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The Honorable Magalie R. Salas  
Secretary  
Federal Energy Regulatory Commission  
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Request of New York Independent System Operator, Inc.  
to be Represented at the Commission's November 19, 2002 Technical Conference  
in Docket No. RM01-12-000

Dear Ms. Salas:

Pursuant to the Notices issued on October 2, 2002 and October 22, 2002, as amended on October 24, 2002, in this proceeding, the New York Independent System Operator ("NYISO") hereby respectfully requests that one of the following three individuals be permitted to speak at the Commission's November 19, 2002 technical conference on resource adequacy: (i) Mr. Rob Soeldner, the NYISO's Vice President for Strategic Initiatives; (ii) Mr. John Charlton, a senior engineer at the NYISO; or (iii) Mr. Roy Shanker, who is not a NYISO employee, but is an active participant in the Northeast ISOs Joint Capacity Adequacy Group and numerous ISO working groups. The NYISO believes that it has a unique perspective as the operator of an established and generally successful long-term capacity adequacy market and would like to be represented at the conference. It is offering the Commission a choice of representatives to make it easier to pick one that would be a good fit for one of the discussion panels at the conference.

The NYISO's representative would make a presentation that will include a brief description of the new regional resource adequacy proposal for the Northeast. The representative

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will also explain how the proposal builds upon the experience gained through the administration of the existing long-term capacity markets and will meet the future needs of the Northeast, by:

- Promoting bilateral agreements;
- Allowing for participation by existing, new, renewable and demand resources;
- Supporting retail access programs; and
- Being flexible enough to meet unique locational requirements and to work in areas where utilities have and have not divested their generation.

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