

Marketplace Technical Conference

Summary of Changes and Schedule

August 11, 2006

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Presentation Outline

- ◆ Summary of Planned Changes
 - *What is Changing*
 - *What is NOT Changing*
- ◆ Draft High-Level Schedule

What is Changing

- ◆ Case sensitivity of passwords
- ◆ Behind the scenes implementation of Load and Virtual bidding functions
- ◆ Support for SOAP based Web Services
- ◆ Retirement of the OSS application
- ◆ Transaction Bidding web application pages and Upload / Download templates

What is NOT Changing

- ◆ The look and feel of NYISO web applications
- ◆ Load and Virtual bidding web application pages and Upload / Download templates

Scheduling Timeframes

→ August 8, 2006

- Beginning of Time period for Administrators and Users to change passwords

→ November – December, 2006

- Proposed timeframe for MP sandbox testing of Load and Transaction Bidding Marketplace and Upload/Download modifications
- Proposed testing duration: 2-3 weeks

→ January 9, 2007

- Passwords must be changed. Otherwise, NYISO customer relations will need to be contacted to reacquire Marketplace and Upload/Download Access
- Deployment of Load Bid Marketplace and Upload/Download Modifications
- Deployment of OSS Retirement and related Marketplace and Upload/Download modifications