

March 6, 2015

**By Electronic Delivery**

Honorable Kimberly D. Bose, Secretary  
Federal Energy Regulatory Commission  
888 First Street, NE  
Washington, DC 20426

Re: Notice of Cancellation of Service Agreement No. 1916 to the New York  
Independent System Operator, Inc. Open Access Transmission Tariff,  
Docket No. ER15-\_\_\_\_-000

Dear Ms. Bose:

Pursuant to Section 205(d) of the Federal Power Act<sup>1</sup> and Sections 35.9 and 35.15 of the Commission's Regulations,<sup>2</sup> the New York Independent System Operator, Inc. ("NYISO") hereby tenders for filing and acceptance a Notice of Cancellation of a Large Generator Interconnection Agreement among the NYISO, Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation d/b/a National Grid ("National Grid") as the Connecting Transmission Owner, and Allegany Wind, LLC ("Allegany Wind") as the Developer.<sup>3</sup> The Interconnection Agreement is designated as Service Agreement No. 1916 under the NYISO's OATT. National Grid and Allegany have indicated to the NYISO that neither party opposes this filing.

**I. Background**

The Interconnection Agreement for which the NYISO submits this Notice of Cancellation was filed in Docket No. ER13-160-000, as Service Agreement No. 1916. The Interconnection Agreement stated that Allegany Wind was constructing a 72.5 MW wind power facility in the Town of Olean, Cattaraugus County, New York. The Interconnection Agreement provided that the Facility would consist of twenty-nine Nordex N90, 2.5 MW wind turbines with a Point of Interconnection on National Grid's Homer Hill-Dugan Road #155 115kV transmission line. The Interconnection Agreement was accepted by the Commission on December 13, 2012.<sup>4</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> 16 U.S.C. § 824d (2006).

<sup>2</sup> 18 C.F.R. §§ 35.9, 35.15 (2015).

<sup>3</sup> Capitalized terms not otherwise defined in this letter have the meaning set forth in Attachment X of the NYISO's Open Access Transmission Tariff ("OATT").

<sup>4</sup> *New York Independent System Operator, Inc. and Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation d/b/a National Grid*, Letter Order, Docket No. ER13-160-000 (Dec. 13, 2012); *see also*, Errata to

## **II. Communications and Correspondence**

Communications regarding this filing should be directed to the following persons, whose names should be entered on the official service list maintained by the Secretary for the docket established with respect to this filing:

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Letter Order dated December 13, 2012, Docket No. ER13-160-000 (Dec. 14, 2012) (correcting the effective date of the Interconnection Agreement that was the subject of the December 13, 2012 letter order).

### **III. Notice of Cancellation**

Section 2.3.1 of the Interconnection Agreement provides that the Interconnection Agreement may be terminated by the Developer upon giving the NYISO and the Connecting Transmission Owner ninety Calendar Days advance written notice. Pursuant to this section, Allegany Wind provided a letter to the NYISO and National Grid dated February 27, 2015, requesting termination of the Interconnection Agreement effective May 28, 2015.<sup>5</sup> Pursuant to the Developer's letter of February 27, 2015 and Section 2.3.1 of the Interconnection Agreement, the NYISO hereby submits this Notice of Cancellation of Service Agreement No. 1916 of the NYISO OATT.

### **IV. Requested Effective Date**

The NYISO requests that the Commission approve the Notice of Cancellation of Service Agreement No. 1916 of the NYISO OATT, effective May 28, 2015 to coincide with the requested termination date included in Allegany Wind's notice of termination.

### **V. Documents Submitted**

The Joint Filing Parties submit the following documents:

- this filing letter;
- Allegany Wind's February 27, 2015 letter advising NYISO and National Grid of its intent to terminate the Interconnection Agreement (Attachment A); and
- Notice of Cancellation of Service Agreement No. 1916 to the NYISO OATT (Attachment B).

### **VI. Service**

The NYISO will send an electronic link to this filing to the Parties to the Interconnection Agreement, the official representative of each of its customers, to each participant on its stakeholder committees, to the New York Public Service Commission, and to the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities. In addition, a complete copy of the documents included with this filing will be posted on the NYISO's website at [www.nyiso.com](http://www.nyiso.com).

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<sup>5</sup> A copy of this letter is included as Attachment A to this filing.

## **VII. Conclusion**

Wherefore, the NYISO respectfully requests that the Commission accept this Notice of Cancellation and grant an effective date of May 28, 2015.

Respectfully submitted,

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