

## **External Relations Update**

*May 18, 2010*

### **SUNSET**

- Sunset Advisory Commission (the Legislative body) will hold a public hearing on PUC, ERCOT and OPC on May 25<sup>th</sup>.
- Sunset Advisory Commission will release their recommendations to the full Legislature at their hearing on July 6<sup>th</sup>.

### **INTERIM LEGISLATIVE HEARINGS**

- The Senate Business and Commerce Committee will hear testimony on Interim Charge 4 relating to generation costs of municipally-owned electric utilities' planned generation portfolios on Wednesday, May 19<sup>th</sup>.

### **POSSIBLE MEDIA RELEASES / ISSUES**

#### **May**

- Capacity, Demand and Reserves Report – Summer Assessment
- Renewable Energy Credits Annual Report (May 15)
- Nodal full functional integration trials
- 2009 Annual Report/Audited Financial Statements
- Black Start training (first time on Nodal OTS simulator)
- Organizational Review Report
- Texas Regional Entity 2010 ERCOT Audit Report
- 2010 Strategic Plan

#### **June**

- 2011 Strategic Planning/Budget Project Priorities
- Loss of load probability study update
- Macomber Map

#### **July**

- ERCOT's 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary
- Voltage Ride-Through Study (Q3)
- Texas Regional Entity's legal separation from ERCOT (July 1)

#### **August**

- IMM State of the Market Report