

June 30, 2011

By Electronic Delivery

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

> Re: Notice of Termination of Service Agreement No. 1586 to the New York Independent System Operator, Inc. Open Access Transmission Tariff, Docket No. ER10-1507-000

Dear Ms. Bose:

Pursuant to Sections 35.9 and 35.15 of the Commission's Regulations,¹ the New York Independent System Operator, Inc. ("NYISO") hereby tender for filing and acceptance a Notice of Termination related to a Large Generator Interconnection Agreement ("LGIA") among the NYISO, Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation d/b/a National Grid ("National Grid) as the Connecting Transmission Owner, and Jordanville Wind, LLC as the Developer.² The LGIA is designated as Service Agreement No. 1586 under the NYISO's OATT. National Grid has indicated to the NYISO that it supports this filing.

I. <u>Background</u>

The LGIA was submitted to the Commission for acceptance in a joint filing made by the NYISO and National Grid dated June 21, 2010 in the above-referenced docket. The Commission accepted the LGIA in a letter order dated August 17, 2010. The LGIA contains several minor non-confirming provisions to accommodate the unique operational control of the Transmission Owner Attachments Facilities and Transmission Owner Stand Alone System Upgrade Facilities. The LGIA was negotiated for the purpose of interconnecting a new wind facility to a National Grid transmission line between National Grid's Porter and Rotterdam Substations.

Section 2.3.1 of the LGIA provides that the LGIA may be terminated by the Developer upon giving the NYISO and the Connecting Transmission Owner ninety (90) Calendar Days advance written notice. Pursuant to this section, on June 7, 2011, the Developer sent a letter to the NYISO and to National Grid requesting termination of the LGIA.³

¹ 18 C.F.R. §§ 35.9, 35.15 (2008).

² Capitalized terms not otherwise defined in this letter have the meaning set forth in Attachments S, X and Z of the NYISO's Open Access Transmission Tariff ("OATT").

³ A copy of this letter is included as Attachment I to this filing.

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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:

Robert E. Fernandez, General Counsel Karen Georgenson Gach, Deputy General Counsel *Sara B. Keegan, Senior Attorney New York Independent System Operator, Inc. 10 Krey Boulevard Rensselaer, NY 12144 Tel: (518) 356-6000 Fax: (518) 356-6000 Fax: (518) 356-4702 rfernandez@nyiso.com kgach@nyiso.com skeegan@nyiso.com

*Designated to receive service.

III. Notice of Termination

Pursuant to the Developer's letter of June 7, 2011 (enclosed as Attachment A to this filing) and Section 2.3.1 of the LGIA, the NYISO tenders for filing a Notice of Termination concerning Service Agreement No. 1586.

IV. Requested Effective Date

The NYISO respectfully requests that the Commission approve the Notice of Termination of Service Agreement No. 1586 to the NYISO OATT, effective September 6, 2011 to coincide with the requested termination date included in the Developer's Notice of Termination. The Developer submitted its notice to the NYISO and Connecting Transmission Owner ninety (90) days prior to the requested termination date.

V. Documents Submitted

The NYISO submits the following documents:

- this filing letter;
- Developer's written notice of termination of the LGIA dated June 7, 2011 (Attachment I); and

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• Notice of Termination of Service Agreement No. 1586 to the NYISO OATT (Attachment II).

VI. Service

The NYISO will send an electronic link to this filing to 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 Public documents included with this filing will be posted on the NYISO's website at www.nyiso.com.

VII. Conclusion

Wherefore, the NYISO respectfully requests that the Commission accept this Notice of Termination and grant an effective date of September 6, 2011.

Respectfully submitted,

<u>/s/ Sara B. Keegan</u> Sara B. Keegan Counsel for the New York Independent System Operator, Inc.

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 30th day of June, 2011.

/s/ Joy Zimberlin

Joy Zimberlin New York Independent System Operator, Inc 10 Krey Blvd. Rensselaer, NY 12114 (518) 356-6207 Attachment I

JORDANVILLE WIND, LLC

1125 NW Couch St., Suite 700 Portland, OR 97209

June 7, 2011

Mr. Henry Chao Vice President, System and Resource Planning New York Independent System Operator, Inc. 10 Krey Boulevard Rensselaer, NY 12144

Mr. William Malee Director, Transmission Commercial Services Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation d/b/a National Grid 300 Eric Boulevard W. Syracuse, NY 13202

Subject: Request to Terminate Jordanville Wind (Queue #186) Interconnection Agreement

Dear Messrs. Chao and Malee:

In accordance with Article 2.3.1 of the Interconnection Agreement ("IA") dated June 3, 2010, between New York Independent System Operator, Inc. ("NYISO"), Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation d/b/a National Grid ("National Grid"), and Jordanville Wind, LLC, ("Jordanville Wind"), Jordanville Wind, LLC hereby requests termination of the IA effective as of September 6, 2011 to reflect the required ninety (90) calendar days notice.

Contemporaneously with termination of the IA, I would also like to request that National Grid return the \$2,125,457 guaranty that National Grid is currently holding as security for the Jordanville Wind project.

Please acknowledge your receipt and acceptance of this termination notice by signing in the space provided below and returning one original to us for our files.

Should you have any questions, please contact Tom Shields at 281-374-3064 or tom.shields@iberdrolaren.com. Thank you for all of your assistance.

Regards,

Authorized Representative

ACKNOWLEDGED AND ACCEPTED:

New York Independent System Operator, Inc.

By: _____ Print Name: Title:

ACKNOWLEDGED AND ACCEPTED:

Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation d/b/a National Grid

By: _____ Print Name: Title: Attachment II

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA BEFORE THE FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION

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New York Independent System Operator, Inc.

Docket No. ER10-1507-000

NOTICE OF TERMINATION

Notice is hereby given that effective September 6, 2011, Service Agreement No. 1586, effective June 3, 2010, and filed with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission by the New York Independent System Operator, Inc. and Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation d/b/a National Grid in Docket No. ER10-1507-000, is to be terminated. Notice of the proposed termination has been served upon the New York Public Service Commission and all entities that are on the official service list for Docket No. ER10-1507-000.

New York Independent System Operator, Inc.

By: <u>/s/ Henry Chao</u> Henry Chao, Vice President System & Resource Planning