All of these definitions come from 4 CSR 240-22 (the IRP rules). The MEEIA statute does not reference or require the use of the IRP process; the IRP process has not been specifically authorized by statute. The achievement of all cost-effective savings under MEEIA requires flexibility in program design in order to respond to changing market conditions and technologies. Changes in demand-side resources resulting from MEEIA programs should also be reflected in later IRPs. Allowing the IRP process to limit MEEIA works in the wrong direction; DE opposes constraining MEEIA through the IRP process and recommends that all references to the IRP process be removed.