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

***Re: New York Independent System Operator, Inc.'s Informational Filing Regarding
the Simultaneous Import Limitation Study, Docket No. RM04-7-000.***

Dear Secretary Bose:

In accordance with Commission staff direction, the New York Independent System Operator, Inc. ("NYISO") respectfully submits, for informational purposes, the attached presentation titled "Preliminary 2009 Simultaneous Import Limit Determination NYISO". The data in this presentation was compiled by the NYISO in order to assist the New York Transmission Owners in fulfilling their obligations associated with Commission Order No. 697¹. This presentation details the NYISO seasonal Simultaneous Import Limits for 2009, along with the methodology used in developing these limit levels. A draft of this presentation was provided to the New York Transmission Owners to support their filing obligations, and was also reviewed with FERC staff prior to this filing.

The New York Independent System Operator respectfully requests that the Commission accept this informational report. If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned.

Respectfully Submitted,

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¹ *Market-Based Rates for Wholesale Sales of Electric Energy, Capacity And Ancillary Services By Public Utilities*, Final Rule, Order No. 697, 119 FERC ¶ 61,295 (June 21, 2007).