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David Olsen, Chairman  
California ISO Board of Governors  
Valerie Fong, Chair  
Western Energy Imbalance Market Governing Body  
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Chairs Olsen and Fong:

The California Municipal Utilities Association (“CMUA”) appreciates the opportunity to express support for the proposals before you to establish a Governance Review Committee (“GRC”) to commence a comprehensive examination of Energy Imbalance Market governance, and possibly governance of related market augmentations such as the Extended Day Ahead Market which may soon be under consideration.

You received numerous sets of comments from stakeholders across the West. Those comments reflect the diverse constituencies that have a vested interest in how markets continue to evolve in the Western Interconnection. CMUA appreciates the efforts of California ISO staff to reflect our concerns and concerns expressed by others, which led to meaningful changes to the Straw Proposal and Draft Final Proposal, resulting in what you see before you.

No composition of the GRC will be perfect. We must trust that the process established and the joint deliberations of the Board of Governors and the EIM Governing Body will result in a GRC that reflects the diversity of the EIM footprint, including the needs of California consumers. We look forward to working with you, the California ISO staff and all stakeholders to ensure the success of this endeavor.

Sincerely,



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Association