

Ameren Illinois Statement Regarding WSCR

Application of WSCR Screening Criteria to Projects with Executed Interconnection Agreements

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In response to recent inquiries, Ameren Illinois provides the following statement regarding the application of WSCR screening criteria to projects with executed Interconnection Agreements (IAs).

Ameren Illinois has not, for purposes of interconnection approval, retroactively evaluated the weighted short circuit ratio (WSCR) for projects with an executed IA and has no plans at this time to retroactively evaluate WSCR for any project with an executed IA.

Ameren Illinois evaluates WSCR during the interconnection study phase of certain applications, depending on their levels and other considerations. Once an IA has been executed for a project, Ameren Illinois considers the interconnection study phase complete and the respective interconnection application approved, and the project moves to the next phase of the interconnection process. However, Ameren Illinois' review of a proposed change to an application as a possible Material Modification under Part 466.125, including an application with an executed IA, may involve review of the SCR capabilities of a project's inverter(s).

Further, consistent with the terms of the standard IA, Ameren Illinois always reserves all rights afforded by law to take necessary actions, including but not limited to disconnection, to safeguard the safety and reliability of the system and to avoid adverse system impacts. Ameren Illinois may consider WSCR among other criteria when reviewing adverse impacts to the system caused by an active DER facility and evaluating potential mitigations.

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