

Overview of the New ICAP In-City Mitigation Rules

New York Independent System Operator

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Training Session Overview

- Background
- Overview of new mitigation measures for NYC
 - Pivotal supplier test
 - Default reference price
 - Unit-specific adjusted reference price
- Review of changes to ICAP Market System user screens
 - Affiliate/bidding agent information
 - Default and unit-specific adjusted reference prices
 - Inserting offers
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Background

- In response to FERC's July 6, 2007 order in Docket No. EL07-39, the NYISO proposed new market power mitigation measures for NYC on October 4, 2007
- On March 7, 2008, FERC conditionally approved the NYISO's proposal, as modified, and directed the NYISO to file tariff sheets within 60 days
- On March 20, 2008, the NYISO filed tariff sheets addressing only supply-side mitigation measures
 - FERC made effective on March 27, 2008, prior to the Summer 2008 Capability Period Auction on March 28, 2008



Services Tariff Revisions

- Historical divested generation owner mitigation removed, such as offer caps, revenue caps, and restriction on bilateral transactions
- Initial compliance filing addressed only supplier mitigation
 - FERC granted two waivers
 - Additional tariff changes for supplier mitigation under review and may be included in later compliance filing
- Tariff revisions for mitigation measures related to uneconomic entry to be addressed in subsequent NYISO filing by early May
 - Uneconomic entry measures do not apply to existing generation



- New mitigation measures for pivotal suppliers in NYC
 - Pivotal suppliers must offer available capacity into the spot auction
 - Available capacity determined at certification and is all capacity except that sold in earlier auction or certified bilateral transactions
 - Charge for failure to offer capacity (1.5 x spot price x portfolio MW)
 - Pivotal suppliers' offers in spot auction limited to higher of the default reference price or, if applicable, a unit-specific adjusted reference price



- Allows generator owners to submit goingforward costs for a unit-specific reference price
- Pivotal supplier test requires that MPs submit affiliate and bidding agent information
- Exports by NYC pivotal suppliers prohibited
 - NYISO will review and revise this rule as necessary when submitting tariff language in early May
- MPs must report bilateral transactions via the ICAP Market System



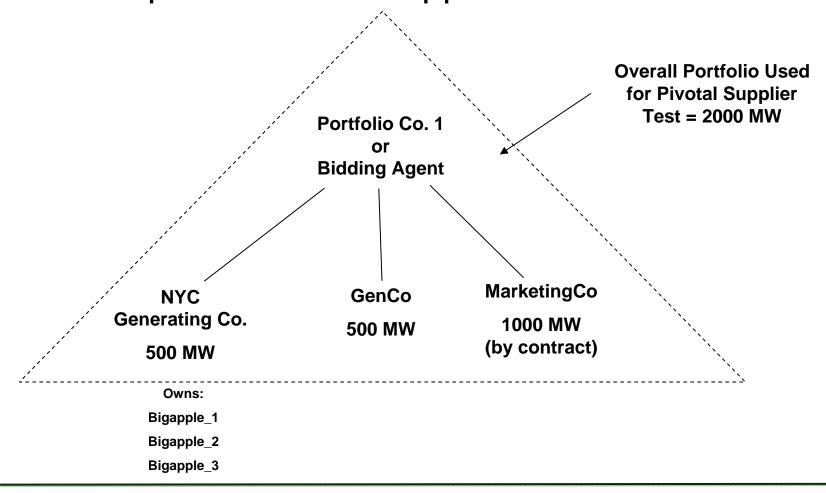
- Pivotal Supplier Test
 - Examines control of NYC capacity whether by ownership, contract, or as bidding agent
 - Done on portfolio basis, including affiliates and bidding agents, as appropriate
 - For each portfolio, sum the adjusted net market positions of each entity in the portfolio
 - Adjusted net market position is the net position plus uncertified capacity plus the minimum of either bilateral sales (excluding self supply) or generation UCAP
 - Negative adjusted net positions (short positions) are not considered in the portfolio calculation
 - If portfolio's MWs controlled is greater or equal to 500 MW and the amount of NYC capacity in excess of the minimum locational requirement, then all capacity in portfolio is pivotal and subject to must offer requirement at reference price



- Pivotal Supplier Test
 - The owner of a capacity resource is presumed to retain control over that resource for purposes of the pivotal supplier test until the owner demonstrates otherwise
 - Control is either the ability to determine the quantity or price of an offer to supply UCAP from an In-City supplier into a spot auction or the right to revenue or other financial benefit from such capacity
 - Sale in Capability Period or Monthly Auction rebuts the presumption of control
 - 90-day waiver of ability to rebut presumption of control due to ownership in effect



