

May 12, 2026

**Submitted Electronically**

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

**Re: New York Independent System Operator, Inc., Notice of Implementation of Champlain Hudson Power Express Merchant Transmission Facility, Docket No. ER26-570-000, et. al.**

Dear Secretary Reese:

On November 21, 2025 the New York Independent System Operator, Inc. (“NYISO”) filed proposed revisions to its Market Administration and Control Area Services Tariff and Open Access Transmission Tariff (collectively, its “Tariffs”) in which the NYISO requested that the Commission accept revisions to its Tariffs that are necessary to permit the NYISO to implement the Champlain Hudson Power Express Merchant Transmission Facility (“CHPE MTF”) in its markets. In its transmittal letter the NYISO committed to providing at least two weeks notice prior to implementation of the CHPE MTF in the NYISO’s Energy Market to the Commission, to all NYISO Market Participants, to CHPE LLC, and to Hydro Quebec.

On April 29, 2026 the NYISO informed the Commission, its Market Participants, CHPE LLC, and Hydro Quebec that it expected to implement the CHPE MTF in its Energy Market on or after May 13, 2026. Because the CHPE MTF was undergoing testing, the NYISO explained that delay beyond the specified May 13, 2026 date was possible. To provide additional certainty, the NYISO committed to provide a further notification to the Commission, its Market Participants, CHPE LLC and Hydro Quebec one day before it implements the CHPE MTF in its Energy Market. The NYISO now notifies the Commission, its Market Participants, CHPE LLC, and Hydro Quebec that it expects to implement the CHPE MTF in its Real-Time Market on May 13, 2026.

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This notice will be served on the official service list in this proceeding and will be posted on the NYISO's website. Please contact the undersigned with any questions regarding this letter.

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 12th day of May 2026.

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