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## **Revision History**

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### **Executive Summary**

Aneden Consulting (Aneden) was retained by the Southwest Power Pool (SPP) to perform a Modification Request Impact Study (Study) for GEN-2017-010, an active Generation Interconnection Request (GIR) with a Point of Interconnection (POI) at the Rhame 230 kV Substation.

The GEN-2017-010 project interconnects in the Basin Electric Power Cooperative (BEPC) control area with a capacity of 200.1 MW. This Study has been requested to evaluate the modification of GEN-2017-010 to change the configuration to 74 x GE wind turbines operating at 2.8027 MW for a total assumed dispatch of 207.4 MW. The turbines are rated at 2.82 MW, and the generating capability (208.68 MW) exceeds its Generator Interconnection Agreement (GIA) Interconnection Service amount. The injection amount must be limited to 200.1 MW at the POI as listed in Appendix A of the GIA. As a result, the customer must ensure that the amount of power injected at the POI does not exceed the Interconnection Service amount listed in its GIA. The requested modification includes the use of a Power Plant Controller (PPC) to limit the total power injected into the POI.

In addition, the modification request included changes to the collection system, generator step-up transformers, main substation transformer, and generation interconnection line. The existing configuration from the DISIS-2018-002/2019-001 models and the modified configuration for GEN-2017-010 are shown in Table ES-1 below.

SPP determined that steady-state analysis was not required because the modifications to the project were not significant enough to change the previously studied steady-state conclusions. However, SPP determined that the change in turbine from Siemens to GE required short circuit and dynamic stability analyses.

The scope of this study included reactive power analysis, short circuit analysis, and dynamic stability analysis.

Aneden performed the analyses using the modification request data and the DISIS-2018-002/2019-001 study models:

- 2025 Summer Peak (25SP),
- 2025 Winter Peak (25WP)



Table ES-1: GEN-2017-010 Modification Request

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Facility	Existing DISIS Configuration <sup>1</sup>	Modification Configuration		
Point of Interconnection	Rhame 230 kV Substation (659266)	Rhame 230 kV Substation (659266)		
Configuration/Capacity	87 x Siemens 2.3 MW (wind) = 200.1 MW	74 x GE 2.8027 MW (wind) = 207.4 MW [dispatch] Units are rated at 2.82 MW, PPC in place to limit POI to 200.1 MW		
	Length = 1.7 miles	Length = 0.558 miles		
	R = 0.000446 pu	R = 0.000127 pu		
Generation Interconnection Line	X = 0.001283 pu	X = 0.000797 pu		
Lino	B = 0.009850 pu	B = 0.001715 pu		
	Rating MVA = 0.0 MVA	Rating MVA = 354 MVA		
Main Substation Transformer <sup>2</sup>	X = 11.989%, R = 0.499%, Winding MVA = 135 MVA, Rating MVA = 224 MVA	X = 10.499%, R = 0.163%, Winding MVA = 145 MVA, Rating MVA = 240 MVA		
	Gen 1 Equivalent Qty: 87	Gen 1 Equivalent Qty: 74		
Equivalent GSU Transformer <sup>2</sup>	X = 5.967%, R = 0.633%, Winding MVA = 239.25 MVA, Rating MVA <sup>3</sup> = 239.3 MVA	X = 6.561%, R = 0.714%, Winding MVA = 233.1 MVA, Rating MVA = 233.1 MVA		
	R = 0.051770 pu	R = 0.014522 pu		
Equivalent Collector Line <sup>4</sup>	X = 0.053170 pu	X = 0.013122 pu		
	B = 0.059160 pu	B = 0.131404 pu		
Generator Dynamic Model <sup>5</sup> & Power Factor	87 x Siemens 2.3 MW (SWTGU2) Leading: 0.98 Lagging: 0.98	74 x GE 2.82 MW (GEWTG0705C) <sup>5</sup> Leading: 0.8945 Lagging: 0.8945		

<sup>1)</sup> Based on the DISIS-2018-002/2019-001 stability model set, 2) X and R based on Winding MVA, 3) Rating rounded in PSS/E, 4) All pu are on 100 MVA Base, 5) DYR stability model name

Note that while the DISIS-2018-002/2019-001 models have a configuration of 87 x Siemens 2.3 MW, the current GEN-2017-010 GIA states the configuration as 71 x GE 2.82 MW turbines.

All analyses were performed using the Siemens PTI PSS/E<sup>1</sup> version 34 software and the results are summarized below.

The results of the reactive power analysis using the 25SP model showed that the GEN-2017-010 project needed a 13.3 MVAr shunt reactor on the 34.5 kV bus of the project substation with the modifications in place, an increase from the 6.91 MVAr found in the DISIS-2017-001-2 study<sup>2</sup>. This is necessary to offset the capacitive effect on the transmission network caused by the project's transmission line and collector system during reduced generation conditions. The information gathered from the reactive power analysis is provided as information to the Interconnection Customer and Transmission Owner (TO) and/or

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> DISIS-2017-001-2 Restudy of Stability and Short Circuit Analysis – June 16, 2022



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Transmission Operator (TOP). The applicable reactive power requirements will be further reviewed by the TO and/or TOP.

The short circuit analysis was performed using the 25SP stability model modified for short circuit analysis. The results from the short circuit analysis with the updated topology showed that the maximum GEN-2017-010 contribution to three-phase fault currents in the immediate transmission systems at or near the GEN-2017-010 POI was 1.25 kA. The maximum three-phase fault current level within 5 buses of the POI was 19.4 kA for the 25SP model.

The dynamic stability analysis was performed using Siemens PTI PSS/E version 34.8.0 software for the two modified study models: 25SP and 25WP. 44 fault events were simulated, which included three-phase faults and single-line-to-ground stuck breaker faults.

The results of the dynamic stability analysis showed several existing base case issues that were found in both the original DISIS-2018-002/2019-001 models and in the models with the GEN-2017-010 modification included. These issues were not attributed to the GEN-2017-010 modification request and are detailed in Appendix C.

