Response of: Entergy New Orleans, Inc.
to the Seventh Set of Data Requests
of Requesting Party: Alliance for Affordable Energy

Question No.: AAE 7-2 Part No.: Addendum:

Question:

Please describe and provide a copy of the Midcontinent Independent System Operator, Inc. ("MISO") transmission planning criteria which is used to evaluate and plan the Company’s transmission system.

Response:

As documented through Guiding Principle 2\(^1\) of the MISO Transmission Expansion Plan ("MTEP"), MISO evaluates the Company’s long-term transmission plan to ensure that the plan meets the applicable NERC reliability standard and the Transmission Owner planning criteria. Consequently, the Company’s transmission system is planned to the NERC TPL 001-4 reliability standard using the Company’s Local Planning Guidelines and Criteria in the MISO MTEP process. Please see the documents linked to in footnotes 1 and 2 of the Company’s response to SIE 5-5.

\(^1\) MISO’s MTEP Guiding Principles can be found here: https://www.misoenergy.org/Planning/TransmissionExpansionPlanning/Pages/TransmissionExpansionPlanning.aspx