UNITED STATES OF AMERICA FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION

New York Independent System Operator, Inc.

Docket No. ER01-2536-002

ORDER GRANTING REHEARING FOR FURTHER CONSIDERATION

(Issued November 2, 2001)

Rehearing has been timely requested of the Commission's order issued on September 4, 2001 in this proceeding. New York Independent System

Operator, Inc., 96 FERC $\,$ 61,251 (2001). In the absence of Commission action

within 30 days, the request for rehearing (and any timely

requests for rehearing filed subsequently) would be deemed denied. 18 C.F.R. 385.713.

In order to afford additional time for consideration of the matters raised or to be raised, rehearing of the Commission's order is hereby granted for the limited purpose of further consideration, and timely-filed rehearing requests will not be deemed denied by operation of law. Rehearing request of the above-cited order filed in this proceeding will be addressed in a future order. As provided in 18 C.F.R. 385.713(d), no answers to the rehearing request will be entertained. The Commission anticipates issuing an order on the merits in this proceeding by December 24, 2001.

Linwood A. Watson, Jr. Acting Secretary

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See San Diego Gas & Electric Company v. Sellers of Energy and Ancillary Services Into Markets Operated by the California Independent System Operator and the California Power Exchange, et al., 95 FERC 61,173 (2001) (clarifying that a single tolling order applies to all rehearing requests that were timely filed).