



Synchronous Reserve Deployment Task Force Next Steps

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Committee Meeting

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April 2021 –
September 2021

- Initial effort reviewing concerns with deployment of Synchronize reserves
- Introduced IRD Concept
- Filed proposal, March 4 2022 with stakeholder consensus

August 2022

- FERC Order issued finding IRD proposal unjust and unreasonable
- Actual system conditions not modeled and misalignment between dispatch and pricing

November –
December 2022

- Task Force restarted with updated issue charge to address FERC concerns
- Reviewed IRD concept, deploying synch reserves education
- Reviewed new options to consider for stakeholder feedback

- Limited scope hinders ability to address FERC concerns
- Feasibility and market design concerns with concepts presented to-date
- More data on spin response post October 1, 2022 implementation of Reserve Price Formation will help inform future discussions
 - Understand bid parameters and ramp capability
 - On-going discussions with poor performing market participants
- Limited feedback to-date

- Option 1: Continue work on current issue charge
 - Concerns with limited scope and feasible options to address FERC concerns
- Option 2: Sunset Task Force
 - Allows for further Spin Event data collection
 - Allow for holistic review with larger scope for future Issue Charge
 - Recognition of current stakeholder calendar and work load
- Other options?

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