SUBJECT: CNP-M-A041816-01 CNP Experiencing weather related delays completing orders

NOTICE DATE: April 18, 2016

NOTICE TYPE: Informational

SHORT DESCRIPTION: CenterPoint Energy has temporarily suspended working orders which require field crews due to high water and extensive street flooding.

INTENDED AUDIENCE: All Market Participants

DAY AFFECTED: Monday, April 18, 2016

LONG DESCRIPTION: CenterPoint Energy has temporarily suspended working orders which require field crews due to high water and extensive street flooding in the CenterPoint Energy service area. These conditions are affecting the ability of field service personnel to safely drive and execute manual field orders. This is affecting CenterPoint Energy's entire service area.

Orders dispatched via the AMS systems continue to be executed normally. CenterPoint Energy Operations management continues to monitor conditions and will assess field and weather conditions to determine when we can safely resume field-based execution of the orders. If conditions permit we will resume work tomorrow.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: CenterPoint Energy will provide additional follow up Market Notices as more information becomes available.

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