

FERC Orders Requiring Reallocations and Refunds

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Form 715 Compliance Filings

- FERC Form 715 order changes the cost allocation of the impacted projects from 100% to the zone of the transmission owner of each project to a cost allocation using PJM's reliability cost allocation methodology
 - Network customers in the impacted zones will receive a refund
 - Charges are reallocated across multiple zones and Merchant Transmission Facilities (MTFs)
- FERC Form 715 order requires PJM to rebill parties with interest back to May 25, 2015.
 - 44 Form 715 projects are impacted by the order
 - 33 projects in PS zone
 - 11 projects in Dominion zone

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Cost Reallocations for Merchant Transmission Facilities (MTFs)

- Effective January 1, 2018, Linden VFT and Hudson Transmission Partners (HTP) converted their Firm Transmission Withdrawal Rights (TWRs) to Non-Firm TWRs.
- As a result, PJM revised Schedule 12–Appendices to remove all cost allocations from MTFs (Docket No. ER18-680)
- FERC approved Docket ER18-680, but required PJM to reassign cost responsibility back to Linden VFT and HTP for a specific set of projects:
 - Projects using a violation-based DFAX methodology
 - Lower voltage economic projects.



- Requests for Rehearing filed by Linden VFT, Long Island Power Authority, Neptune, and New York Power Authority (NYPA).
- Linden VFT and NYPA request settlement relief if FERC does not grant a rehearing request:
 - Delay billing until January 2021
 - Permit a 12 month settlement period in equal installments from January 1, 2021 through December 31, 2021
- PJM submitted filings to FERC for both orders, requesting FERC to act promptly on the Requests for Rehearing



Transmission Enhancement Worksheets

- Transmission Enhancement worksheets for each order are posted on the Billing, Settlements, & Credit page
- Information is considered preliminary and subject to revision based on any FERC rulings
- Worksheets contain historical allocation changes
 - Form 715 Order project revenue and cost allocations dating back to May 2015
 - Docket No. ER18-680 revised project cost allocations dating back to January 2018