There were no damping or voltage recovery violations attributed to the GEN-2017-010 modification request observed during the simulated faults. Additionally, the project was found to stay connected during the contingencies that were studied and, therefore, will meet the Low Voltage Ride Through (LVRT) requirements of FERC Order #661A.

Based on the results of the study, SPP determined that the requested modification is **not a Material Modification**. The requested modification does not have a material adverse impact on the cost or timing of any other Interconnection Request with a later Queue priority date. As the requested modification places the generating capacity of the Interconnection Request at a higher amount than its Interconnection Service, the customer must install monitoring and control equipment as needed to ensure that the amount of power injected at the POI does not exceed the Interconnection Service amount listed in its GIA.

In accordance with FERC Order No. 827, the generating facility will be required to provide dynamic reactive power within the range of 0.95 leading to 0.95 lagging at the high-side of the generator substation.

It is likely that the customer may be required to reduce its generation output to 0 MW in real-time, also known as curtailment, under certain system conditions to allow system operators to maintain the reliability of the transmission network.

Nothing in this study should be construed as a guarantee of transmission service or delivery rights. If the customer wishes to obtain deliverability to final customers, a separate request for transmission service must be requested on Southwest Power Pool's OASIS by the customer.



### 1.0 Scope of Study

Aneden Consulting (Aneden) was retained by the Southwest Power Pool (SPP) to perform a Modification Request Impact Study (Study) for GEN-2017-010. A Modification Request Impact Study is a generation interconnection study performed to evaluate the impacts of modifying the DISIS study assumptions. The determination of the required scope of the study is dependent upon the specific modification requested and how it may impact the results of the DISIS study. Impacting the DISIS results could potentially affect the cost or timing of any Interconnection Request with a later Queue priority date, deeming the requested modification a Material Modification. The criteria sections below include reasoning as to why an analysis was either included or excluded from the scope of study.

All analyses were performed using the Siemens PTI PSS/E version 34 software. The results of each analysis are presented in the following sections.

#### 1.1 Reactive Power Analysis

SPP requires that a reactive power analysis be performed on the requested configuration if it is a non-synchronous resource. The reactive power analysis determines the capacitive effect at the POI caused by the project's collection system and transmission line's capacitance. A shunt reactor size was determined to offset the capacitive effect and maintain zero (0) MVAr injection at the POI while the plant's generators and capacitors were offline.

#### 1.2 Short Circuit Analysis & Stability Analysis

To determine whether stability and short circuit analyses are required, SPP evaluates the difference between the stability models, the stability model parameters and, if needed, the equivalent collector system impedance between the existing configuration and the requested modification. Dynamic stability analysis and short circuit analysis would be required if the differences listed above were determined to have a significant impact on the most recently performed DISIS stability analysis.

#### 1.3 Steady-State Analysis

Steady-state analysis is performed if SPP deems it necessary based on the nature of the requested change. SPP determined that steady-state analysis was not required because the modifications to the project were not significant enough to change the previously studied steady-state conclusions.

### 1.4 Study Limitations

The assessments and conclusions provided in this report are based on assumptions and information provided to Aneden by others. While the assumptions and information provided may be appropriate for the purposes of this report, Aneden does not guarantee that those conditions assumed will occur. In addition, Aneden did not independently verify the accuracy or completeness of the information provided. As such, the conclusions and results presented in this report may vary depending on the extent to which actual future conditions differ from the assumptions made or information used herein.



### 2.0 Project and Modification Request

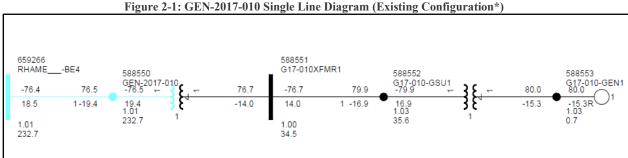
The GEN-2017-010 Interconnection Customer requested a modification to its Generation Interconnection Request (GIR) with a Point of Interconnection (POI) at the Rhame 230 kV Substation in the Basin Electric Power Cooperative (BEPC) control area.

At the time of report posting, GEN-2017-010 is an active Interconnection Request with a queue status of "IA FULLY EXECUTED/ON SCHEDULE." GEN-2017-010 is a wind facility with a maximum summer and winter queue capacity of 200.1 MW with Energy Resource Interconnection Service (ERIS).

The GEN-2017-010 project is currently in the DISIS-2017-001 cluster. Figure 2-1 shows the power flow model single line diagram for the existing modeled GEN-2017-010 configuration using the DISIS-2018-002/2019-001 25SP stability model.

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In addition, the modification request included changes to the collection system, generator step-up transformers, main substation transformer, and generation interconnection line. Figure 2-2 shows the power flow model single line diagram for the GEN-2017-010 modification. The existing configuration from the DISIS-2018-002/2019-001 models and the modified configuration for GEN-2017-010 are shown in Table 2-1 below.



\*based on the DISIS-2018-002/2019-001 25SP stability models



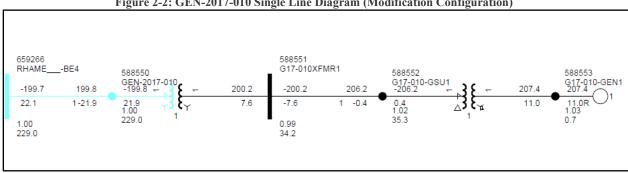


Figure 2-2: GEN-2017-010 Single Line Diagram (Modification Configuration)

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### 3.0 Existing vs Modification Comparison

To determine which analyses are required for the Study, the differences between the existing configuration from the DISIS-2018-002/2019-001 models and the requested modification were evaluated. Aneden performed this comparison and the resulting analyses using a set of modified study models developed based on the modification request data and the DISIS-2018-002/2019-001 study models. The analysis was completed using PSS/E version 34 software.

The methodology and results of the comparisons are described below.

### 3.1 Stability Model Parameters Comparison

SPP determined that short circuit and dynamic stability analyses were required because of the turbine change from Siemens to GE turbines. This is because the short circuit contribution and stability responses of the existing configuration and the requested modification's configuration may differ. The generator dynamic model for the modification can be found in Appendix A.

