FEAM WG Jurisdiction/Legal Analysis Next Steps Poll

States that contributed to the consensus column: DC, IL, MD, NJ, PA

| 1. | State Preference for Jurisdictional Structure: the states' | Option # 1 is the preference for the majority of |
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| | jurisdictional analysis included discussion of three options | interested states. |
| | for jurisdictional structure, listed below. Please indicate if | |
| | your state has any preference for any of the options. | |
| | a. Option #1: A non-FERC jurisdictional market. This | |
| | market would be administered by an independent entity | |
| | (PJM subsidiary or independent third-party or an | |
| | independent third party that hires PJM as the | |
| | administrator). Governing documents drafted and enforced | |
| | by the states, states agree on a funding mechanism for | |
| | participation. | |
| | b. Option #2: A FERC-Jurisdictional market. The addition | |
| | of a new Market added to PJM Interconnection, LLC | |
| | Tariff, with PJM Board 205 rights subject to OPSI | |
| | veto/jump-ball rights. PJM LCC is the administrator. FERC | |
| | accepts funding of such market from participants, through | |
| | formula rates. | |
| | c. Option #3 :A FERC-Jurisdictional market with a | |
| | governance structure similar to the WRAP (Western Power | |
| | Pool as the organization with 205 filing rights and that has | |
| | hired SPP as the administrator). In this structure there | |
| | would be a new Tariff filed by PJM or the states, separate | |
| | from the existing Tariff including governing role for the | |
| | states and a funding mechanism. PJM (or a subsidiary) | |
| | would be hired to run the market as the administrator. | |
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| 2. | Does your state have any reservations about participating in | |
| | a market under the jurisdiction model of any of the three | |
| | options above? | |
| | a. Option #1 | Must better understand what makes this market |
| | | CFTC jurisdictional and what CFTC jurisdiction |
| | | means for state involvement. Biggest learning |
| | | curve compared to status quo regulatory models. |
| | b. Option #2 | Major concerns about state authority being |
| | | violated through a FERC-Jurisdictional FEAM. |
| | c. Option #3 | Concerns about state authority being violated |
| | | through a FERC-jurisdictional FEAM. |
| 3. | What additional questions/research does your state need | Two Priorities: |
| | answered to fully understand the legal risk and | 1) How do states ensure complete jurisdiction of |
| | jurisdictional options? | these products even if traded in a CFTC or |
| | | FERC jurisdictional market. |

| | | 2) What legal risk may exist for state authority in a CFTC-jurisdictional market trading RECs? 3) What form can voting rights or a veto/jump ball administrative rights for states over evolving market rules. |
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| 4. | How does your state envision next steps of this legal analysis? | Identification of next steps are not mutually exclusive. |
| | a. My state is comfortable committing and developing governing documents for one of the options set forth above, no further analysis is needed. | Not at this time. |
| | b. My state would prefer continued discussions on jurisdiction. We can work within the existing frame of this voluntary Working Group; but this working group should not move on to other topics until we finalize the jurisdictional structure. | Chicken-or-the-egg problem: Can we move on to market administration without finalizing jurisdiction? States will continue discussions on dual path. |
| | c. My state would like further conversations with FERC Staff and potentially CFTC or commodities experts. | Priority: Have discussions with CFTC Staff and expert lawyers. |
| | d. My state believes we have exhausted our in-house expertise on this topics and the states who are going to participate in the market should move forward with hiring a lawyer to make sure all possible options have been explored and that non-FERC related jurisdictional questions have been adequately analyzed. | Nothing further at this time. |