

FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20426

OFFICE OF ENERGY MARKET REGULATION

PJM Interconnection, L.L.C.
Docket No. ER16-757-001

Issued: May 6, 2016

PJM Interconnection
2750 Monroe Boulevard
Audubon, PA 19403-2497

Attention: Pauline Foley, Esq.
Assistant General Counsel

Reference: OATT Tariff Revisions Regarding Customer Funded Upgrades Specific to
Merchant Network Upgrades

Dear Ms. Foley:

On January 21, 2016, as amended on April 6, 2016, PJM Interconnection, L.L.C. (PJM) submitted amendments to PJM's Open Access Transmission Tariff (OATT) to clarify the process related to Customer Funded Upgrades specific to Merchant Network Upgrades.¹ You state that the revisions are necessary to: (a) correct and/or clearly define the terms applicable to Upgrade Requests; (b) consolidate the two distinct types of New Service Requests under Part VI of the PJM OATT; and (c) better define the processes regarding the studies, agreements and rights specific to Upgrade Requests.

Pursuant to the authority delegated to the Director, Division of Electric Power Regulation – East, under 18 C.F.R. § 375.307, your submittal is accepted for filing, effective May 1, 2016, as requested.

The filings were noticed on January 21, 2016, and April 7, 2016, with comments, interventions and protests due on or before February 11, 2016, and April 27, 2016, respectively. Pursuant to Rule 214 (18 C.F.R. § 385.214 (2015)), to the extent that any timely filed motions to intervene and any motion to intervene out-of-time were filed before the issuance date of this order, such interventions are granted. Granting late interventions at this stage of the proceeding will not disrupt the proceeding or place

¹ See Attachment A for links to eTariff amendments.

additional burdens on existing parties.

This acceptance for filing shall not be construed as constituting approval of the referenced filing or of any rate, charge, classification, or any rule, regulation, or practice affecting such rate or service contained in your filing; nor shall such acceptance be deemed as recognition of any claimed contractual right or obligation associated therewith; and such acceptance is without prejudice to any findings or orders which have been or may hereafter be made by the Commission in any proceeding now pending or hereafter instituted by or against PJM.

This order constitutes final agency action. Requests for rehearing by the Commission may be filed within 30 days of the date of issuance of this order, pursuant to 18 C.F.R. § 385.713.

Sincerely,

Kurt M. Longo, Director
Division of Electric Power
Regulation – East

Attachment A

[PJM Interconnection, L.L.C., Intra-PJM Tariffs, C-D, OATT Definitions – C-D, 4.1.0](#); [L-M-N, OATT Definitions – L – M - N, 5.1.0](#); [T-U-V, OATT Definitions – T – U - V, 4.1.0](#); [36.1, OATT 36.1 General, 4.1.0](#); [204.1, OATT 204.1 Completed Applications:, 1.1.0](#); [204.2, OATT 204.2 Upgrade Requests:, 1.1.0](#); [205.2, OATT 205.2 Scope of Studies:, 1.1.0](#); [207, OATT 207 Facilities Study Procedures:, 1.1.0](#); [212.4, OATT 212.4 Retaining Priority and Security:, 2.0.0](#); [231.1, OATT 231.1 Right of New Service Customer to Incremental Auct, 1.1.0](#); [ATTACHMENT O FORM, OATT ATTACHMENT O-FORM OF INTERCONNECTION SERVICE AGREEMENT, 5.1.0](#); [ATTACHMENT O.A2.1.4, OATT ATTACHMENT O.A2.1.4 Initial Operation:, 1.1.0](#); [ATTACHMENT O.A2.4.2, OATT ATTACHMENT O.A2.4.2 Operation of Merchant Network Upgra, 1.1.0](#); [ATTACHMENT O.A2.5.2, OATT ATTACHMENT O.A2.5.2 Maintenance of Merchant Network Upg, 1.1.0](#); [ATTACHMENT O.A2.5.5, OATT ATTACHMENT O.A2.5.5 Right to Observe Testing:, 1.1.0](#); [ATTACHMENT O.A2.11.2, OATT ATTACHMENT O.A2.11.2 Costs for Transmission Owner Inter, 1.1.0](#); [ATTACHMENT O.A2.16.2, OATT ATTACHMENT O.A2.16.2 Disposition of Facilities Upon Ter, 1.1.0](#); [ATTACHMENT O.A2.24.2, OATT ATTACHMENT O.A2.24.2 Tax Indemnity:, 1.1.0](#); [ATTACHMENT O.SCHEDULE G, OATT ATTACHMENT O SCHEDULE G, 1.1.0](#); [ATTACHMENT O-1, OATT ATTACHMENT O-1, 4.1.0](#); [ATTACHMENT P, OATT ATTACHMENT P, 3.1.0](#); [ATTACHMENT P.A2.2.2, OATT ATTACHMENT P.A2.2.2 Transmission Owner Interconnection, 1.1.0](#); [ATTACHMENT P.A2.2.4, OATT ATTACHMENT P.A2.2.4 Tax Liability, 1.1.0](#); [ATTACHMENT P.A2.3.1, OATT ATTACHMENT P.A2.3.1 Construction by Interconnection Cus, 1.1.0](#); [ATTACHMENT P.A2.3.2, OATT ATTACHMENT P.A2.3.2 Construction by Interconnected Tran, 2.1.0](#); [ATTACHMENT P.A2.3.4, OATT ATTACHMENT P.A2.3.4 Suspension, 2.0.0](#); [ATTACHMENT P.A2.3.5, OATT ATTACHMENT P.A2.3.5 Right to Complete Transmission Owne, 1.1.0](#); [ATTACHMENT P.A2.3.6, OATT ATTACHMENT P.A2.3.6 Suspension of Work Upon Default:, 1.1.0](#); [ATTACHMENT P.A2.3.7, OATT ATTACHMENT P.A2.3.7 Construction Reports:, 1.1.0](#); [ATTACHMENT P.A2.3.8, OATT ATTACHMENT P.A2.3.8 Inspection and Testing of Completed, 1.1.0](#); [ATTACHMENT P.A2.3.9, OATT ATTACHMENT P.A2.3.9 Energization of Completed Facilitie, 1.1.0](#); [ATTACHMENT P.A2.3.10, OATT ATTACHMENT P.A2.3.10 Interconnected Transmission Owner’, 1.1.0](#); [ATTACHMENT P.A2.4.1, OATT ATTACHMENT P.A2.4.1 Outages: Coordination:, 1.1.0](#); [ATTACHMENT P.A2.5.5, OATT ATTACHMENT P.A2.5.5 Transfer of Title to Certain Facili, 1.1.0](#); [ATTACHMENT P.A2.6.1, OATT ATTACHMENT P.A2.6.1 Interconnection Customer Warranty:, 1.1.0](#); [ATTACHMENT P.A2.6.2, OATT ATTACHMENT P.A2.6.2 Manufacturer Warranties:, 1.1.0](#); [ATTACHMENT P.A2.9.2, OATT ATTACHMENT P.A2.9.2 Invoice:, 1.1.0](#); [ATTACHMENT P.A2.9.3, OATT ATTACHMENT P.A2.9.3 Final Invoice:, 1.1.0](#); [ATTACHMENT P.A2.14.1, OATT ATTACHMENT P.A2.14.1 Termination, 1.1.0](#); [ATTACHMENT P.A2.14.3, OATT ATTACHMENT P.A2.14.3 Cancellation By](#)

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