



Ancillary Services Manual Summary of Changes for v3.6

**Market Structures Working Group
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Obligation to Pay for Ancillary Service

↘ TB 121

Ancillary Services Charges for Third-Party Station Power

- The topic of who pays for ancillary services belongs in **Accounting & Billing Manual**
- §1.3 added to **Ancillary Services Manual** to cross reference the OATT, Services Tariff, and **Accounting & Billing Manual**

Voltage Support Services

- **TB 091**
Scheduling Annual Generator Reactive Capability Tests
- **TB 103**
Voltage Support Service – Request for Qualification for Facilities Located Within the New York Control Area
- **TB 126**
NYISO Distribution of Resource Capacity and Reactive Power Capacity Data to the NYCA Transmission Owners
 - **§3.6 Updated to reflect content of technical bulletins**

BIC Request

- ✦ **Clarify in the Ancillary Services Manual that VSS suppliers may submit data recorded during actual operation as a VSS test.**
 - *§3.6 of the Ancillary Services Manual was changed to reflect this fact – a VSS supplier may submit data collected during actual operation to demonstrate its reactive power capability*

BIC Question

➤ Question about the phrase

“Extreme measures that might overstate a unit's normally expected reactive capability must be avoided.”

➤ Rewording of previously approved phrase

“Extreme measures are not to be taken to avoid overstating a unit's normally expected reactive capability.”

- ***Important that the NYISO have an accurate gauge of how much reactive power will be available from a VSS supplier when needed***
- ***Generator Cooling / Hydrogen Pressure***