**SUBJECT:** CNP Market Notice - National Weather Service - Heat Advisory - Suspension of Disconnect for Non-Pay Orders

**NOTICE DATE**: August 16, 2018

**NOTICE TYPE**: Informational

SHORT DESCRIPTION: National Weather Service Heat Advisory – CenterPoint Energy Suspension of

Disconnect for Non-Pay Orders

**INTENDED AUDIENCE:** Retail Electric Providers

**LONG DESCRIPTION:** The National Weather Service has issued a Heat Advisory at 12:47 PM CDT on Thursday, August 16, 2018 for the CenterPoint Energy Service Territory which requires the implementation of an Extreme Weather Moratorium on Disconnects. This Heat Advisory is in effect until 7:00 PM CDT on Thursday, August 16, 2018.

Per market rules, DNP orders will be suspended through <u>Saturday</u>, <u>August 18</u>, <u>2018</u>, meaning that <u>Monday</u>, <u>August 20</u>, <u>2018</u> is the earliest day that CenterPoint Energy would be able to execute new DNP orders from Competitive Retailers, if the Heat Advisory expires.

## CenterPoint Energy's Process for Extreme Weather Moratoriums on Disconnects:

- DNP orders that were previously submitted and are currently in our system will be voided / turned down with a Weather Advisory code of "W" for V001 – Complete Unexecutable on the specific "Date Wanted" that is within the Weather Moratorium window
- New "Same Day" DNP orders that are submitted during the existing Weather Moratorium will be rejected with a Weather Advisory code of "W" for A13 – Weather Advisory
- New DNP orders may be submitted for requested future "Date Wanted" dates and will be
  accepted by our system. However, these orders may be subsequently voided / turned down if
  the "Date Wanted" falls within a Weather Moratorium window.

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:** Additional information concerning this Heat Advisory will be provided when it becomes available.

**CONTACT**: If you have any questions regarding this notification, please send an email to <a href="mailto:cr.support@centerpointenergy.com">cr.support@centerpointenergy.com</a>.

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