



PJM Interconnection
Summary of the SIS Meeting for the December OC Meeting
955 Jefferson Avenue
Norristown, PA
December 21, 2010

1. PJMNET LINK OUTAGE REPORT

Mr. Rich Glaum provided an update on the link outage reports (attached) for October. Overall October was a very clean month.

2. PJM OPERATIONS, EDART AND ESUITE

Mr. Jerry Whooley reviewed the status of the eSuite applications. Among the highlights: a new version of eData is scheduled to be available in Sandbox at the end of November. This will not contain major updates, and will run in parallel to allow members to provide feedback.

3. OBTAINING ZONAL DISPATCH RATES

Mr. Jerry Whooley reviewed the presentation. eDataFeed provides subscribers a tool to select and stream data, and is free to members. PJM provides technical documentation which is aimed at a technical audience. Mr. Whooley highlighted that users must register in the Sandbox initially for testing purposes.

4. PJM'S NEW EMS (AC²) UPDATE

Mr. John Collier provided an update on the AC² project, focusing on SOW#3 (EMS).



5. SCED UPDATE

Mr. Rus Ogburn provided an update on SCED. PJM migrated from UDS to SCED in June of 2010, leaving UDS still running in the background. SCED is now at a point where a failback to UDS is unlikely to occur. Mr. Ogburn commented on some outages to SCED in recent months, stating these have mostly been internal changes such as UI updates. One exception was an outage to provide non-ramp limited basepoints. Outages are expected to decrease as SCED continues to mature. There was a question about signing up for the appropriate mailing list. Mr. Ogburn will forward the details to Mr. Graff for distribution.

6. COMMUNICATION & SYSTEMS ISSUES

Mr. Graff led the discussion on communication and system issues. Mr. Bob Green discussed a recent scheduled outage to perform an RTU swap, commenting they experienced some difficulty in working with PJM. Mr. John Ippolito discussed this, stating that dispatch pushed back on this change due to system conditions and the length of the outage.

The following action items resulted from this discussion. PJM took an action item to come up with an escalation procedure to be provided to member companies. It was also requested that PJM should always provide feedback as to why we are delaying an outage and provide an updated time. The last action item was a request that PJM provide notice of PJM scheduled outages a week in advance, to be followed up with a further notification the day prior to the outage.

Mr. Ray Cichocki asked about an e-mail that had been sent out to the SOS discussing encrypting of day-ahead generation reports for transmission companies. Member companies were requested to name an IT representative to work on this task. PJM will investigate this.