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I wanted to reach out to each of you to advise you that as a result of today's incident at the Capitol and the potential for additional incidents in the next few days as Congress reconvenes, PJM tonight has issued an RTO-wide Conservative Operations Declaration. The Conservative Operations Declaration is a modest step that provides us flexibility (and notice to states and stakeholders) that we could move forward with additional emergency procedures if the situation warrants.

Conservative Operations can be declared when the PJM RTO (or a portion of the RTO) is undergoing, or has the potential to face, adverse impacts from weather, environmental, physical or cyber security events and requires enhanced RTO reliability efforts. The declaration of Conservative Operations may include additional actions, including recalling/cancelling non-critical maintenance outages, reductions in transfers into, across or through the PJM RTO, increased reserves, and/or additional requests placed upon PJM member TOs and GOs.

As noted the Conservative Operations Declaration provides us with the flexibility to take additional actions consistent with our emergency operations procedures such as recalling non-critical maintenance outages but only if warranted by events or actions affecting the grid.

Moreover, we also have been on a heightened alert status as to both cyber and physical operations since the election. We have been in touch with PEPCO and Dominion senior operations officials and DHS but at this time, have no plans for invoking any further emergency procedures.

I will keep you informed should the situation change.

This is a tough period for our nation and we all appreciate your public service.

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