2020 ATC Projected Budget and Rates Stakeholder Inquiries

On Friday, October 11, 2019, Alliant Energy asked the following question and on October 11, 2019, ATC provided the following responses:

Alliant Energy: Regarding the ATC 2020 Budget presentation, Alliant Energy inquired as to the Return on Equity (ROE) assumption that was used to determine the posted 2021-23 return on rate base communicated in the ATC 2020 Budget stakeholder presentation shared during the October 8, 2019 stakeholder conference call. Specifically, Alliant Energy asked if the ROE assumption was 10.82% for each year from 2021-2023.

ATC response: ATC responded, stating that the ROE used for the period of time from 2021-2023 was the percentage that the Administrative Law Judge had previously recommended in an Initial Decision in FERC Docket No. EL15-45. That aggregate ROE was 10.20%, which represents a base ROE of 9.7%, with an additional 50 basis point adder for RTO participation.