

June 29, 2021

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

**Re: *New York Independent System Operator, Inc.*; Notice of Effective Date  
and Compliance Filing, Docket No. ER21-1018-00\_**

Dear Secretary Bose:

On February 2, 2021, the New York Independent System Operator, Inc. (“NYISO”) filed proposed revisions (“February 2021 Filing”)<sup>1</sup> to its Market Administration and Control Area Services Tariff (“Services Tariff”) to (1) modify the current Operating Reserve Demand Curves applicable to various locational reserve requirements established by the NYISO,<sup>2</sup> and (2) establish a process and procedures to procure supplemental reserves, if needed, in the future.<sup>3</sup> On June 23, 2021, the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (“Commission”) issued an order accepting the NYISO’s proposed Operating Reserve Demand Curve enhancements and rejecting, without prejudice, the NYISO’s supplemental reserves proposal (“June 23 Order”).<sup>4</sup>

The June 23 Order directed the NYISO to submit a subsequent compliance filing (or filings) to (i) provide no less than two weeks’ notice of the expected effective date for the tariff revisions accepted by the Commission, and (ii) remove all language related to the supplemental reserves component of the NYISO’s proposal from its proposed tariff revisions.<sup>5</sup> The NYISO submits this compliance filing to provide notice of the expected effective date for the revisions to the Services Tariff that were accepted by the June 23 Order and to remove the proposed tariff language related to the supplemental reserves component of the NYISO’s proposal.

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<sup>1</sup> Docket No. ER21-1018-000, *New York Independent System Operator, Inc.*, Proposed Tariff Amendments to Revise the Operating Reserves Demand Curves and to Establish the Process to Procure Supplemental Reserves (February 2, 2021).

<sup>2</sup> February 2021 Filing at 4-8 and 10-11.

<sup>3</sup> *Id.* at 8-11.

<sup>4</sup> *New York Indep. Sys. Operator, Inc.*, 175 FERC ¶ 61,241 (2021). The Commission also accepted the NYISO’s proposed modifications to the structure of the statewide 30-minute reserve demand curve applicable during real-time activations of Special Case Resources and/or the Emergency Demand Response Program.

<sup>5</sup> *Id.* at P 1 and Ordering Clauses A and B.

## **I. Documents Submitted**

The NYISO respectfully submits the following with this filing letter:

1. A clean version of the revisions to the Services Tariff accepted by the June 23 Order with an effective date of July 13, 2021 (“Attachment I”); and
2. A blackline version of the Services Tariff documenting the removal of all language related to the supplemental reserves component of the NYISO’s proposal that was rejected, without prejudice, by the June 23 Order (“Attachment II”).

## **II. Notice of Effective Date**

In compliance with the June 23 Order, the NYISO hereby provides notice to the Commission that it expects to implement the revisions to the Services Tariff accepted by the June 23 Order on July 13, 2021.<sup>6</sup> The Services Tariff revisions will become effective on July 13, 2021 in the Real-Time Market upon deployment and activation of the software enhancements supporting such revisions. For the Day-Ahead Market, the Services Tariff revisions will be incorporated into the execution of the Day-Ahead Market occurring on July 14, 2021 for the July 15, 2021 market day. Attachment I provides a clean version of the relevant tariff revisions with an effective date of July 13, 2021.

## **III. Supplemental Reserves Compliance Obligation**

In compliance with the June 23 Order, the NYISO hereby submits a blackline version of the Services Tariff documenting the removal of all language related to the supplemental reserves component of the NYISO’s proposal (Attachment II to this filing letter). This version documents the removal of the language related to the supplemental reserves component of the NYISO’s proposal by showing all references to, and discussion of, supplemental reserves as stricken.<sup>7</sup> This version also incorporates ministerial edits that are necessary to avoid truncated and/or disconnected language after the removal of language related to supplemental reserves.

## **IV. Service**

The NYISO will send an electronic link to this filing to the official representative of each party to this proceeding, the official representative of each of its customers, each participant on its stakeholder committees, the New York State Public Service Commission, and the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities. In addition, the NYISO will post this filing on its website at [www.nyiso.com](http://www.nyiso.com).

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<sup>6</sup> Should the NYISO determine that it will be unable to implement these tariff revisions on July 13, 2021, it will promptly notify its Market Participants and the Commission.

<sup>7</sup> Removal of the stricken language from this version produces a tariff record that is identical to the clean version submitted as Attachment I to this filing letter.

**V. Conclusion**

The NYISO respectfully requests that the Commission accept this compliance filing.

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 29th day of June 2021.

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