

EXTENSION OF THE TIMEFRAME FOR PREPARING THE DRAFT RULE CHANGE REPORT UNDER CLAUSE 2.5.12 OF THE MARKET RULES FOR RC_2010_23

In accordance with clause 2.5.10 of the Market Rules, the Independent Market Operator (IMO) has extended the timeframe for preparing the Draft Rule Change Report for the Rule Change Proposal titled "Consequential Outage - Relief from capacity refund and unauthorised deviation penalties" (Ref: RC_2010_23).

The date for publication of the Draft Rule Change Report is extended until **Thursday**, **18 November 2010**. Please note that the timeline for the closure of the second submission period and subsequent events remains unchanged.

Reason for the extension

The period for preparing the Draft Rule Change Report needs to be extended to allow the IMO sufficient time to complete its internal IMO Board review process for this Rule Change Proposal.

Proposed Work Programme

- The IMO presents its draft decision in the Draft Rule Change Report.
- A second consultation period is held.
- The IMO presents its final decision in the Final Rule Change Report.

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