SUBJECT: CNP-M-A092523-01 CNP Planned Market System Maintenance – Initial

NOTICE DATE: September 25, 2023

NOTICE TYPE: CNP-M-A092523-01 - Initial

DAYS AFFECTED: Sunday, October 1, 2023, 12:00 AM CST - 2:00 AM 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 Sunday, October 1, 2023, 12:00 AM CST - 2:00 AM CST.

During this maintenance the following will occur/are expected:

- Market Participants connecting to below NAESB Primary site may notice intermittent connectivity errors during this network maintenance window.
- There will be no downtime for CNP NAESB services during this maintenance window.
- Market Participants are requested to retry in case of any connection failures.
- As part of this maintenance, the SSL Certificate for the site below will be updated.
 - NAESB Site URL:
 https://prd-naesb.centerpointenergy.com/gisbagent.exe
- If you are an EDI Trading Partner with CenterPoint Energy, please ensure your technical teams have reviewed this certificate renewal notice to determine if action is required. Please contact IT-SD-TMH-Recon-Team@CenterPointEnergy.com if you need a new SSL certificate export.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: A reminder Market Notice regarding this planned maintenance will be sent prior to this activity.

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

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