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OFFICE OF ENERGY MARKET REGULATION

PJM Interconnection, L.L.C. Docket No. ER19-524-000

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Reference: Revised Credit Reduction Provisions for Reliability Pricing Model Auctions

On December 10, 2018, PJM Interconnection, L.L.C. (PJM) submitted revisions to Attachment Q of its Open Access Transmission Tariff to revise the provisions addressing the reduction of the Reliability Pricing Model auction credit requirements for Planned Generation Capacity Resources and Qualifying Transmission Upgrades (QTU).¹ PJM states that the proposed revisions allow a milestone certification from a professional engineer or corporate officer and make execution of an Upgrade Construction Service Agreement for a QTU a comparable milestone to execution of an Interconnection Service Agreement. PJM also states that the proposed revisions clarify that credit cannot be reduced to zero for a QTU before it is placed in service and clarify the requirements for the submission of a request for a reduction in the credit requirement.

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 February 8, 2019, as requested.

The filing was noticed on December 10, 2018, with comments, interventions, and protests due on or before December 31, 2018. Pursuant to Rule 214 (18 C.F.R. § 385.214 (2018)), 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

¹ PJM Interconnection, L.L.C., Intra-PJM Tariffs, <u>ATTACHMENT Q, OATT</u> <u>ATTACHMENT Q, 35.0.0</u>.

proceeding or place 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.

Issued by: Kurt M. Longo, Director, Division of Electric Power Regulation - East