Reference Case Circa Jan. 2024 vs. Nov. 2025 vs REP Settlement Concept

Reference Case REP benefits increased \$94 million from \$34 million to \$128 million with refreshed inputs.

- The Resource stack increased benefits by \$143 million, the weighted average cost of resources called upon increased from \$14.26/MWh to \$38.75/MWh.
- Exchange Inputs increased benefits by \$19 million, this reflects higher ASCs.
- The discount rate decreased benefits by \$40 million due to the rate dropping by roughly 1%.
- The revenue requirement decreased benefits by \$14 million, this is due to higher costs.
- Loads & Resources lowered benefits by \$8
 million, due to higher loads and fewer FBS
 resources in the 7(b)(2) Case.
- Net Secondary reduced benefits by \$6 million, this is due to lower NSR driving up the PF rate.

Under the REP Settlement Concept (SC) benefits increase \$23 million to \$151 million from the Reference Case value of \$128 million.

- The \$29 million increase captures using the single PFx (+\$31m) offset by revised ASCs with "like-for-like transmission" & no TS adder to PFx (-\$2m).
- Excluding **variable NR benefits** decreases benefits by \$6 million.