Example of Portfolio Approach





Example of portfolio calculation

Entity	Gen UCAP	Purchases	Sales	Net Position	Adj Net Mkt Position
NYC Generating Co.	500 MW	1000 MW	200 MW	1300 MW	1500 MW
GenCo	500 MW	0 MW	0 MW	500 MW	500 MW
MarketingCo	0 MW	1000 MW	1100 MW	-100 MW	0 MW

Portfolio MW = 2000 MW

- Assuming NYC Min. Locational Req. is 9000 MW and total NYC UCAP is 10000 MW, excess is 1000 MW
- 2000 MW portfolio would be pivotal and subject to must offer at reference price



- Example Default Reference Price Calculation
 - Example shown is intended to illustrate how the default reference price will be calculated
 - Example uses the most current information available to the NYISO but should not be relied upon for any purpose; the actual default reference price will be calculated monthly after certification
 - Example is for illustration purposes only



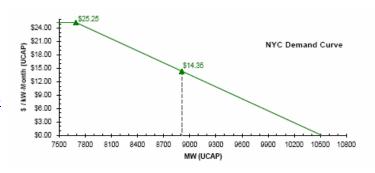
Parameter	Label	ICAP	UCAP	Remarks			
EFORd	A		6.9%	Per ICAP/UCAP translation of			
				demand curve ¹			
NYC reference price	В	\$13.36	\$14.35	Per ICAP/UCAP translation of			
(\$/kW-mo), 100% LCR				demand curve ¹			
NYC load forecast	C	11964		LCR study ²			
(MW)				·			
80% * C	D	9571	8911				
Demand curve zero	E		10515	Per ICAP/UCAP translation of			
crossing point (MW)				demand curve ¹			
Generator UCAP (MW),	F		9353	Generator DMNC values as of			
May 2008				May 2008, adjusted for EFORd			
SCRs (MW)	G		450	Footnote 3			
Available UCAP MW	H		9803				
(F+G)							
Default reference price,	I		\$6.37				
\$/kW-mo							
B*(E-H)/(E-D)							
Sensitivity (\$/kW-	J		-\$0.89	Per ICAP/UCAP translation of			
mo)/100 MW				demand curve ¹			

Footnotes:

1. Available at http://www.nyiso.com/public/webdocs/products/icap/auctions/Summer-2008/documents/DemandCurveSummer2008_FINAL_posting.pdf

2. Available at https://www.nyiso.com/secure/webdocs/committees/oc/meeting_materials/2008-02-28/LocationalMinimumICAPRequirementsStudy.pdf

3. Estimate based on registered levels of 316 MW (April 2007), 446 MW (May 2007) and 357 MW (April 2008).





- Unit-Specific Reference Price
 - NYC generation owners may submit going forward costs for a unit
 - Generally, going forward costs are either (1) those costs that could be avoided if the unit was taken out of service (*i.e.*, mothballed) or retired, as applicable, net of energy and ancillary services revenues, or (2) net opportunity costs of foregone sales outside NYC
 - Costs related to pollution control equipment (not already incurred) to meet environmental standards can be considered in going forward cost calculation
 - NYISO will determine seasonally adjusted net going forward cost figure on a \$/kW-month basis not later than seven calendar days prior to auction
 - Expires in twelve months unless updated



Changes to ICAP Market System

- Affiliate/Bidding Agent Info
 - All entities able to participate in the ICAP markets were required to submit their affiliate and bidding agent information by April 3, 2008
 - This information is being used to link entities to portfolios
 - The portfolios to which an entity belongs can be seen on the "Supply-Side In-City Mitigation Summary" page
 - Displays what portfolios were deemed pivotal
 - If any of the portfolios listed have a "Yes," capacity must be offered at reference price (default or unit-specific, described above)
 - Summary information will be visible after certification but before the spot auction opens

