service provisions in section 2.1A of Chapter 9.

At its meeting on November 22, 2017, the Technical Panel determined that the amendment submission MR-00435-Q00 warrants consideration and assigned a regular priority to the development of the amendment proposal.

The IESO presented the amendment submission to the [Revenue Metering Standing Committee](#) (RMSC) at its December 12, 2017 meeting. Feedback included general support from the RMSC on the direction of the amendment submission.

At the January 23, 2018 Technical Panel meeting, the IESO decided to defer the Technical Panel vote to post the amendment proposal for stakeholder comment based upon comments received from the Transmitter Representative, who was unable to attend the meeting. The IESO met with representatives of Hydro One to discuss concerns as to whether there were any transfers of obligations resulting from the proposed amendments. Following the IESO/Hydro One discussion, the IESO decided to clarify the process of submitting station service estimates in section 2.1A.3 of Chapter 9 which will alleviate any confusion as to which party is responsible for submitting those estimates to the IESO. These changes are highlighted within the amendment proposal for Panel consideration.

Panel Decision Required

The IESO recommends that the Panel agree to post MR-00435-R00 for stakeholder comment for a period of two weeks, ending on March 22, 2018. The target for IESO Board consideration of the amendment is June 13, 2018.

Yours truly,

Josh Duru

Attach.