



Market Rule Amendment Submission

This form is used to request an amendment to, or clarification of, the *Market Rules*. Please complete the first four parts of this form and submit the completed form by email or fax to the following:

Email Address: Rule.Amendments@ieso.ca

Fax No.: (416) 506-2847 Attention: Market Rules Group

Subject: Market Rule Amendment Submission

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Terms and acronyms used in this Form that are italicized have the meanings ascribed thereto in Chapter 11 of the *Market Rules*.

PART 1 – SUBMITTER’S INFORMATION

Please enter contact information in full.

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PART 2 – MARKET RULE AMENDMENT SUBMISSION INFORMATION

Subject: Settlement treatment for multiple facilities connected to customer owned transmission elements.

Title: Settlement Aggregation

Nature of Request (please indicate with x)

X Alteration

Deletion

X Addition

Clarification

Chapter: 7 & 9

Appendix: _____

Sections: 2.3.2B of Ch.7 & xx of Ch.9

¹ This number is a maximum of 12 characters and does not include any spaces or underscore.

PART 1 – SUBMITTER’S INFORMATION

Sub-sections proposed for amending/clarifying: _____

PART 3 – DESCRIPTION OF THE ISSUE

Provide a brief description of the issue and reason for the proposed amendment. If possible, provide a qualitative and quantitative assessment of the impacts of the issue on you and the *IESO-administered markets*. Include the Chapter and Section number of the relevant *market rules*.

There are instances where for operational reasons the IESO requires that a participant with a single customer connection to IESO controlled grid (ICG) register multiple facilities behind that connection as though each was directly connected to the ICG at different points. Dealing with these operational concerns through this registration methodology leads to a settlement treatment that disadvantages these resources relative to other customer connected facilities. Where other facilities would be able to operate and settle as a single facility these resources are prohibited from taking advantage of the operational and settlement implications of the single registered facility. Although it is accepted that the operational needs of the ICG are paramount the need to have this granularity for operations should not penalize these facilities by forcing a more costly settlement treatment.

Specifically, this rule amendment submission would permit all registered facilities, directly connected to customer owned equipment that is in turn directly connected to the ICG, to be treated for settlement purposes as if a single facility when the IESO requires disaggregated registration for operational concerns.

PART 4 – PROPOSAL (BY SUBMITTER)

Provide your proposed amendment. If possible, provide suggested wording of proposed amendment.

Chapter 7 Section 2.3.2B

Where the IESO has deemed for the security or reliability of the IESO-controlled grid that a directly connected facility (including a generating unit or load facility) must be registered as more than one facility, those registered facilities shall be eligible for settlement in accordance with Chapter 9 Section xx.

Chapter 9 Section xx

Where pursuant to Chapter 7 Section 2.3.2B, the IESO has required the registration of multiple facilities (including a generating unit or load facility) for security or reliability purposes, the IESO will where applicable for settlement purposes:

- use an aggregated AQEI/AQEW for the common facilities;
- use aggregated dispatch data; and
- use aggregated dispatch instructions.

