Economic Transmission Market Mechanisms Workshop

One Day Format

8:30 – 8:45 AM WELCOME

> Present workshop goals; markets developed with a lot of attention to "getting the signals" correct for generation but almost no effort has been devoted to determining the correct signals for transmission development.

Possible Speakers: Garry Brown or John Reese

Today's Situation 8:45 – 9:30 AM

> What mechanisms exist today to encourage appropriate market-based transmission development? What is the financing situation?

Shortcomings of current approach.

Possible Speakers:

Major Speaker: Perspective on what can and cannot be done with 9:30 – 10:50 AM

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Possible Speakers: Bill Hogan or Paul Joskow

10:50 - 11:10 AM Break

12:30 PM

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Possible Speakers: Bill Hogan or Paul Joskow

12:30 - 1:30 PM Lunch – Keynote

Possible Speaker: FERC Markets Director

1:30 – 3:10 PM Stakeholder Perspectives: Either four 25 minute presentations or three 35 minute presentations (or even five 20 minute presentations)

Transmission Developer
Transmission Owner
Generator
End-Use Representative
FERC (if not keynote)

Financier
Market Monitor
Transmission Developer
FERC (if not keynote)

3:10 - 3:30 PM Break

3:30 – 5:00 PM Moderated Open Discussion:

All presenters on stage; open floor for questions/topic discussions among presenters and attendees. Do we need new mechanisms? List of possible mechanisms that could be explored for possible development. Other alternatives?