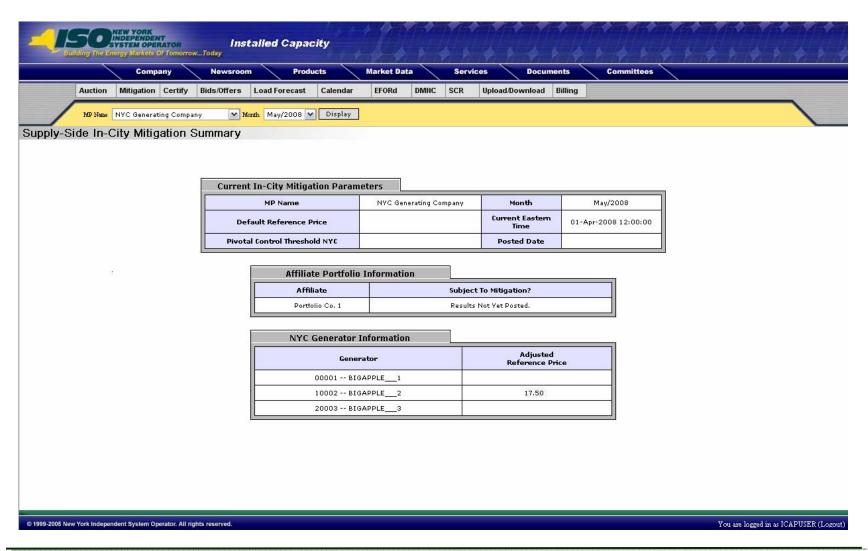


Changes to ICAP Market System

- Affiliate/Bidding Agent Info
 - "Supply-Side In-City Mitigation Summary" page displays only the portfolios to which an entity is linked; other affiliate associations submitted to Market Monitoring will not be visible
 - In order to update or change affiliate or bidding agent information, contact your customer service representative prior to certification



Supply-Side In-City Mitigation Summary



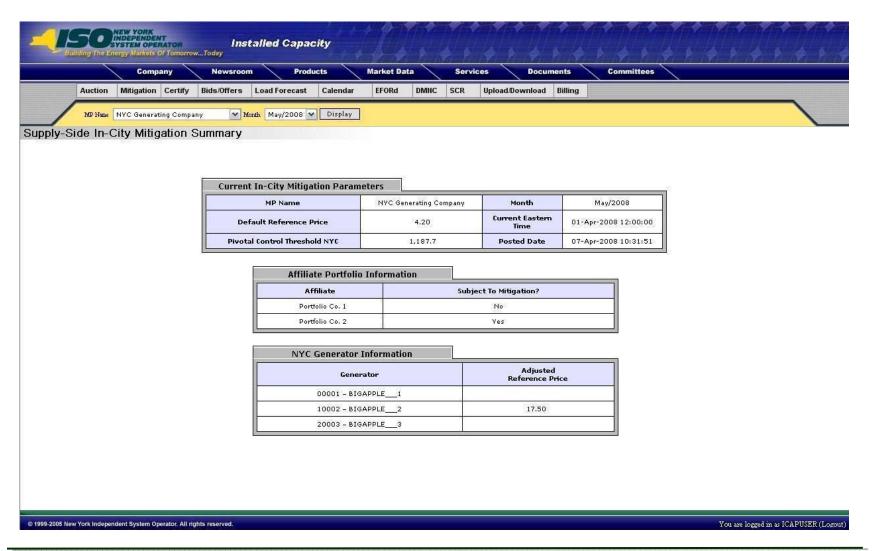


Changes to ICAP Market System

- The default reference price and the generatorspecific adjusted reference price are visible on the "Supply-Side In-City Mitigation Summary" page
 - If any of the generators listed do not have an adjusted reference price, then the default reference price would apply if part of pivotal supplier portfolio



Supply-Side In-City Mitigation Summary





Changes to ICAP Market System

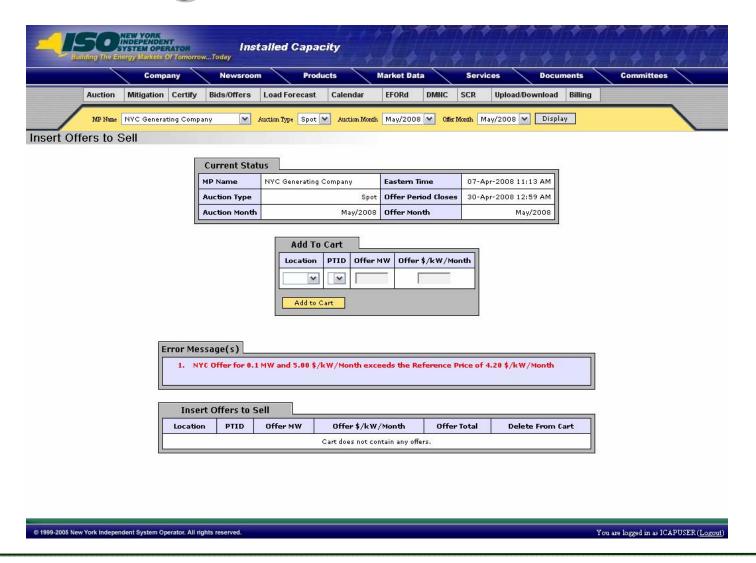
- Inserting offers to sell
 - If an offer is subject to pivotal supplier mitigation, the offer price cannot exceed the reference price; otherwise, an Offer Validation Error will be displayed:

