

October 15, 2025

By Electronic Delivery

Honorable Debbie-Anne A. Reese, Secretary
Federal Energy Regulatory Commission
888 First Street, NE
Washington, D.C. 20426

Re: *New York Independent System Operator, Inc.; Compliance Filing and Notice of Effective Date, Docket No. ER23-2040-_____*

Dear Secretary Reese:

In accordance with the requirements of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission's ("Commission") April 15, 2024, Order Accepting Tariff Revisions ("April 2024 Order"),¹ the New York Independent System Operator, Inc. ("NYISO") submits this filing to establish the effective date of October 31, 2025, for the tariff revisions terminating the NYISO's Day-Ahead Demand Response Program ("DADRP") and Demand Side Ancillary Service Program ("DSASP").

I. Background

On June 27, 2019, the NYISO submitted to the Commission in Docket No. ER19-2276 proposed revisions to its Market Administration and Control Area Services Tariff ("Services Tariff") and Open Access Transmission Tariff ("OATT") to establish a new participation model for Aggregations of Resources,² including Distributed Energy Resources ("DER").³ As part of these revisions, the NYISO proposed to sunset the DADRP and DSASP ("2019 DER Filing"). The Commission accepted these tariff revisions, which largely became effective on April 16, 2024.⁴ However, the NYISO explained to the Commission that it was not yet making effective the revisions to sunset the DADRP and DSASP to provide sufficient time for existing participants in those programs to transition to the new DER and Aggregation participation

¹ *New York Indep. Sys. Operator, Inc.*, 187 FERC ¶ 61,022 (2024) ("April 2024 Order").

² Capitalized terms that are not otherwise defined in this filing shall have the meaning specified in NYISO Open Access Transmission Tariff ("OATT") and NYISO Market Administration and Control Area Services Tariff ("Services Tariff").

³ *New York Indep. Sys. Operator, Inc.*, Docket No. ER19-2276, Transmittal Letter (June 27, 2019).

⁴ On January 23, 2020, the Commission issued an order accepting the NYISO's proposed DER and Aggregation participation models and directed a further compliance filing and informational filings. *New York Indep. Sys. Operator, Inc.*, 170 FERC ¶ 61,033 (2020) ("2020 DER Order"). The Commission subsequently accepted the NYISO's compliance tariff filing establishing an April 16, 2024, effective date for the tariff provisions accepted in the 2020 DER Order other than those required to sunset the DADRP and DSASP. *New York Indep. Sys. Operator, Inc.*, Docket No. ER19-2276, Letter Order (July 9, 2024) ("July 2024 Order").

models.⁵ Instead, the NYISO indicated that it would submit a Notice of Effective Date for the tariff revisions in that proceeding required to sunset the DADRP and DSASP at least two weeks before they become effective.⁶

On June 1, 2023, the NYISO submitted revisions to its OATT and Services Tariff in the above-captioned proceeding to clarify and enhance the requirements for the DER and Aggregation participation model (“2023 DER Filing”).⁷ As part of this filing, the NYISO proposed additional tariff revisions required to sunset the DADRP and DSASP and proposed a timeline for participants in these programs to transition to the new DER and Aggregation participation models. The NYISO requested a flexible effective date for the tariff records associated with terminating the DADRP and DSASP.

On April 15, 2024, the Commission accepted the revisions proposed in the 2023 DER Filing.⁸ In the April 2024 Order, the Commission directed the NYISO to notify the Commission of the effective date of the tariff record terminating the DADRP and DSASP at least two weeks prior to the proposed effective date of the tariff record.⁹

II. Notice of Effective Date

In compliance with the April 2024 Order, the NYISO hereby provides this Notice of Effective Date to sunset its DADRP and DSASP on October 31, 2025, and submits tariff records reflecting this October 31, 2025 date. The NYISO has notified its Market Participants of the upcoming termination of these programs.

The NYISO submits this notice concurrently with another compliance filing and notice of effective date in Docket No. ER19-2276, which contains additional changes necessary to sunset the DADRP and DSASP.

Consistent with the Commission’s eTariff requirements and input from Commission staff, the NYISO will submit a subsequent filing using eTariff Filing Code 85 (Compliance Filing – New Docket) to incorporate these tariff revisions and the tariff revisions included in Docket No. ER19-2276 with the NYISO’s currently effective tariff language.

III. Documents Submitted

⁵ See *New York Indep. Sys. Operator, Inc.*, Docket No. ER19-2276, Compliance Filing (Apr. 16, 2024).

⁶ See *id.*

⁷ *New York Independent System Operator, Inc., Proposed Tariff Revisions Regarding the Participation of Distributed Energy Resources and Aggregations*, Docket No. ER23-2040, Filing Letter (June 1, 2023) (“2023 DER Filing”).

⁸ See April 2024 Order.

⁹ *Id.*, P 102, ordering paragraph (B).

The NYISO respectfully submits the following with this filing letter:

1. A clean version of the revisions to the Services Tariff that were accepted in the April 2024 Order, with an effective date of October 31, 2025 (Attachment I).

IV. Service

The NYISO will send an electronic copy of this filing to the official representative of each party to this proceeding, to the New York State Public Service Commission, and to the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities. In addition, a complete copy of this filing will be posted on the NYISO's website at www.nyiso.com, and the NYISO will send an electronic link to this filing to the official representative of each of its customers and to each participant on its stakeholder committees.

V. Conclusion

The NYISO respectfully requests that the Commission accept this compliance filing and applicable tariff records.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this day served the foregoing document upon each person designated on the official service list compiled by the Secretary in this proceeding in accordance with the requirements of Rule 2010 of the Rules of Practice and Procedure, 18 C.F.R. §385.2010.

Dated at Rensselaer, NY this 15th day of October 2025.

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