



# Access to RTO Services (Facilities Inclusion)



## Description

What needs to be done to ensure that a customer can secure access to the RTO system through PTO facilities that have not been turned over to the RTO?



## Background

The issue of what facilities a PTO turns over to RTO West could affect a customer's access to RTO West services



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If, in order to access the RTO system, wholesale loads or generation require access over a PTO's distribution system or over its transmission facilities that have not been turned over to the RTO, how will this be handled?



# One-Stop Shopping at the RTO Alternative A

- Require PTOs to turn over facilities needed to support RTO's transfer capabilities and Order 2000 functions, including those PTO facilities that are necessary to serve wholesale loads and generation



# One-Stop Shopping at RTO

## Alternative B

- Require PTOs to turn over all facilities needed to support RTO transfer capabilities and Order 2000 functions
- Provide PTOs discretion with respect to other transmission facilities, but:
  - Have FERC-Jurisdictional service requests go to RTO
  - Require PTOs to provide access over its facilities that were not turned over (including transmission and distribution) that are necessary to serve wholesale load and generation
  - PTO will handle mechanics of providing access on such facilities with RTO guidance and oversight, if necessary



## Alternative C

- Stay silent on access through PTOs' facilities that have not been turned over to RTO



# Questions/Comments