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OFFICE OF ENERGY MARKET REGULATION

New York Independent System Operator, Inc.
Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation
Docket No. ER20-2749-000

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Reference: Service Agreement No. 2549

On August 26, 2020, New York Independent System Operator, Inc. (NYISO) and Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation d/b/a National Grid (Niagara Mohawk) jointly filed an executed Small Generator Interconnection Agreement (SGIA) among NYISO, Niagara Mohawk, and Duke Energy Renewables Solar, LLC (Duke) under NYISO's Open Access Transmission Tariff.¹ The filing states that Duke is constructing a 15 MW solar-powered facility (Facility) located in the town of Boonville in Lewis County, New York and that the Facility will interconnect to the New York State transmission system at Niagara Mohawk's 46kV bus at its Boonville Station. The filing further states that the SGIA contains language that does not conform to the language in the Pro Forma SGIA contained in Attachment Z of the NYISO OATT, because Duke may construct Niagara Mohawk's interconnection facilities associated with the Facility if all parties agree.

Pursuant to the authority delegated to the Director, Division of Electric Power Regulation – East, under 18 C.F.R. § 375.307, your submittal is accepted for filing, effective August 20, 2020, as requested.

¹ New York Independent System Operator, Inc., NYISO Agreements, [Agreement No. 2549, SGIA among NYISO, NMPC and Duke Energy LLC, 0.0.0.](#)

The filing was noticed on August 26, 2020, with comments, interventions, and protests due on or before September 16, 2020. Pursuant to Rule 214 (18 C.F.R. § 385.214), to the extent that any timely filed motions to intervene and any motion to intervene out-of-time were filed before the issuance date of this order, such interventions are granted. Granting late interventions at this stage of the proceeding will not disrupt the proceeding or place additional burdens on existing parties.

This acceptance for filing shall not be construed as constituting approval of the referenced filing or of any rate, charge, classification, or any rule, regulation, or practice affecting such rate or service contained in your filing; nor shall such acceptance be deemed as recognition of any claimed contractual right or obligation associated therewith; and such acceptance is without prejudice to any findings or orders that have been or may hereafter be made by the Commission in any proceeding now pending or hereafter instituted by or against the NYISO or Niagara Mohawk.

This order constitutes final agency action. Requests for rehearing by the Commission may be filed within 30 days of the date of issuance of this order, pursuant to 18 C.F.R. § 385.713.

Issued by: Kurt M. Longo, Director, Division of Electric Power Regulation – East