



# Offshore Wind Development and Merchant Transmission – Phase I Update

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- PJM has received requests for interconnection of a radial non-controllable AC transmission lines without defined generation and have requested to receive interconnection rights
- Under PJM's current process rules, such requests are not eligible for rights
- At the February 2019 PC meeting, members endorsed a problem statement to explore options for studying such interconnections to eligible for rights

## Phase 1

- Consider process change to allow Interconnection Customers to request Capacity Interconnection Rights for a radial line and identify impacts and required network upgrades

## Phase 2

- Consider process changes to allow flexibility for Interconnection Customers to connect the transmission facilities together for an “ocean grid”

## Completed

- Problem Statement and Issue Charge endorsed at the PC in February 2019

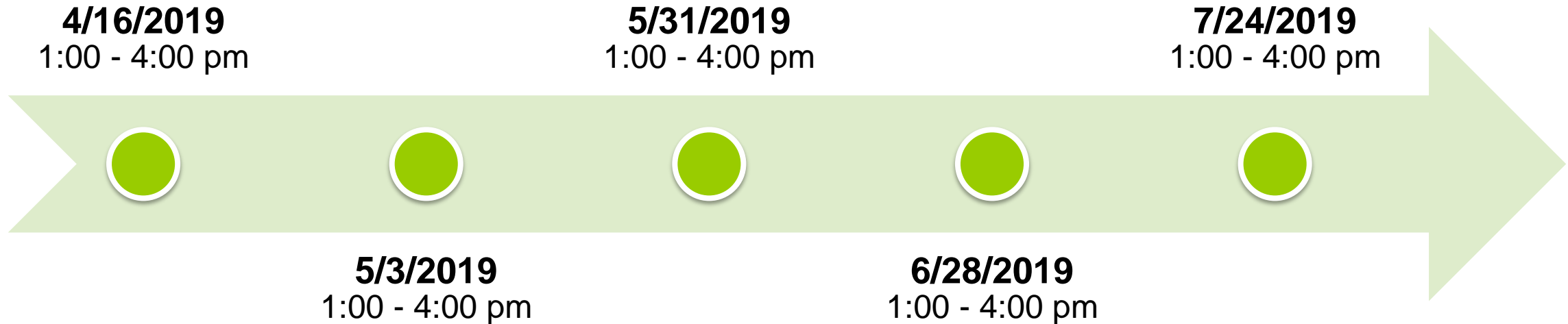
## Phase 1 Planned Activities

- Education on current process – April 2019
- Explore options – May through July 2019
- Seek PC endorsement Phase 1 changes – August 2019 PC



# PC Special Sessions Scheduled

## Merchant Transmission and Offshore Wind Development – Phase 1



Problem Statement presentation from Feb 2019 PC

<https://www.pjm.com/-/media/committees-groups/committees/pc/20190207/20190207-item-05a-offshore-wind-problem-statement-presentation.ashx>

Problem Statement and Issue Charge

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