Response to Customer Comments – Requesting Transmission Service

Version 40

This document contains customer comments and BPA’s response to the Requesting Transmission Service, Version 40 posted for comment from June 8 to July 15, 2021.

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Powerex requests further clarification regarding Section C.2(a). The Business Practice states that a customer at the time of TSR submission must indicate if it desires to have the TSR considered for Long Term Partial Service without Renewal or Deferral rights. Powerex believes that Bonneville should study both options (w/Renewal or Deferral, or w/o Renewal or Deferral) even if a customer does not submit a comment at the time of TSR submission.

Thank you kindly for considering our comments.

BPA Response

BPA appreciates Powerex’s comment regarding Partial Service study options. BPA will study a TSR for all available Partial Service options, however, BPA will extend a Long-Term offer of Partial Service without Renewal or Deferral rights for a TSR only if the Customer has submitted a Customer Comment indicating its desire to receive such an offer. This provision is intended to help ensure that only a customer that has elected to be considered for Partial Service without Renewal or Deferral rights would be offered such service and required to choose between accepting the offer or having its TSR removed from the queue.