



STAKEHOLDER NOTICE TO IID'S CLUSTER 1 INTERCONNECTION CUSTOMERS

RE: Cluster 1 Re-study #2 & Facility Study

IID initially determined that another re-study would be required based on the most recent downsizing of Cluster 1 projects. In an effort to assist its customers and expedite the process, IID conducted an internal review. Following the additional internal review, IID has since determined, pursuant to Section 8.5.1 of IID's Generator Interconnection Procedures, that another re-study is not required based on IID's evaluation of the already existing study and re-study reports and its familiarity with the Transmission System. IID has concluded that the network upgrades required to interconnect the remaining Cluster 1 projects will not significantly change as a result of the most recent downsizing.

In lieu of performing another re-study, effective June 22, 2015, IID therefore intends to issue revised study reports with costs reallocated among the remaining cluster participants. The revised interconnection system impact study and facilities study reports will be provided to Interconnection Customers by July 9, 2015, thereby enabling those projects with firm in-service dates to meet their required milestones.

Per IID's OATT, once the final facilities study is issued, each Interconnection Customer will need to provide written notice that it either:

- (a) accepts the final Interconnection Facilities Study report, and authorizes Transmission Provider to proceed to tender a GIA for execution by Interconnection Customer;
- (b) elects to initiate Dispute Resolution procedures pursuant to IID's OATT Section 13.5 of the GIP regarding any unresolved comments it submitted on the draft Interconnection Facilities Study report, and authorizes Transmission Provider to proceed to tender a GIA for execution by Interconnection Customer, subject to the outcome of Dispute Resolution; or
- (c) does not accept the final Interconnection Facilities Study report and, therefore, does not authorize the Transmission Provider to proceed to tender a GIA for execution by Interconnection Customer.

Upon acceptance of the individual facilities studies by Interconnection Customers, IID will move to tender interconnection agreements as soon as possible. In the interim and to expedite the process, attached is IID's Standard Generator Interconnection Agreement template for review.

If you have any questions, please contact Kelli Fitzgerald, Strategic Business Officer, Interim, at 760.482.3315.