To: NYS Public Service Commission

NYISO Operating Committee

NYISO System Operating Advisory Subcommittee

NYS Reliability Council

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Subject: Major Emergency Report

At 2309 On Saturday 3/31/01 a Major Emergency was declared by the NYISO Shift Supervisor

PV-20 Plattsburgh-Vermont exceeded its LTE Rating

This was caused when: The Highgate HVdc tie in ISONE ran back 150MW.

To correct this, the NYISO Shift Supervisor:

NYPA took taps on the PAR at Plattsburgh to reduce the PV-20 loading.

Load Relief Was Not Required.

The Major Emergency was terminated at 2312