As short circuit and dynamic stability analyses were already deemed required, a stability model parameters comparison was not needed for the determination of the scope of the study.

#### 3.2 Equivalent Impedance Comparison Calculation

As the turbine change determined that short circuit and dynamic stability analyses were required, an equivalent impedance comparison was not needed for the determination of the scope of the study.



### 4.0 Reactive Power Analysis

The reactive power analysis was performed for GEN-2017-010 to determine the capacitive charging effects during reduced generation conditions (unsuitable wind speeds, unsuitable solar irradiance, insufficient state of charge, idle conditions, curtailment, etc.) at the generation site and to size shunt reactors that would reduce the project reactive power contribution to the POI to approximately zero.

#### 4.1 Methodology and Criteria

GEN-2017-010 generators were switched out of service while other system elements remained inservice. A shunt reactor was tested at the project's collection substation 34.5 kV bus to reduce the MVAr injection at the POI to zero. The size of the shunt reactor is equivalent to the charging current value at unity voltage and the compensation provided is proportional to the voltage effects on the charging current (i.e., for voltages above unity, reactive compensation is greater than the size of the reactor).

Aneden performed the reactive power analysis using the modification request data based on the 25SP DISIS-2018-002/2019-001 stability study model.

#### 4.2 Results

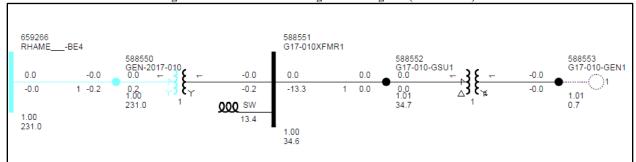
The results from the analysis showed that the GEN-2017-010 project needed approximately 13.3 MVAr of compensation at its collector substation to reduce the MVAr injection at the POI to zero. This is an increase from the 6.91 MVAr found in the DISIS-2017-001-2 study<sup>3</sup>. The final shunt reactor requirements are shown in Table 4-1. Figure 4-1 illustrates the shunt reactor size needed to reduce the POI MVAr to approximately zero with the updated topology.

The information gathered from the reactive power analysis is provided as information to the Interconnection Customer and Transmission Owner (TO) and/or Transmission Operator (TOP). The applicable reactive power requirements will be further reviewed by the TO and/or TOP.

Table 4-1: Shunt Reactor Size for Reactive Power Analysis

Machine	POI Bus	POI Bus Name	Reactor Size (MVAr)	
Machine	Number	POI bus Name	25SP	
GEN-2017-010	659266	RHAMEBE4	13.3	

Figure 4-1: GEN-2017-010 Single Line Diagram (Shunt Sizes)



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> DISIS-2017-001-2 Restudy of Stability and Short Circuit Analysis – June 16, 2022



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### **5.0 Short Circuit Analysis**

Aneden performed a short circuit study using the 25SP model for GEN-2017-010 to determine the maximum fault current requiring interruption by protective equipment for each bus in the relevant subsystem. The detailed results of the short circuit analysis are provided in Appendix B.

#### 5.1 Methodology

The short circuit analysis included applying a 3-phase fault on buses up to 5 levels away from the 230 kV POI bus. The PSS/E "Automatic Sequence Fault Calculation (ASCC)" fault analysis module was used to calculate the fault current levels in the transmission system with and without GEN-2017-010 online.

Aneden created a short circuit model using the 25SP DISIS-2018-002/2019-001 stability study model by adjusting the GEN-2017-010 short circuit parameters consistent with the submitted data. The adjusted parameters used in the short circuit analysis are shown in Table 5-1 below. No other changes were made to the model.

Table 5-1: Short Circuit Model Parameters\*

Parameter	Value by Generator Bus#
	588553
Machine MVA Base	231.84
R (pu)	0.0
X" (pu)	0.2

<sup>\*</sup>pu values based on Machine MVA Base

#### 5.2 Results

The results of the short circuit analysis for the 25SP model are summarized in Table 5-2 and Table 5-3. The GEN-2017-010 POI bus (Rhame 230 kV) fault current magnitudes for the comparison cases are provided in Table 5-2 showing a fault current of 5.03 kA with the GEN-2017-010 project online. Table 5-3 shows the maximum fault current magnitudes and fault current increases with the GEN-2017-010 project online.

The maximum fault current calculated within 5 buses of the POI was 19.4 kA for the 25SP model. The maximum GEN-2017-010 contribution to three-phase fault currents was about 32.9% and 1.25 kA.

**Table 5-2: POI Short Circuit Comparison Results** 

Case	GEN-OFF Current (kA)	GEN-ON Current (kA)	kA Change	%Change
25SP	3.78	5.03	1.25	32.9%



**Table 5-3: 25SP Short Circuit Comparison Results** 

Voltage (kV)	Max. Current (kA)	Max kA Change	Max %Change
69	2.0	0.03	1.5%
115	13.5	0.29	9.3%
230	15.5	1.25	32.9%
345	19.4	0.17	2.6%
Max	19.4	1.25	32.9%



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### 6.0 Dynamic Stability Analysis

Aneden performed a dynamic stability analysis to identify the impact of the modifications to GEN-2017-010. The analysis was performed according to SPP's Disturbance Performance Requirements<sup>4</sup>. The modification details are described in Section 2.0 above and the dynamic modeling data is provided in Appendix A. The existing base case issues and simulation plots can be found in Appendix C.

#### 6.1 Methodology and Criteria

The dynamic stability analysis was performed using models developed with the requested GEN-2017-010 configuration of 74 x GE turbines operating at 2.8027 MW (GEWTG0705C). This stability analysis was performed using Siemens PTI's PSS/E version 34.8.0 software.

The modifications requested for the GEN-2017-010 project were used to create modified stability models for this impact study based on the DISIS-2018-002/2019-001 stability study models:

- 2025 Summer Peak (25SP),
- 2025 Winter Peak (25WP)

The dynamic model data for the GEN-2017-010 project is provided in Appendix A. The power flow models and associated dynamic database were initialized (no-fault test) to confirm that there were no errors in the initial conditions of the system and the dynamic data.