NYC Offer for x.x MW and x.xx \$/kW/Month exceeds the Reference Price of y.yy \$/kW/Month

 If an Offer Validation Error occurs, an offer must be re-entered until notice is received that it passed validation

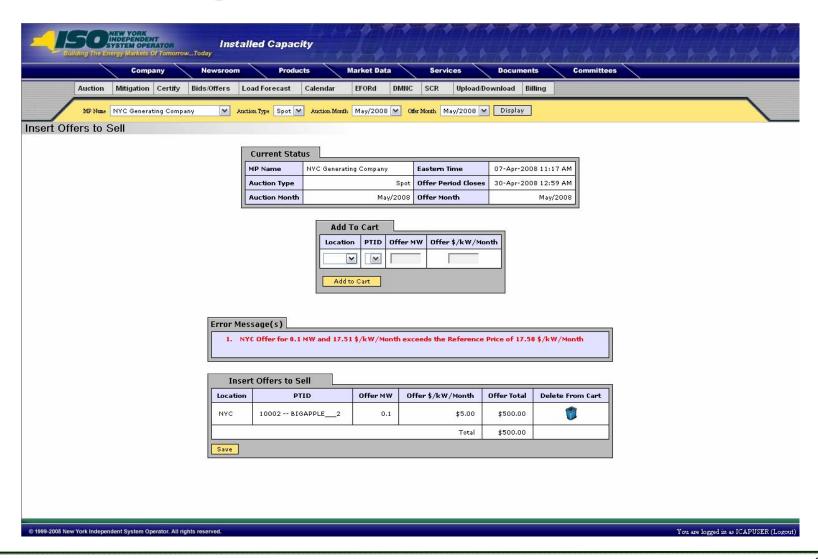


Inserting Offers to Sell



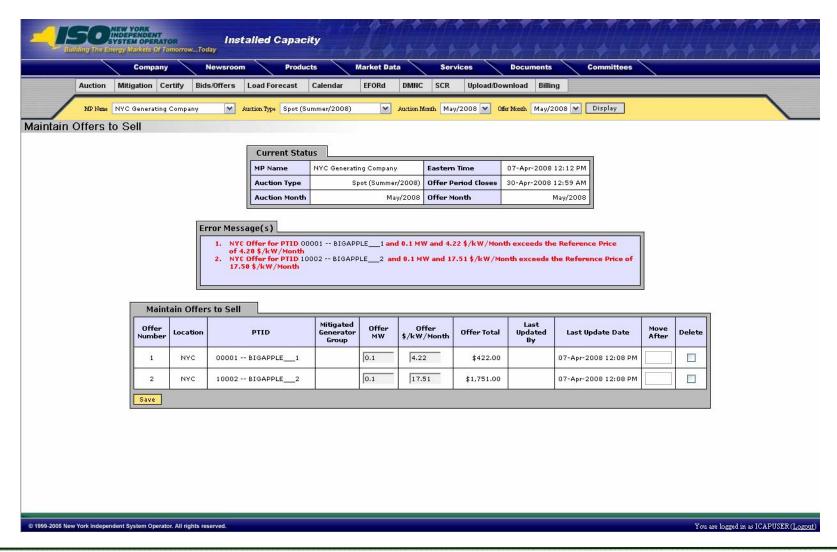


Inserting Offers to Sell





Maintaining Offers to Sell





Uploading Offers to Sell

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Schedule

- March 27 deployed software to remove historical DGO mitigation prior to Summer 2008 auctions
- April 3 deadline for submitting going forward cost information for May ICAP Spot Market Auction
- April 10, 11, 15 MP training on ICAP rule changes
- April 21 deployment of software to implement supply-side mitigation measures
- April 22 post default reference price for May ICAP Spot Market Auction
- April 23 May ICAP Spot Market Auction opens (8 am)
- April 24 May ICAP Spot Market Auction closes (5 pm)
- April 28 NYISO posts results of the May ICAP Spot Market Auction (5 pm)
- May 2 last day to submit going forward cost information for June ICAP Spot Market Auction (waiver timeline)
- For July ICAP Spot Market Auction, 50 business day tariff rule in effect for submitting going forward costs
- By May 6 NYISO to file additional tariff sheets addressing remainder of March 7 FERC order



Questions?



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