

# **Business Issues Committee (BIC) - Working Group Issues List**

## **February 15, 2001 BIC Meeting**

At the January 25, 2001 BIC meeting, the committee members requested a report on the issues being discussed or addressed in the BIC Working Groups. A list of the current issues are summarized below for each BIC Working Group and sub-Working Group/Task Force.

### **BAWG**

- Tariff change for extension of Billing dispute period
- Review Billing & Accounting Manual
- PURPA Code Correction
- Review of NYISO Grid Accounting Report
- Review billing method for 12/30-1/1 performance tracking problem

#### Billing Data and Format Subcommittee Working Group

- ➔ Billing Invoice Format Change
- ➔ Centralized Billing Invoice
- ➔ Evaluation of Billing Data Requirements
- ➔ Participation in NYISO IT Architecture Initiatives - Billing Data Access

#### Metered Data Subcommittee Working Group

- ➔ Review of Re-bill and True-up process
- ➔ Review of Meter accuracy and locations
- ➔ Participation in NYISO IT Architecture Initiatives - Billing Data Access
- ➔ Con Ed State Estimator

### **ICAP WG**

- Finalize Stage 1A Manual - Report/Approval by BIC
- Stage 2 tariff and manual revisions that deal with moving to the UCAP accreditation method and to a monthly procurement period.

#### LFWG

- ➔ ICAP Forecast and Timeline
- ➔ Load Forecasting Manual

### **ITF**

- Develop rules for interconnection cost allocation

### **Reserve Working Group**

- Locational Reserves

#### Volunteer Reserve Working Group

- ➔ Transmission Optimization
- ➔ ISO-NE/NYISO & Regional Reserve Sharing
- ➔ Self- Supply
- ➔ 10-Minute Portion of 30-Minute GT Reserves
- ➔ Two Settlement System for Reserves
- ➔ Locational Reserve Allocation

## **MSWG**

- Review, comment and make recommendations regarding the Seams Matrix strawman for 2/15 BIC; items 2, 3, 4, 6, 7 and 8
- BME-SCD Long Term Fixes
  - Includes physical vs. financial solutions; shorter intervals and full 3rd settlement.
- Track progress of Regional DAM study
- TCC Issues
  - TCC allocations (awaiting study completion); address impact of potential large interface transfer reductions (staff has been requested to develop a position on the latter issue).
- TSCs
  - Overall methodology; implementing 1/18 BIC vote.
- Voltage Support Service payment methodology
  - Charged to MSWG 10/00; will likely require Tariff changes.
- Operations and Control issues arising from new interconnections (see TCCs above)
  - SRIS process may lay groundwork for series of issues to address.
- ICAP Issues
  - Includes deliverability and allocation of external rights.

### **Issues in the Queue for ISO Implementation**

- Block Transactions
- Virtual Bidding

## **PRLWG**

- Emergency Demand Response Program
  - Review tariff submittal and manual
  - Evaluate the implemented plan
- Day-Ahead Price Responsive Load
  - Neenan A Proposal – has general working group support; ISO Staff to develop for 2002
  - Additional DAM Price Responsive Load Features- to be determined by BIC

## S&P

- Expanded Rate Correction
- Calculation of Zonal LBMPs under zonal price capped load
- Seams Issues 1 & 5
- GT Issues
- Data Posting Issues
- Issues raised by the PSC and CPB requesting review of current thresholds in the NYISO MMP and consideration of NYS PSC Pricing Report recommendations on market power mitigation with respect to the return of profits, penalties, and public disclosure. - See pages 45 & 48 of PSC Report
- Review of any new ECAs

### GITE

- ➔ Generator Operation Rule Changes
  - Rules for setting LBMP when block loaded units are running to meet minimum run times.
  - Reformation of regulation performance penalties.
  - New rules for suppliers of regulation service.
  - Circumstances warranting payment for energy delivered in excess of basepoint.
  - Review of allowable Upper Operating Limits for use in bidding.
- ➔ Review the frequency of out-of-merit dispatch

### CBWG

- ➔ Circuit Breaker Proposal

### ECA/BME Working Group

- ➔ Interim ECA/BME Fix