The following system adjustments were made to address existing base case issues that are not attributed to the modification request:

- The voltage protective relays at buses 763046, 763629, 763632, and 659453 were disabled to avoid generator tripping due to an instantaneous over voltage spike after fault clearing.
- The PSSE dynamic simulation iterations and acceleration factor were adjusted as needed to resolve PSSE dynamic simulation crashes.
- The WTDTA1 drive train model was disabled and REGCA1 acceleration factor was changed to 0.01 at buses 661987, 659453, 763046, and 763629 to resolve PSSE dynamic simulation crashes.

During the fault simulations, the active power (PELEC), reactive power (QELEC), and terminal voltage (ETERM) were monitored for GEN-2017-010 and other current and prior queued projects in Group 1. In addition, voltages of five (5) buses away from the POI of the GEN-2017-010 were monitored and plotted. The machine rotor angle for synchronous machines and speed for asynchronous machines within the study areas including 330 (AECI), 526 (SPS), 600 (XEL), 615 (GRE), 620 (OTP), 627 (ALTW), 635 (MEC), 640 (NPPD), 645 (OPPD), 652 (WAPA), 659 (BEPC-SPP), 661 (MDU), 663 (BEPC-MISO), 672 (SPC), and 680 (DPC) were monitored. The voltages of all 100 kV and above buses within the study area were monitored as well.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> SPP Disturbance Performance Requirements:

#### **6.2 Fault Definitions**

Aneden developed fault events as required to study the modification. The new set of faults was simulated using the modified study models. The fault events included three-phase faults and single-line-to-ground stuck breaker faults. Single-line-to-ground faults are approximated by applying a fault impedance to bring the faulted bus positive sequence voltage to 0.6 pu. The simulated faults are listed and described in Table 6-1 below. These contingencies were applied to the modified 25SP and 25WP models.

**Table 6-1: Fault Definitions** 

Fault ID	Planning Event	Fault Descriptions
FLT1000-SB	P4	Stuck Breaker on RHAMEBE4 (659266) 230 kV Bus a. Apply single phase fault at the RHAMEBE4 (659266) 230 kV Bus b. Clear fault after 16 cycles and trip the following elements: b.1.Trip the RHAMEBE4 (659266) 230 kV to DAGLUMBE4 (659448) 230 kV line CKT 1. b.2.Trip the RHAMEBE4 (659266) 230 kV to LITTL_MS-BE4 (659265) 230 kV line CKT 1.
FLT1001-SB	P4	Stuck Breaker on RHAMEBE4 (659266) 230 kV Bus a. Apply single phase fault at the RHAMEBE4 (659266) 230 kV Bus b. Clear fault after 16 cycles and trip the following elements: b.1.Trip the RHAMEBE4 (659266) 230 kV to LITTL_MS-BE4 (659265) 230 kV line CKT 1. b.2.Trip the RHAMEBE4 (659266) 230 kV / RHAMEBE7 (659267) 115 kV XFMR CKT 1.
FLT1002-SB	P4	Stuck Breaker on RHAMEBE4 (659266) 230 kV Bus a. Apply single phase fault at the RHAMEBE4 (659266) 230 kV Bus b. Clear fault after 16 cycles and trip the following elements: b.1.Trip the RHAMEBE4 (659266) 230 kV to BOWMANBE4 (659339) 230 kV line CKT 1. b.2.Trip the RHAMEBE4 (659266) 230 kV / RHAMEBE7 (659267) 115 kV XFMR CKT 1.
FLT1003-SB	P4	Stuck Breaker on DAGLUMBE4 (659448) 230 kV Bus a. Apply single phase fault at the DAGLUMBE4 (659448) 230 kV Bus b. Clear fault after 16 cycles and trip the following elements: b.1.Trip the DAGLUMBE4 (659448) 230 kV to RHAMEBE4 (659266) 230 kV line CKT 1. b.2.Trip the DAGLUMBE4 (659448) 230 kV to BELFELD4 (652425) 230 kV line CKT 1. Trip generator on the Bus BRADYWNDGN1W (659453) 0.7 kV Trip generator on the Bus BRADYWNDGN2W (659461) 0.7 kV
FLT1004-SB	P4	Stuck Breaker on BOWMANBE4 (659339) 230 kV Bus a. Apply single phase fault at the BOWMANBE4 (659339) 230 kV Bus b. Clear fault after 16 cycles and trip the following elements: b.1.Trip the BOWMANBE4 (659339) 230 kV to RHAMEBE4 (659266) 230 kV line CKT 1. b.2.Trip the BOWMANBE4 (659339) 230 kV to HETINGR4 (661047) 230 kV line CKT 1.
FLT1005-SB	P4	Stuck Breaker on LITTL_MS-BE4 (659265) 230 kV Bus a. Apply single phase fault at the LITTL_MS-BE4 (659265) 230 kV Bus b. Clear fault after 16 cycles and trip the following elements: b.1.Trip the LITTL_MS-BE4 (659265) 230 kV to RHAMEBE4 (659266) 230 kV line CKT 1. b.2.Trip the LITTL_MS-BE4 (659265) 230 kV to BAKER 4 (661004) 230 kV line CKT 1.
FLT9000-3PH	P1	3 Phase fault on RHAMEBE4 (659266) 230 kV to GEN-2017-010 (588550) 230 kV line CKT 1, near RHAMEBE4 (659266) 230 kV. a. Apply fault at the RHAMEBE4 (659266) 230 kV Bus. b. Clear fault after 7 cycles by tripping the faulted line. Trip generator on the Bus G17-010-GEN1 (588553) 0.7 kV



