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RULE CHANGE EXTENSION NOTICE

Harmonisation of Supply-Side and Demand-Side Capacity Resources (RC_2013_10)

This notice of extension is given under clause 2.5.12 of the Market Rules.

Submitter: Allan Dawson, IMO

Date submitted: 21 August 2013

Date of extension: 24 October 2013

In accordance with clause 2.5.10 of the Market Rules, the Independent Market Operator (IMO) has extended the timeframe for the publication of the Draft Rule Change Report for the Rule Change Proposal titled *Harmonisation of Supply-Side and Demand-Side Capacity Resources* (RC_2013_10) by 25 Business Days, until **Thursday, 5 December 2013**.

Dates of the subsequent steps in the rule change process are extended accordingly.

Reasons for the Extension

The IMO considers that the standard timeframes for the Standard Rule Change Process may be insufficient given the complexity of the Rule Change Proposal. Accordingly, the IMO has extended the period for the preparation of the Draft Rule Change Report beyond the usual 20 Business Days to allow the IMO:

- sufficient time to consider the submissions received in the first submission period and prepare its Draft Rule Change Report; and
- to work with System Management to provide greater clarity and detail to stakeholders on the costs and benefits of the proposed introduction of real-time telemetry in the Rule Change Proposal.

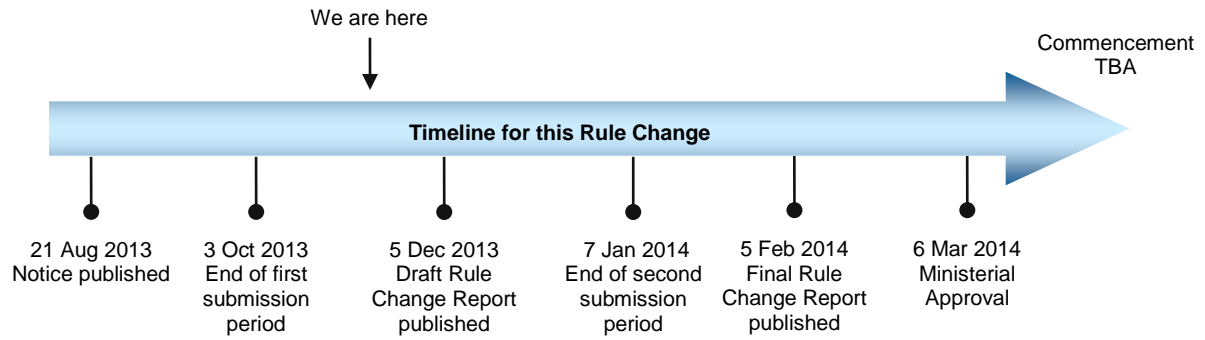
Proposed Work Program

- The IMO presents its proposed decision in the Draft Rule Change Report.
- A second submission period is held.
- The IMO presents its final decision in the Final Rule Change Report.
- The Minister considers the Rule Change Proposal and makes a decision regarding the proposed Amending Rules.
- The Amending Rules commence.



Extended Timeline

The projected timelines for processing this proposal, including the extension are:



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