

FERC Order on Import Rights Review of Pro Rata Allocation

ICAP Working Group Review September 26, 2006



Order Issued on June 29

- NYISO shall also consider whether external rights should be awarded on a pro rata basis among all bidders who submit bids within some interval rather than continue the allocation on an 'all or nothing' basis.
- ✓ Pro Rata Allocation Reviewed with ICAP Working Group on August 1 and with BIC on August 9
- ✓ Compliance Filing Made on August 28
 - Filing included a commitment to prepare and present specific ICAP Manual language that could be used to implement a pro rata allocation methodology



Pro Rata Allocation

- Day 1: Requests submitted by email
 - Cannot request Import Rights exceeding those remaining to be allocated from each Control Area
- Day 2: Requests evaluated by NYISO staff
- End of Day 2: NYISO notifies submitters of status
 - Accepted
 - Rejected
 - Prorated
- If no prorating required, process ends as of Day 2



Pro Rata Allocation (continued)

- If prorating required
 - Days 3 and 4: Customers may withdraw requests and submit new requests; prorating may again be necessary
 - End of Day 4: Pro rata awards become obligations if the submitter has not withdrawn its request
 - If a requester accepts obligation to supply ICAP on Day 1 (or thereafter), it will be protected against further subsequent proration



Pro Rata Allocation Stages

- First Stage: proration to meet the limits of individual external control area interfaces
- Second Stage: proration to meet the overall limit of imports into the New York Control Area



- Review of Draft Language in the ICAP Manual
- **✓BIC** Vote on October 11, 2006
 - Determine whether or not to accept these ICAP Manual revisions on pro rata allocation of import rights