**Table 6-1 Continued** 

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Fault ID	Planning	Fault Descriptions
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FLT9001-3PH	P1	3 Phase fault on RHAMEBE4 (659266) 230 kV to LITTL_MS-BE4 (659265) 230 kV line CKT 1, near RHAMEBE4 (659266) 230 kV.  a. Apply fault at the RHAMEBE4 (659266) 230 kV Bus.  b. Clear fault after 7 cycles by tripping the faulted line.  c. Wait 20 cycles, and then re-close the line in (b) back into the fault.  d. Leave Fault on for 7 cycles, then trip the line in (b) and remove fault.
FLT9002-3PH	P1	3 Phase fault on RHAMEBE4 (659266) 230 kV to BOWMANBE4 (659339) 230 kV line CKT 1, near RHAMEBE4 (659266) 230 kV.  a. Apply fault at the RHAMEBE4 (659266) 230 kV Bus.  b. Clear fault after 7 cycles by tripping the faulted line.  c. Wait 20 cycles, and then re-close the line in (b) back into the fault.  d. Leave Fault on for 7 cycles, then trip the line in (b) and remove fault.
FLT9003-3PH	P1	3 Phase fault on RHAMEBE4 (659266) 230 kV to DAGLUMBE4 (659448) 230 kV line CKT 1, near RHAMEBE4 (659266) 230 kV. a. Apply fault at the RHAMEBE4 (659266) 230 kV Bus. b. Clear fault after 7 cycles by tripping the faulted line. c. Wait 20 cycles, and then re-close the line in (b) back into the fault. d. Leave Fault on for 7 cycles, then trip the line in (b) and remove fault.
FLT9004-3PH	P1	3 Phase fault on RHAMEBE4 (659266) 230 kV to RHAMEBE7 (659267) 115 kV XFMR CKT 1, near RHAMEBE4 (659266) 230 kV. a. Apply fault at the RHAMEBE4 (659266) 230 kV Bus. b. Clear fault after 7 cycles by tripping the faulted transformer.
FLT9005-3PH	P1	3 Phase fault on RHAMEBE7 (659267) 115 kV to RHAMEBE4 (659266) 230 kV XFMR CKT 1, near RHAMEBE7 (659267) 115 kV. a. Apply fault at the RHAMEBE7 (659267) 115 kV Bus. b. Clear fault after 7 cycles by tripping the faulted transformer.
FLT9006-3PH	P1	3 Phase fault on DAGLUMBE4 (659448) 230 kV to RHAMEBE4 (659266) 230 kV line CKT 1, near DAGLUMBE4 (659448) 230 kV.  a. Apply fault at the DAGLUMBE4 (659448) 230 kV Bus.  b. Clear fault after 7 cycles by tripping the faulted line.  c. Wait 20 cycles, and then re-close the line in (b) back into the fault.  d. Leave Fault on for 7 cycles, then trip the line in (b) and remove fault.
FLT9007-3PH	P1	3 Phase fault on DAGLUMBE4 (659448) 230 kV to BELFELD4 (652425) 230 kV line CKT 1, near DAGLUMBE4 (659448) 230 kV.  a. Apply fault at the DAGLUMBE4 (659448) 230 kV Bus. b. Clear fault after 7 cycles by tripping the faulted line. c. Wait 20 cycles, and then re-close the line in (b) back into the fault. d. Leave Fault on for 7 cycles, then trip the line in (b) and remove fault.
FLT9008-3PH	P1	3 Phase fault on DAGLUMBE4 (659448) 230 kV to BRADYWND 4 (659450) 230 kV line CKT 1, near DAGLUMBE4 (659448) 230 kV. a. Apply fault at the DAGLUMBE4 (659448) 230 kV Bus. b. Clear fault after 7 cycles by tripping the faulted line. Trip generator on the Bus BRADYWNDGN1W (659453) 0.7 kV Trip generator on the Bus BRADYWNDGN2W (659461) 0.7 kV
FLT9009-3PH	P1	3 Phase fault on BRADYWND 4 (659450) 230 kV to DAGLUMBE4 (659448) 230 kV line CKT 1, near BRADYWND 4 (659450) 230 kV. a. Apply fault at the BRADYWND 4 (659450) 230 kV Bus. b. Clear fault after 7 cycles by tripping the faulted line. Trip generator on the Bus BRADYWNDGN1W (659453) 0.7 kV Trip generator on the Bus BRADYWNDGN2W (659461) 0.7 kV
FLT9010-3PH	P1	3 Phase fault on BRADYWND 4 (659450) 230 kV to BRADYWND 19 (659451) 34.5 kV XFMR CKT 1, near BRADYWND 4 (659450) 230 kV. a. Apply fault at the BRADYWND 4 (659450) 230 kV Bus. b. Clear fault after 7 cycles by tripping the faulted transformer. Trip generator on the Bus BRADYWNDGN1W (659453) 0.7 kV
FLT9011-3PH	P1	3 Phase fault on BRADYWND 4 (659450) 230 kV to BRADYWND 29 (659459) 34.5 kV XFMR CKT 1, near BRADYWND 4 (659450) 230 kV. a. Apply fault at the BRADYWND 4 (659450) 230 kV Bus. b. Clear fault after 7 cycles by tripping the faulted transformer. Trip generator on the Bus BRADYWNDGN2W (659461) 0.7 kV



