Motion for the NYISO Business Issues Committee Regarding Changes to the Close and Posting Times for Balance Market Evaluation (BME)

- **Whereas** PJM's EMC has adopted Business Rule changes that limit NY based transactions to obtaining ramp space with PJM to a relatively narrow window.
- **Whereas,** as a result of Regional DAM Market Study review, we know that BME is complete for posting purposes almost every single hour by quarter past the hour.
- **Whereas** shifting the timing of BME will allow more time to rectify any transaction problems with PJM and will give Participants somewhat more time to enter transactions before closing.

It is hereby Moved that:

- (1) The NYISO file with FERC to remove the timing specifications for BME in the Market Services Tariff and to allow the Business Issues Committee to decide, in consultation with ISO staff BME's timing.
- (2) That we recognize the ISO's earlier Posting time for BME from half past the hour to quarter past the hour and to change, at least initially, the close time from half past the prior hour to 40 minutes past the prior hour.
- (3) It is further moved that the Business Issues Committee adopt a "posting relief procedure" that will allow, upon announcement by the ISO at some appropriate time, e.g. by the top of the hour, to extend the BME posting time up to half past the hour (i.e. the current up to posting time).
- (4) That the procedures and timing adopted by the BIC be published in the appropriate ISO manual.