

Regional Planning Process Task Force Report PJM Interconnection Markets and Reliability Committee The Chase Center on the Riverfront, Wilmington, DE September 15, 2011

The Regional Planning Process Task Force (RPPTF) met on August 31, 2011. This meeting covered the following items:

PJM Planning Process Strawman - State Agreement Approach

It was discussed that the State Agreement Approach allows for one or more states to decide how to meet policy goals and is completely voluntary. It provides a vehicle for states to take action through the RTEP, but could only be initiated by states. The Approach links to FYI approach by using input to assumptions and scenario analysis and coordinated analysis and review of results. It will allow for states to use results for information purposes with no obligation to proceed with a project. There is still a need to define manner of commitment to project to insure on-going integrity of RTEP.

State Agreement Approach

PJM Planning Process Strawman - FYI to Market

The group had a more extensive stakeholder discussion of input assumptions and scenarios for analysis. They discussed necessary information that will need to be shared with the TEAC before each RTEP cycle and the need to produce additional documentation to support TEAC slides. Analyses done as part of the FYI to Market Approach could form the basis for projects that get into the RTEP under the State Agreement Approach, Critical Mass Approach or Proactive Build Approach. Also mentioned was the necessity for scope and assumptions of analyses for the FYI to Market Approach need to facilitate those decisions.

FYI to Market

Administrative Items:

The IPSTF and RPPTF will be combined in September.

Future Issues

TBD

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