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Fault ID	Planning Event	Fault Descriptions
FLT9012-3PH	P1	3 Phase fault on BELFELD4 (652425) 230 kV to DAGLUMBE4 (659448) 230 kV line CKT 1, near BELFELD4 (652425) 230 kV.  a. Apply fault at the BELFELD4 (652425) 230 kV Bus. b. Clear fault after 7 cycles by tripping the faulted line. c. Wait 20 cycles, and then re-close the line in (b) back into the fault. d. Leave Fault on for 7 cycles, then trip the line in (b) and remove fault.
FLT9013-3PH	P1	3 Phase fault on BELFELD4 (652425) 230 kV to S.HEARTRR4 (659309) 230 kV line CKT Z, near BELFELD4 (652425) 230 kV. a. Apply fault at the BELFELD4 (652425) 230 kV Bus. b. Clear fault after 7 cycles by tripping the faulted line. c. Wait 20 cycles, and then re-close the line in (b) back into the fault. d. Leave Fault on for 7 cycles, then trip the line in (b) and remove fault.
FLT9014-3PH	P1	3 Phase fault on BELFELD4 (652425) 230 kV to DICKINSN-BE4 (659124) 230 kV line CKT 1, near BELFELD4 (652425) 230 kV.  a. Apply fault at the BELFELD4 (652425) 230 kV Bus. b. Clear fault after 7 cycles by tripping the faulted line. c. Wait 20 cycles, and then re-close the line in (b) back into the fault. d. Leave Fault on for 7 cycles, then trip the line in (b) and remove fault.
FLT9015-3PH	P1	3 Phase fault on BELFELD4 (652425) 230 kV to MEDORAUM4 (659247) 230 kV line CKT 1, near BELFELD4 (652425) 230 kV.  a. Apply fault at the BELFELD4 (652425) 230 kV Bus. b. Clear fault after 7 cycles by tripping the faulted line. c. Wait 20 cycles, and then re-close the line in (b) back into the fault. d. Leave Fault on for 7 cycles, then trip the line in (b) and remove fault.
FLT9016-3PH	P1	3 Phase fault on BELFELD4 (652425) 230 kV / BELFELD3 (652424) 345 kV / BELFELD29 (652220) 13.8 kV XFMR CKT 1, near BELFELD4 (652425) 230 kV. a. Apply fault at the BELFELD4 (652425) 230 kV Bus. b. Clear fault after 7 cycles by tripping the faulted transformer.
FLT9017-3PH	P1	3 Phase fault on BELFELD3 (652424) 345 kV / BELFELD4 (652425) 230 kV / BELFELD29 (652220) 13.8 kV XFMR CKT 1, near BELFELD3 (652424) 345 kV. a. Apply fault at the BELFELD3 (652424) 345 kV Bus. b. Clear fault after 6 cycles by tripping the faulted transformer.
FLT9018-3PH	P1	3 Phase fault on BELFELD3 (652424) 345 kV to CHARL_CK-BE3 (659183) 345 kV line CKT 1, near BELFELD3 (652424) 345 kV.  a. Apply fault at the BELFELD3 (652424) 345 kV Bus. b. Clear fault after 6 cycles by tripping the faulted line. c. Wait 20 cycles, and then re-close the line in (b) back into the fault. d. Leave Fault on for 6 cycles, then trip the line in (b) and remove fault.
FLT9019-3PH	P1	3 Phase fault on BOWMANBE4 (659339) 230 kV to RHAMEBE4 (659266) 230 kV line CKT 1, near BOWMANBE4 (659339) 230 kV.  a. Apply fault at the BOWMANBE4 (659339) 230 kV Bus.  b. Clear fault after 7 cycles by tripping the faulted line.  c. Wait 20 cycles, and then re-close the line in (b) back into the fault.  d. Leave Fault on for 7 cycles, then trip the line in (b) and remove fault.
FLT9020-3PH	P1	3 Phase fault on BOWMANBE4 (659339) 230 kV to HETINGR4 (661047) 230 kV line CKT 1, near BOWMANBE4 (659339) 230 kV. a. Apply fault at the BOWMANBE4 (659339) 230 kV Bus. b. Clear fault after 7 cycles by tripping the faulted line. c. Wait 20 cycles, and then re-close the line in (b) back into the fault. d. Leave Fault on for 7 cycles, then trip the line in (b) and remove fault.
FLT9021-3PH	P1	3 Phase fault on BOWMANBE4 (659339) 230 kV to BOWMANBE7 (659340) 115 kV XFMR CKT 1, near BOWMANBE4 (659339) 230 kV. a. Apply fault at the BOWMANBE4 (659339) 230 kV Bus. b. Clear fault after 7 cycles by tripping the faulted transformer.



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Fault ID	Planning Event	Fault Descriptions				
FLT9022-3PH	P1	3 Phase fault on HETINGR4 (661047) 230 kV to BOWMANBE4 (659339) 230 kV line CKT 1, near HETINGR4 (661047) 230 kV. a. Apply fault at the HETINGR4 (661047) 230 kV Bus. b. Clear fault after 7 cycles by tripping the faulted line. c. Wait 20 cycles, and then re-close the line in (b) back into the fault. d. Leave Fault on for 7 cycles, then trip the line in (b) and remove fault.				
FLT9023-3PH	P1	3 Phase fault on HETINGR4 (661047) 230 kV to BISONGE4 (659351) 230 kV line CKT 1, near HETINGR4 (661047) 230 kV. a. Apply fault at the HETINGR4 (661047) 230 kV Bus. b. Clear fault after 7 cycles by tripping the faulted line. c. Wait 20 cycles, and then re-close the line in (b) back into the fault. d. Leave Fault on for 7 cycles, then trip the line in (b) and remove fault.				
FLT9024-3PH	P1	3 Phase fault on HETINGR4 (661047) 230 kV / HETINGR7 (661048) 115 kV / HETINGR9 (661902) 13.8 kV XFMR CKT 1, near HETINGR4 (661047) 230 kV. a. Apply fault at the HETINGR4 (661047) 230 kV Bus. b. Clear fault after 7 cycles by tripping the faulted transformer.				
FLT9025-3PH	P1	3 Phase fault on HETINGR4 (661047) 230 kV to THDRSPTCLC 9 (661988) 34.5 kV XFMR CKT 1, near HETINGR4 (661047) 230 kV. a. Apply fault at the HETINGR4 (661047) 230 kV Bus. b. Clear fault after 7 cycles by tripping the faulted transformer. Trip generator on the Bus THNDRSPT G W (661989) 0.7 kV Trip generator on the Bus THNDRSPT2G W (661987) 0.7 kV				
FLT9026-3PH	P1	3 Phase fault on HETINGR7 (661048) 115 kV / HETINGR4 (661047) 230 kV / HETINGR9 (661902) 13.8 kV XFMR CKT 1, near HETINGR7 (661048) 115 kV. a. Apply fault at the HETINGR7 (661048) 115 kV Bus. b. Clear fault after 7 cycles by tripping the faulted transformer.				
FLT9027-3PH	P1	3 Phase fault on HETINGR7 (661048) 115 kV to CENTIPED-UM7 (655730) 115 kV line CKT 1, near HETINGR7 (661048) 115 kV. a. Apply fault at the HETINGR7 (661048) 115 kV Bus. b. Clear fault after 7 cycles by tripping the faulted line. c. Wait 20 cycles, and then re-close the line in (b) back into the fault. d. Leave Fault on for 7 cycles, then trip the line in (b) and remove fault.				
FLT9028-3PH	P1	3 Phase fault on HETINGR7 (661048) 115 kV to GASCOYN7 (661050) 115 kV line CKT 1, near HETINGR7 (661048) 115 kV. a. Apply fault at the HETINGR7 (661048) 115 kV Bus. b. Clear fault after 7 cycles by tripping the faulted line. c. Wait 20 cycles, and then re-close the line in (b) back into the fault. d. Leave Fault on for 7 cycles, then trip the line in (b) and remove fault.				
FLT9029-3PH	P1	3 Phase fault on LITTL_MS-BE4 (659265) 230 kV to RHAMEBE4 (659266) 230 kV line CKT 1, near LITTL_MS-BE4 (659265) 230 kV.  a. Apply fault at the LITTL_MS-BE4 (659265) 230 kV Bus.  b. Clear fault after 7 cycles by tripping the faulted line.  c. Wait 20 cycles, and then re-close the line in (b) back into the fault.  d. Leave Fault on for 7 cycles, then trip the line in (b) and remove fault.				
FLT9030-3PH	P1	3 Phase fault on LITTL_MS-BE4 (659265) 230 kV to BAKER 4 (661004) 230 kV line CKT 1, near LITTL_MS-BE4 (659265) 230 kV.  a. Apply fault at the LITTL_MS-BE4 (659265) 230 kV Bus. b. Clear fault after 7 cycles by tripping the faulted line. c. Wait 20 cycles, and then re-close the line in (b) back into the fault. d. Leave Fault on for 7 cycles, then trip the line in (b) and remove fault.				
FLT9031-3PH	P1	3 Phase fault on LITTL_MS-BE4 (659265) 230 kV to LITTL_MS-BE7 (659263) 115 kV XFMR CKT 1, near LITTL_MS-BE4 (659265) 230 kV. a. Apply fault at the LITTL_MS-BE4 (659265) 230 kV Bus. b. Clear fault after 7 cycles by tripping the faulted transformer.				



