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This business practice explains the criteria and requirements to complete a Resale of Point-to-Point (PTP) Transmission Service on the Open Access Same-Time Information System (OASIS).

### BPA Policy Reference

- [Open Access Transmission Tariff \(OATT\)](#): Section 23
- [Transmission Rate Schedules/Provisions](#): Point-to Point Rate

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## A. General Criteria

1. Resales convey only transmission scheduling rights associated with PTP Transmission Service.
  - a. OATT Section 2.2 Renewal rights are not conveyed in a Resale.
  - b. OATT Section 17.7 Deferral rights are not conveyed in a Resale.
  - c. For transfers of all rights and obligations, see the Transfer of Transmission Service Business Practice.
2. The Reseller remains liable for the performance of all obligations under its Service Agreement.
3. The Reseller and the Assignee must not be the same Transmission Customer.
  - a. Multiple reservations from the same Transmission Customer may be aggregated into a single reservation using the Consolidation function on OASIS.
    - i. See the Consolidation of Transmission Service Business Practice and Section G of the [PTP TSR Procedures](#).
4. All Resales must be posted on OASIS.

- a. See Section I in the [PTP TSR Procedures](#) for Resale and TransAssign procedures.
5. Resales must include the price and the price unit entered must be in dollars per megawatt-hour (\$/MW-HOUR RESERVED). Do not use the "Get Price" button, as it will not populate with the correct price unit.
  - a. BPA does not set a price cap on Resales of PTP Transmission Service under Section 10, Attachment 1 of BPA's TC-20 Settlement Agreement.
6. BPA will not modify the Customer's Service Agreement to reflect Resales.
7. Should a curtailment be necessary, the remaining portion, if any, of the Reseller's reservation and the Assignee's Resale reservation will be curtailed independently.

## **B. Reseller Criteria**

1. A Reseller may post a Resale of any of the following reservations:
2. Long-Term Firm (LTF) PTP
  - a. LTF-YEARLY PTP
  - b. LTF-CF7 PTP
3. Short-Term Firm (STF) PTP
  - a. STF-Monthly PTP
  - b. STF-Weekly PTP
  - c. STF-Daily PTP
4. Hourly Firm PTP (F-HOURLY PTP)
5. Short-Term Non-Firm (STN) PTP
  - a. STN Monthly PTP
  - b. STN Weekly PTP
  - c. STN Daily PTP
6. Hourly Non-Firm PTP
7. A Reseller must enter the Resale on OASIS as ACCEPTED.
8. The Sale Ref field must contain the Assignee's 5-digit Service Agreement number. For example, a Customer (Assignee) with a Service Agreement number of 21TX-11111 should report "11111" in the Sale Ref field.

## **C. Assignee Criteria**

1. The Assignee will verify the terms of the Resale are captured correctly, including that the Sale Ref field contains the correct 5-digit Service Agreement number for the Assignee.
  - a. If the Assignee agrees to the Resale, they shall set the Resale status on OASIS to CONFIRMED.

- b. If the Assignee does not agree to the Resale or finds incorrect information, they shall either set the Resale status on OASIS to WITHDRAWN or contact the Reseller to have the Resale set to RETRACTED.
2. The Assignee will be subject to all terms and conditions of BPA's OATT, Rate Schedules, and business practices.
3. The Assignee may resell its scheduling rights through a subsequent Resale.
4. The Assignee may Redirect its scheduling rights through a subsequent Redirect.
5. The Assignee's designation for Operating Reserves provider and Real Power Loss provider will apply to the Resale or Redirect.

## D. Transmission Provider Validation

1. After the Resale is CONFIRMED on OASIS by the Assignee, the Transmission Provider will evaluate the Resale for adherence to the required criteria.
  - a. Resales that fail this evaluation (such as an incorrect contract number in the Sale Ref field) will automatically be set to ANNULLED on OASIS.
  - b. It may take up to 60 seconds for the annulment to occur on OASIS. Assignees are advised to wait an appropriate time before tagging the Resale.

## E. Billing

1. The following table describes who BPA will bill for all Resales regardless of the product type resold or the duration of the Resale:

Charge	Billed To
Firm or Non-Firm PTP Transmission Capacity	Reseller
Scheduling, System Control, and Dispatch Service	Reseller
Reactive Supply and Voltage Control Services	Reseller
Operating Reserve -- Spinning and Supplemental Services	Assignee
Real Power Losses Services	Assignee
Any Penalty	Assignee
Regulation and Frequency Response Services	Assignee's Load
Energy Imbalance	Assignee's Load