

**JPB COMMENTS 6/14/03**

***Electric System Planning WG***

***06/13/03***

**-Variables for consideration in the development of planning scenarios:**

- Load forecast
  - Economic drivers
- Fuel
  - prices
  - availability of supply
- New Resources
  - supply
    - transmission (both regulated and merchant)
    - demand response
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- Retirements
  - Generation
  - Transmission
  - Termination of demand response programs
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- Availability
  - Generation
  - Transmission (to the extent data exists)

## **-Modelling Input Assumptions/Issues**

- Assumptions of levels of imports and exports
- Representation of neighboring systems
- Modelling of export charges between CAs
- Contingency representation
- Modeling of unit bidding costs
  - Fuel
  - O & M
  - Emissions
- Demand Response Modeling
  - Load Modifiers
  - Price responsive
  - Emergency response
  - Energy efficiency programs

[JPB NOTE: Lets list other input assumptions as well]

**-Other Issues** (Either Input Assumptions or subjects for separate analysis)

- Renewable Portfolio Standards
- Environmental standards for emissions
- Changes in network definition
  - Facilities Modelled in NYISO planning studies
  - Input from TO's local system studies
  - Potential impact on LBMPs

## **-Criteria for inclusion of future resources**

### **-Supply**

- Status of licensing/permits
  - Units subject to Article 10
  - Units subject to SEQRA
- SRIS Status
- Financial viability
- Construction status
- Status of interconnection agreements

### **-Transmission**

- Status of licensing/permits
  - Article 7
  - Phase 3 process
  - Army Corps of Engineers
  - Right of Way acquisition
- Financial viability
- SRIS Status
- Status of TO Funding
- Construction Status

### **-Demand Response**

- Financial viability
- Metering issues
- Program success rates
- Environmental Requirements
- Permitting Requirements(Are there any?)
- (Modelling Issue)                      - (Modelling Issue)

## **Desired Outcomes of Initial Phase Planning Process**

- Identify Reliability Needs
- Identify where congestion is occurring
- Quantify levels of congestion
- Historical and projected congestion analysis
- Identify key factors impacting levels of congestion