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Fault ID	Planning Event	Fault Descriptions		
FLT9032-3PH	P1	3 Phase fault on BAKER 4 (661004) 230 kV to LITTL_MS-BE4 (659265) 230 kV line CKT 1, near BAKER 4 (661004) 230 kV.  a. Apply fault at the BAKER 4 (661004) 230 kV Bus. b. Clear fault after 7 cycles by tripping the faulted line. c. Wait 20 cycles, and then re-close the line in (b) back into the fault. d. Leave Fault on for 7 cycles, then trip the line in (b) and remove fault.		
FLT9033-3PH	P1	3 Phase fault on BAKER 4 (661004) 230 kV to MI CTYE4 (652411) 230 kV line CKT 1, near BAKER 4 (661004) 230 kV.  a. Apply fault at the BAKER 4 (661004) 230 kV Bus. b. Clear fault after 7 cycles by tripping the faulted line. c. Wait 20 cycles, and then re-close the line in (b) back into the fault. d. Leave Fault on for 7 cycles, then trip the line in (b) and remove fault.		
FLT9034-3PH	P1	3 Phase fault on BAKER 4 (661004) 230 kV / BAKER 7 (661005) 115 kV / BAKER 9 (661901) 13.8 kV XFMR CKT 1, near BAKER 4 (661004) 230 kV. a. Apply fault at the BAKER 4 (661004) 230 kV Bus. b. Clear fault after 7 cycles by tripping the faulted transformer.		
FLT9035-3PH	P1	3 Phase fault on BAKER 7 (661005) 115 kV / BAKER 4 (661004) 230 kV / BAKER 9 (661901) 13.8 kV XFMR CKT 1, near BAKER 7 (661005) 115 kV. a. Apply fault at the BAKER 7 (661005) 115 kV Bus. b. Clear fault after 7 cycles by tripping the faulted transformer.		
FLT9036-3PH	P1	3 Phase fault on BAKER 7 (661005) 115 kV to BAKER 8 (661300) 60 kV XFMR CKT 2, near BAKER 7 (661005) 115 kV. a. Apply fault at the BAKER 7 (661005) 115 kV Bus. b. Clear fault after 7 cycles by tripping the faulted transformer.		
FLT9037-3PH	P1	3 Phase fault on BAKER 7 (661005) 115 kV to KEYXLPS14 7 (661034) 115 kV line CKT 1, near BAKER 7 (661005) 115 kV.  a. Apply fault at the BAKER 7 (661005) 115 kV Bus. b. Clear fault after 7 cycles by tripping the faulted line. c. Wait 20 cycles, and then re-close the line in (b) back into the fault. d. Leave Fault on for 7 cycles, then trip the line in (b) and remove fault.		

### 6.3 Results

Table 6-2 shows the relevant results of the fault events simulated for each of the modified models. Existing DISIS base case issues are documented separately in Appendix C. The associated stability plots are also provided in Appendix C.

