Clarification of Fixed Price TCC Credit Requirement Calculation

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Background

- On January 30, 2019 the Management Committee unanimously approved the NYISO's proposed changes to the Fixed Price TCC credit requirement
 - See January 30, 2019 Management Committee materials
 - https://www.nyiso.com/documents/20142/4677974/04%20Propose d%20Change%20to%20Fixed%20Price%20TCC%20Credit%20Require ment.pdf/c6296d5d-d5de-bd6c-db95-b73bcaf02d46
- In the process of software development, the NYISO identified an issue that would benefit from further clarification in the tariff



Background

- Historic Fixed Price TCCs ("HFPTCCs") were first offered in 2008 and are available to Load Serving Entities ("LSEs") that received transmission service under certain longterm agreements that predated the NYISO's commencement of operations
 - These grandfathered transmission agreements are set forth in Table 1A of Attachment L of the OATT
- HFPTCCs may be purchased by qualifying LSEs upon expiration or termination of such grandfathered transmission service agreements
 - Qualifying LSEs have the opportunity upon expiration to purchase HFPTCCs beginning either the day after expiration or the first day of the Capability Period following expiration
 - Depending on the LSE's election as authorized by the OATT, start and end dates of HFPTCCs may not coincide with Capability Period start and end dates



Analysis

- There are currently three existing HFPTCCs with start dates that do not match the first day of a Capability Period
 - HFPTCCs are the only Fixed Price TCC instrument that can potentially result in TCCs that do not align with the start of a Capability Period
- The NYISO proposes to further clarify in the tariff how to calculate the holding requirement for HFPTCCs with start dates that do not align with the beginning of a Capability Period using the proposed enhancements previously approved by stakeholders
 - The methodology for such calculations is consistent with the methodology for TCCs that do align with start of a Capability Period



Tariff Clarification

- Incremental, clarifying revisions added to Section 26.4.2.4.1.6
- The additional revisions further clarify:
 - The segmentation of TCCs
 - More clearly identifies that the "future six-month" and "one-year" segments of a TCC may consist of less than the full six-month or one-year period
 - This better accounts for the application of segmentation to "off-period" HFPTCCs
 - The source of the market clearing price for HFPTCCs for which less than 12 months are assigned to the one-year segment
 - That the applicable portion of the credit holding requirement for each segment will appropriately account for the number of months in the segment



Next Steps

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March 2019

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• MC March 2019

Board of Directors April 2019

• FERC 205 Filing April 2019

Deployment in June 2019 contingent on stakeholder, Board and FERC approval



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