

MRP IWG Update Memo

To: MRP IWG Members

From: Declan Doyle, Sr. Manager, MRP Outreach and Strategy

Date: February 23, 2023

Re: MRP Project Updates for March 1 Meeting

As a new standing item for the Implementation Working Group, the IESO will provide a memo to update the action items, issues list, IT solutions progress, and other relevant project updates.

ACTION ITEMS

ACTION	PROGRESS	STATUS (Open/Closed)
IESO to review adding issues to the tracking list	IESO will include list of open issues for each IWG meeting, for discussion	Closed
IESO to provide plan for Market Participants accessing API Technical Specifications	Memo shared with IWG members and posted on IESO MRP webpage	Closed
IESO to provide update to MP Readiness Plan	Discussion item for March 1 IWG meeting	Open
IESO to follow-up on question relating to timing of settlement audit	IESO Settlements Audit will take place in 2025, with results likely in Q1 2026	Closed
IESO to provide table of contents for settlement examples	Table of contents provided to IWG members via e-mail on December 6	Closed

IESO to propose 2023 meeting dates	Future dates (May 4, July 6, Sept 11, Nov 9) shared via e-mail on Jan 31	Closed
Request for detailed information on Reports	Batching and timeline provided at March 1 meeting, further detail to follow	Open
Request for timelines and process for regulatory policy/instruments changes with the OEB	Discussions ongoing; IESO action to provide more information for review and assessment (charge types documentation)	Open

ISSUES LIST

As discussed at the November 17 IWG meeting, the IESO will be tracking outstanding issues, and report back to the IWG and progress or resolution of outstanding issues. There are currently two issues that the IESO is tracking:

ISSUE	PROGRESS	STATUS (Open/Closed)
Independent Review Process	Proposal as a part of March 1 meeting agenda	Open
Reference Levels/Quantities for Hydroelectric Participants	Discussions ongoing	Open

IT SOLUTIONS PROGRESS

The slide showing the IESOs progress in developing software solutions is attached. Of note, two systems, the Demand Forecasting System and the Dispatch Scheduling & Optimization, have moved ahead into Site Acceptance Testing. Further, while there are some pieces of the Online IESO solution in development, the portions relating to Registration activities have proceeded to User Acceptance Testing.

PROJECT UPDATES

The IESO has posted the second quarterly update on the financial project status, as part of the OEB settlement agreement. Overall, the project remains on schedule, and is slightly under budget.