

ILLINOIS COMMERCE COMMISSION V. FERC: IMPLICATIONS FOR WIND IN ORGANIZED ENERGY MARKETS

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Issue: Whether MISO can allocate multi-value project (MVP) costs to its members (and not the generators)

Holding (7th Circuit, Judge Posner): Yes, MISO can allocate costs to every member in proportion to their load

IMPLICATIONS



Dicta: Michigan's RPS prohibiting in-state utilities from crediting out of state wind violates dormant commerce clause of Constitution

IMPLICATIONS CONT.

- Could see this trend across other ISOs/RTOs
- Western Interconnection questions:
 - Western wind sales into CAISO?
 - Cost allocation for CAISO-PacifiCorp EIM?
 - Stall current market development efforts?
- Supergrid?



Source: ISO/RTO Council, <http://www.isorto.org/site/c.jhKQIZPBIImE/b.2604471/>

CONCLUSION

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Thank you!