

September 20, 2011

TO: Remaining Class Year 2010 Project Developers

Queue Pos.	Project	Developer	Contact(s)
237	Allegany Wind	Allegany Wind, LLC	Charles Vogel
254	Ripley-Westfield Wind	Ripley-Westfield Wind, LLC	Stan Gray
260	Stephentown	Stephentown Regulations Services, LLC	Robert Rounds
263	Stony Creek Wind Farm	Stony Creek Wind Farm, LLC	Eric Miller
308	Astoria Energy II	Astoria Energy II, LLC	Charles McCall
330	Upton Solar Farms	Long Island Solar Farm, LLC	Todd Lacoste

Re: Notice of Class 2009 and 2010 Developers' Decisions Regarding the Second Round Project Cost Allocations – Initiation of Round 3

Dear Developer Representatives:

September 19, 2011 was the deadline for the remaining Class 2009 and Class 2010 Developers to provide notice to the NYISO indicating either acceptance (“Acceptance Notice”) or non-acceptance (“Non-Acceptance Notice”) of their respective Project Cost Allocations for System Upgrade Facilities (SUFs) and System Deliverability Upgrades (SDUs) and Deliverable MWs, as outlined in my September 12, 2011 *Notice of Project Cost Allocations for SUFs and SDUs*.

This is to inform you that Non-Acceptance Events have occurred for both Class Years 2009 and 2010, and therefore, a third round of cost allocations will be required for both Classes. Developer decisions are summarized in the tables below.

Table A - Class Year 2009 – Summary of Developers' Second Decisions			
Queue# / Project	Project Cost Allocation for SUFs	Project Cost Allocation for SDUs	Deliverable MWs
222 Ball Hill Windpark	Accepted	Accepted	N/A
232 Bayonne Energy Center	Accepted	Accepted	Accepted
245 Fulton County Landfill	Accepted	N/A	N/A
251 CPV Valley	Accepted	Not Accepted	N/A

Table B - Class Year 2010 – Summary of Developers' Second Decisions			
Queue# / Project	Project Cost Allocation for SUFs	Project Cost Allocation for SDUs	Deliverable MWs
237 Allegany Wind	Accepted	Accepted	N/A
254 Ripley-Westfield Wind	Not Accepted	Not Accepted	N/A
260 Stephentown	Accepted	N/A	N/A
263 Stony Creek Wind Farm	Accepted	Accepted	N/A
308 Astoria Energy II	Accepted	N/A	N/A
330 Upton Solar Farms	Accepted	Accepted	Accepted

As a consequence of the above Class 2009 and Class 2010 Non-Acceptance Events, all Class 2009 and Class 2010 Developers are relieved of their obligation to post Security for their current respective Project

Cost Allocations for both SUFs and SDUs, as applicable. Since all Class 2009 Developers accepted their cost allocation for SUFs, no Class 2009 projects will be entirely removed from the Class 2009. However, the CPV Valley project will be removed from both the Class 2009 and Class 2010 Deliverability Studies. The Ripley-Westfield Wind project will be removed from the Class 2010 Interconnection Facilities Study for both the ATRA and the Deliverability Study. For the third round, the NYISO will issue an updated Class Year 2010 Interconnection Facilities Study including Project Cost Allocations for SUFs and SDUs and Deliverable MWs, revised as necessary, as soon as practicable, but by October 17, 2011 at the latest, in accordance with Attachment S of the NYISO Open Access Transmission Tariff. Thereafter, the Developers will have seven (7) calendar days from issuance of the revised Class Year studies and cost allocations to again notify the NYISO whether or not they accept their respective Project Cost Allocations for SUFs and SDUs and their Deliverable MWs. Developers must provide this notice for the third round even if their Project Cost Allocation(s) and/or Deliverable MWs are unchanged from the second round.

If all Developers accept their cost allocations and Deliverable MW from the third round, Developers will then have five (5) business days from the end of the decision period to post Security for SUFs and SDUs to the applicable Transmission Owner(s). Developers that owe Headroom reimbursements also would be required to pay such reimbursements to the applicable prior Class Year Developer(s). If, however, not all remaining Class 2009 or Class 2010 Developers accept their third round cost allocations for SUFs and SDUs and Deliverable MW, as applicable, the NYISO would need to prepare and issue yet another updated Class Year Interconnection Facilities Study with cost allocations and Deliverable MWs, as applicable.

If you have any questions, please call or send me an e-mail at the number/address below.

Sincerely,

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