

March 14, 2018

Hon. Kimberly Bose
Secretary
Federal Energy Regulatory Commission
888 First Street, N.E.
Washington, D.C. 20426

**Re: New York Independent System Operator, Inc., Notification of Major Emergency
in the New York Control Area; Docket No. EY18-__-000**

Dear Secretary Bose:

Pursuant to Section 2.13 of its Open Access Transmission Tariff (“OATT”), the New York Independent System Operator, Inc. (“NYISO”) hereby notifies the Commission that an “Emergency State” existed in the New York Control Area on March 14, 2018 at 08:40. As a result, the NYISO was required to take special action to ensure that the reliability of the New York State Transmission System was not adversely affected. The NYISO has enclosed documentation describing the Emergency State and its actions. As required by Section 2.13 of the OATT, the NYISO has also notified the New York State Public Service Commission of the Emergency State and its actions.

Please feel free to contact me at (518) 356-6159 if you have any questions or comments.

Sincerely,

/s/ Gregory Campoli

Gregory Campoli
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New York Independent System Operator

Enclosure
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NYISO Major Emergency Report

At 08:40 on 03/14/2018 a Major Emergency was declared by the NYISO Shift Supervisor

when the power flow on Central East VC
exceeded its Transient Stability Limit
by more than 105%

This was caused by: An event in ISO-NE that resulted in the loss of 2000MW, including
Phase 2 and Mystic 9.

To correct this the NYISO
Shift Supervisor:

Placed a capacitor in service, moved Phase Angle Regulators (PAR)
to reduce flow, started and redispatched generation.

Load relief was not required.

The Major Emergency was terminated at 08:49 on 03/14/2018