

Business Practice: Yearly Evaluation of CBM and TRM

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1. Purpose

This business practice identifies the requirement to re-evaluate CBM on a yearly basis as required and establishes that the use of TRM will also be evaluated annually.

2. Definitions

2.1. None

3. Requirements

3.1. The Commission requires the Transmission Provider to periodically re-evaluate its transfer capability set-aside for Capacity Benefit margin (CBM) by requiring CBM studies to be performed at least once a year and post its practices.
 (18 CFR 37.6(b)(3)(iii)(A)&(B))

3.2. For consistency, Transmission Reliability Margin (TRM) will also be evaluated on an annual basis.

4. Practice

4.1. Annually Re-evaluate CBM

4.1.1. PGE will evaluate the use of CBM as a set-aside for the purposes of calculating ATC on an annual basis for all posted paths

4.1.2. For consistency PGE will also evaluate TRM on an annual basis.

5. Revision History

Revision	Date	Change Summary
0	July 13, 2007	Initial Posting
1	December 30, 2008	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Format Cleanup • Removed unused definition section • Added Revision History
2	October 15, 2009	Correct CFR reference, reformat, add Purpose