

Memorandum

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To: Technical Panel

From: Josh Duru

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Re: CMSC Recovery from Dispatchable Loads

Attached for Technical Panel review and consideration is the proposed market rule amendment to enable the recovery of inappropriate congestion management settlement credit (CMSC) payments from dispatchable loads. The proposed amendment enables the IESO to recover CMSC payments that are a result of actions to prevent endangering the safety of any person, equipment damage, or the violation of any applicable law (SEAL).

The IESO presented its proposal to stakeholders at an October 27, 2020 public information session and requested feedback on the proposed amendments. The IESO did not receive any written feedback following the public information session. The IESO has since provided an update to stakeholders in December 2020 to respond to a question received during the session. The IESO's update on the October 27 CMSC recovery for dispatchable loads webinar can be found at the following webpage – IESO Public Information Sessions.

At the November 10, 2020 Technical Panel meeting, an education presentation was provided to the panel on the IESO's proposal. There have been no changes to the IESO proposal since that time.

Consideration and Priority

Given that the IESO has engaged stakeholders through an established engagement process, MR-00447-R00 has been deemed to warrant consideration as a regular priority item under the Technical Panel's Terms of Reference.

Panel Action and Next Steps

The IESO recommends that the Technical Panel vote to post MR-00447-R00 for stakeholder review and comment for a period of two weeks, ending on February 4, 2021. The target for IESO board consideration of the amendment proposal is in March 2021.

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