Table 6-2: GEN-2017-010 Dynamic Stability Results

		25SP		25WP			
Fault ID	Voltage Violation	Voltage Recovery	Stable	Voltage Violation	Voltage Recovery	Stable	
FLT1000-SB	Pass	Pass	Stable	Pass	Pass	Stable	
FLT1001-SB	Pass	Pass	Stable	Pass	Pass	Stable	
FLT1002-SB	Pass	Pass	Stable	Pass	Pass	Stable	
FLT1003-SB	Pass	Pass	Stable	Pass	Pass	Stable	
FLT1004-SB	Pass	Pass	Stable	Pass	Pass	Stable	
FLT1005-SB	Pass	Pass	Stable	Pass	Pass	Stable	
FLT9000-3PH	Pass	Pass	Stable	Pass	Pass	Stable	
FLT9001-3PH	Pass	Pass	Stable	Pass	Pass	Stable	
FLT9002-3PH	Pass	Pass	Stable	Pass	Pass	Stable	
FLT9003-3PH	Pass	Pass	Stable	Pass	Pass	Stable	

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Table 6-2 continued

		25SP		25WP		
Fault ID	Voltage Violation	Voltage Recovery	Stable	Voltage Violation	Voltage Recovery	Stable
FLT9004-3PH	Pass	Pass	Stable	Pass	Pass	Stable
FLT9005-3PH	Pass	Pass	Stable	Pass	Pass	Stable
FLT9006-3PH	Pass	Pass	Stable	Pass	Pass	Stable
FLT9007-3PH	Pass	Pass	Stable	Pass	Pass	Stable
FLT9008-3PH	Pass	Pass	Stable	Pass	Pass	Stable
FLT9009-3PH	Pass	Pass	Stable	Pass	Pass	Stable
FLT9010-3PH	Pass	Pass	Stable	Pass	Pass	Stable
FLT9011-3PH	Pass	Pass	Stable	Pass	Pass	Stable
FLT9012-3PH	Pass	Pass	Stable	Pass	Pass	Stable
FLT9013-3PH	Pass	Pass	Stable	Pass	Pass	Stable
FLT9014-3PH	Pass	Pass	Stable	Pass	Pass	Stable
FLT9015-3PH	Pass	Pass	Stable	Pass	Pass	Stable
FLT9016-3PH	Pass	Pass	Stable	Pass	Pass	Stable
FLT9017-3PH	Pass	Pass	Stable	Pass	Pass	Stable
FLT9018-3PH	Pass	Pass	Stable	Pass	Pass	Stable
FLT9019-3PH	Pass	Pass	Stable	Pass	Pass	Stable
FLT9020-3PH	Pass	Pass	Stable	Pass	Pass	Stable
FLT9021-3PH	Pass	Pass	Stable	Pass	Pass	Stable
FLT9022-3PH	Pass	Pass	Stable	Pass	Pass	Stable
FLT9023-3PH	Pass	Pass	Stable	Pass	Pass	Stable
FLT9024-3PH	Pass	Pass	Stable	Pass	Pass	Stable
FLT9025-3PH	Pass	Pass	Stable	Pass	Pass	Stable
FLT9026-3PH	Pass	Pass	Stable	Pass	Pass	Stable
FLT9027-3PH	Pass	Pass	Stable	Pass	Pass	Stable
FLT9028-3PH	Pass	Pass	Stable	Pass	Pass	Stable
FLT9029-3PH	Pass	Pass	Stable	Pass	Pass	Stable
FLT9030-3PH	Pass	Pass	Stable	Pass	Pass	Stable
FLT9031-3PH	Pass	Pass	Stable	Pass	Pass	Stable
FLT9032-3PH	Pass	Pass	Stable	Pass	Pass	Stable
FLT9033-3PH	Pass	Pass	Stable	Pass	Pass	Stable
FLT9034-3PH	Pass	Pass	Stable	Pass	Pass	Stable
FLT9035-3PH	Pass	Pass	Stable	Pass	Pass	Stable
FLT9036-3PH	Pass	Pass	Stable	Pass	Pass	Stable
FLT9037-3PH	Pass	Pass	Stable	Pass	Pass	Stable



The results of the dynamic stability showed several existing base case issues that were found in both the original DISIS-2018-002/2019-001 models and the models with the GEN-2017-010 modification included. These issues were not attributed to the GEN-2017-010 modification request and detailed in Appendix C.

There were no damping or voltage recovery violations attributed to the GEN-2017-010 modification request observed during the simulated faults. Additionally, the project was found to stay connected during the contingencies that were studied and, therefore, will meet the Low Voltage Ride Through (LVRT) requirements of FERC Order #661A.



### 7.0 Modified Capacity Exceeds GIA Capacity

Under FERC Order 845, Interconnection Customers are allowed to request Interconnection Service that is lower than the full generating capacity of their planned generating facilities. The Interconnection Customers must install acceptable control and protection devices that prevent the injection above their requested Interconnection Service amount measured at the POI.

As such, Interconnection Customers are allowed to increase the generating capacity of a generating facility without increasing its Interconnection Service amount stated in its GIA. This is allowable as long as they install the proper control and protection devices, and the requested modification is not determined to be a Material Modification.

The modified generating capacity of GEN-2017-010 (208.68 MW) exceeds the GIA Interconnection Service amount, 200.1 MW, as listed in Appendix A of the GIA.

The customer must install monitoring and control equipment as needed to ensure that the amount of power injected at the POI does not exceed the Interconnection Service amount listed in its GIA.



### 8.0 Material Modification Determination

In accordance with Attachment V of SPP's Open Access Transmission Tariff, for modifications other than those specifically permitted by Attachment V, SPP shall evaluate the proposed modifications prior to making them and inform the Interconnection Customer in writing of whether the modifications would constitute a Material Modification. Material Modification shall mean (1) modification to an Interconnection Request in the queue that has a material adverse impact on the cost or timing of any other Interconnection Request with a later Queue priority date; or (2) planned modification to an Existing Generating Facility that is undergoing evaluation for a Generating Facility Modification or Generating Facility Replacement, and has a material adverse impact on the Transmission System with respect to: i) steady-state thermal or voltage limits, ii) dynamic system stability and response, or iii) short-circuit capability limit; compared to the impacts of the Existing Generating Facility prior to the modification or replacement.

#### 8.1 Results

SPP determined the requested modification is not a Material Modification based on the results of this Modification Request Impact Study performed by Aneden. Aneden evaluated the impact of the requested modification on the prior study results. Aneden determined that the requested modification did not negatively impact the prior study dynamic stability and short circuit results, and the modifications to the project were not significant enough to change the previously studied steady-state conclusions.

This determination implies that any network upgrades already required by GEN-2017-010 would not be negatively impacted and that no new upgrades are required due to the requested modification, thus not resulting in a material adverse impact on the cost or timing of any other Interconnection Request with a later Queue priority date.

