SUBJECT: CNP-M-A120718-01 CNP Planned Market System Maintenance - Initial

NOTICE DATE: December 7, 2018

NOTICE TYPE: CNP-M-A120718-01 Initial

DAY(S) AFFECTED: Thursday, December 13, 2018 from 8:00 PM CST - 9:30 PM CST

SHORT DESCRIPTION: CenterPoint Energy will be performing planned Market System Maintenance.

INTENDED AUDIENCE: All Market Participants

LONG DESCRIPTION: CenterPoint Energy will be performing planned Market System Maintenance on Thursday, December 13, 2018 from 8:00 PM CST – 9:30 PM CST. During this maintenance, the following market impacts are expected:

- Service Orders including 24/7 reconnects will be held in queue and processed after maintenance is complete.
- On Demand Reads via SMT will not be available during the outage period.
- Usage History Inquiry Tool (UHIT) and the Competitive Retailer Information Portal (CRIP) will not be available during the outage period.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: CenterPoint Energy will provide a reminder Market Notice prior to this planned maintenance activity.

CONTACT: If you have any questions regarding this notification, please email cr.support@centerpointenergy.com

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