

# **ESPWG Status Update**

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# Status Update: A Parallel Process

- **Phase I Implementation**

- At Last meeting 3/1/04

- Initial Planning Report draft outline reviewed and comments provided by ESPWG

- ISO expressed concern in not receiving responses from some MP's on ISO request for data

- Northeastern ISO/RTO Planning Coordination Protocol reviewed and comments provided by ESPWG members

- Probe report

- Report on meeting between NYISO Ops and PowerGem

- “Probe Light” for reporting 2003 congestion

- » Will not allow for detailed analysis of causes of congestion

- » Will be done in a qualitative fashion for 03

- Full Probe analysis beginning January 04 and going forward

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- **Phase II: Comprehensive Process**
  - Discussions continue on cost allocation/recovery issues
    - Additional presentation on the subject
      - Technical results from TO analysis expected for discussion at the next ESPWG meeting.
    - NYISO circulated a draft of the Phase II reliability process just prior to the 3/1 ESPWG meeting.
      - General discussion at 3/1 meeting
      - Written comments requested from MP's by 3/19/04
    - Next ESPWG meeting 3/31