Synchronized Reserve Penalties and Offer Margin

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Event Performance Penalties

- Penalties apply when cleared synchronized reserves do not respond to a spinning reserve event of 10 minute or longer duration.
- Penalties do not exceed past synchronized reserve revenues.
- Update to IMM proposal
 - Penalties should extend back to the last reserve event when the resource performed to its full obligation, but no longer than 12 months.

Synchronized Reserve Offer Margin

- The current offer margin of \$7.50 per MWh is unjustified.
- The IMM's compromise offer margin recommendation of \$3.80 per MWh is unjustified.
- The only justifiable offer margin is \$0 per MWh.
- The IMM revises its recommendation to \$0 per MWh.

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