DRAFT FOR DISCUSSION PURPOSES

NYISO COMPREHENSIVE RELIABLITY PLANNING PROCESS

PROPOSED TIMELINE

MONTH	<u>ACTION ITEM</u>
1-2	 Data inputs submitted TOs to submit their transmission plans NYISO MPs (coordinate w/TPAS & ESPWG) Coordinate with adjacent control areas
3	 Development of Base Case* First Five Years Second Five Years Development of Scenarios
4	Begin Base Case RNA analysis
5-8	Review Base Case analysis with ESPWG & TPAS Conduct Scenario analysis Begin preparation of RNA draft report
9	Review RNA Draft report with ESPWG & TPAS
10	OC/MC vote on RNA Forward to NYISO BOD and Independent Market Advisor
11	NYISO BOD action on RNA Issue/post final RNA** "Request for Solutions" phase begins
12-13	TOs prepare regulated backstop solutions Developers prepare market-based responses Other developers prepare alternative regulated solutions for submission to NYS DPS***

14-15 NYISO evaluates proposed solutions vs. identified reliability needs NYISO to identify and resolve any deficiencies in proposed solutions NYISO prepares draft CRP

[NOTE: IF A REGULATED BACKSTOP SOLUTION IS RECOMMENDED IN THE DRAFT CRP, THEN THE NYISO WILL PERFORM A COST ALLOCATION ANALYSIS FOR THAT REGULATED SOLUTION PRIOR TO SEEKING COMMITTEE/BOD ACTION ON THE CRP)

- 16 Review draft CRP with ESPWG & TPAS
- 17 OC/MC vote on CRP
 Forward to NYISO BOD and IMA
- 18 NYISO BOD action on CRP
 Issue/post final CRP
 Request Responsible TO to proceed with regulated backstop project (if required)

If a regulated backstop solution is required:

- TOs shall submit proposals for regulated backstop projects to appropriate regulatory agencies
- Other developers may submit proposals for alternative regulated solutions to appropriate regulatory agencies

Notes:

- * Development of the base case for the first five years shall be coordinated with the ATBA/ATRA cases for NYISO Interconnection Studies and with the ATR review
- ** Need to incorporate timeline for PSC dispute resolution—if needed
- *** Need to incorporate timeline for PSC screening process

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