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## 2010 Market Training Opportunities Are Announced

Course descriptions and associated registration links for each course for the calendar year 2010 are now accessible from the ISO New England Web site under [Support > Training > Course Schedule](#) and in the [ISO New England Training and Events Network \(ISO-TEN\)](#). There are seven courses in the 2010 curriculum and all are taught by Subject Matter Experts.

A new multi-day course entitled *Forward Capacity Market (FCM 101)* is scheduled for delivery three times prior to the June 1, 2010, opening of the first Capacity Commitment Period for the Forward Capacity Market. The new *Asset Registration, Auditing & Testing for Demand Resources (ARAT-DR)* course focuses on process changes that stakeholders associated with Demand Resources (DR) need to be aware of. The ARAT-DR course is also scheduled for three presentations prior to June 1, 2010.

Course details and registration links are available on the [Web site](#) and in [ISO-TEN](#) for the operator-focused training courses entitled *Generator Resource Operator Training (GROT)* and *Demand Resource Operator Training (DROT)*. Both courses are offered twice in 2010.

Rounding out the 2010 Market Training schedule is the *Wholesale Electricity Markets (WEM)* sequence at introductory, intermediate, and advanced levels. The introductory level will be offered twice during 2010 while the other two levels will be offered only once. Check [ISO-TEN](#) or the [Web site](#) for exact dates and times.

To be notified when additional training sessions and Web conferences are added to the 2010 schedule or to know when Web-based training materials are posted, be sure to [subscribe](#) to the Market Training mailing list.

If you have questions about the 2010 Market Training Schedule, contact the Market Training Team by sending an email to: [MATedu@iso-ne.com](mailto:MATedu@iso-ne.com). ●●●

## Last Chance to be a Part of the Review Process for Upcoming Web-based Settlement Information Enhancements

ISO New England is seeking customer feedback on prototypes developed for settlement-related billing aids and reference materials. During this final review phase, volunteers who indicate their willingness to participate will be asked to review the newly developed settlement-related billing aids and reference materials. The original call for “volunteer reviewers” went out in [November 2008](#). ● *Continued on next page*

## Last Chance to be a Part of the Review Process...*Continued from page 1*

On February 1, 2010, volunteers will receive a hyperlink to the prototypes and other proposed Web-based enhancements and be asked to review the new material. The following week, February 8-12, 2010, each reviewer will participate in a telephone interview with a member of the ISO New England staff to provide feedback and suggestions.

ISO plans to post the finalized settlement-related billing aids and reference materials to the ISO Web site no later than March 31, 2010.

If you want to be a part of this final review phase and did not sign up during the original call for reviewers, please contact ISO New England Customer Support at 413-540-4220 or [custserv@iso-ne.com](mailto:custserv@iso-ne.com). ●●●

## Forward Capacity Market Dates to Remember

### Listed by Capacity Commitment Period

#### 2010-2011

**March 15 - March 17, 2010**

Third Annual Reconfiguration Auction submission window open

#### 2012-2013

**Early March, 2010**

Market Information Server (MIS) Report: *SP\_FCARESULT Forward Capacity Auction Result Report* is released

#### 2013-2014

**By March 26, 2010**

New Resource Qualification Determination letters are released

**May 4, 2010**

Informational filing to the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission submitted by ISO New England

**May 15, 2009 - April 4, 2010**

Non-Price Retirement Request submittal window open

**August 2, 2010**

Forward Capacity Auction begins

#### 2014-2015

**March 15, 2010 - May 14, 2010**

Show of Interest Window Open

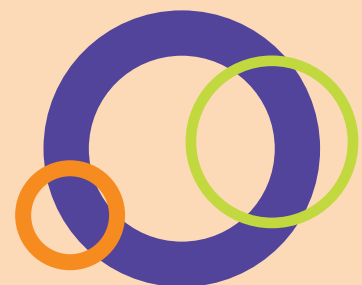
Note: The above are listed as a courtesy and not inclusive of all Forward Capacity Market dates. Refer to Section III.13 of the Transmission, Markets & Services Tariff and ISO New England Manuals M-20: Installed Capacity and M-MVDR: Measurement and Verification of Demand Reduction Value from Demand Resources for complete Forward Capacity Market details or call ISO New England Customer Support at (413) 540-4220.

## SAVE THE DATE

### 2010 Reconfiguration Auctions & Bilaterals

Web Conference | **February 4, 2010** | 1:00 - 2:30 p.m.

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## 2010 Classroom Market Training Schedule at a Glance

Topic	Location	Date(s)
Forward Capacity Market (FCM 101)	Springfield Sheraton, Springfield, MA	April 6-8, 2010
Asset Registration, Auditing & Testing for Demand Resources (ARAT-DR)	Springfield Sheraton, Springfield, MA	April 9, 2010
Forward Capacity Market (FCM 101)	Hotel Northampton, Northampton, MA	April 13-15, 2010
Asset Registration, Auditing & Testing for Demand Resources (ARAT-DR)	Hotel Northampton, Northampton, MA	April 16, 2010
Demand Resource Operator Training (DROT 101)	Hotel Northampton, Northampton, MA	April 27-28, 2010
Generator Resource Operator Training (GROT 101)	Hotel Northampton, Northampton, MA	April 29, 2010
Demand Resource Operator Training (DROT 101)	Hotel Northampton, Northampton, MA	May 4-5, 2010
Forward Capacity Market (FCM 101)	Hotel Northampton, Northampton, MA	May 11-13, 2010
Asset Registration, Auditing & Testing for Demand Resources (ARAT-DR)	Hotel Northampton, Northampton, MA	May 14, 2010
Introduction to Wholesale Electricity Markets (WEM 101)	Courtyard Marriott Hadley/Amherst, Hadley, MA	June 14-18, 2010
Introduction to Wholesale Electricity Markets (WEM 101)	Hotel Northampton, Northampton, MA	September 20-24, 2010
Intermediate Wholesale Electricity Markets (WEM 201)	Hotel Northampton, Northampton, MA	October 19-21, 2010
Generator Resource Operator Training (GROT 101)	Hotel Northampton, Northampton, MA	November 2, 2010
Advanced Wholesale Electricity Markets (WEM 301)	Hotel Northampton, Northampton, MA	November 16-17, 2010