

# External Capacity Performance & Obligations: Deliverability & Eligibility

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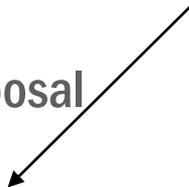
# Previous Discussions

Date	Meeting	Discussion points
03-25-19	ICAPWG/MIWG	Discussed initial framework and took feedback
05-06-19	ICAPWG/MIWG	Discussed IESO and PJM and took feedback

# Project Background

## ■ External Capacity Performance & Obligations

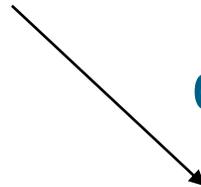
Completed proposal



External SRE Penalty Proposal

- BIC vote, April 2019
- MC vote pending, Targeting May 2019

Current effort



**External Capacity  
Deliverability & Eligibility**

# Project Background (con't)

- 2017 AG Report: *Capacity Resource Performance in the NYISO Markets*
  - The Report suggests various measures that the NYISO could evaluate further that might better align internal and external capacity resource performance
  - Today the NYISO is continuing discussions about external deliverability demonstration requirements as they relate to NY capacity market eligibility

# Project Objectives

- **The objective of the Deliverability & Eligibility segment of this project is to gain a better understanding of any obstacles that prevent external resources from delivering capacity-backed energy to the NYCA border**
  - Specifically, this project seeks to understand:
    - Obstacles to fulfilling NYISO capacity deliverability obligations
    - What external control area rules or products exist that could moderate the obstacles to delivery
    - If revisions are necessary to the Tariff and/or ICAP Manual to enhance documentation requirements for External Capacity Suppliers in each neighboring Control Area to demonstrate deliverability
  - The NYISO strives towards comparability between internal and external capacity suppliers with regard to assurance of energy delivery

# ISO-NE Capacity Eligibility

- **The NYISO proposes that resources located in ISO-NE looking to sell capacity in NY markets must be eligible to supply capacity to ISO-NE**
  - For example, resources must obtain Capacity Network Resource Capability (CNRC) in ISO-NE (equivalent to CRIS)
    - A new generating resource that clears in ISO-NE's Forward Capacity Auction (FCA) receives a "Capacity Supply Obligation" (CSO)
      - CNRC is the highest megawatt amount of the Capacity Supply Obligation (CSO) obtained by the Generating Facility in accordance with Section III.13 of the ISO-NE Tariff
    - Resources must have Network Resource Capability (equivalent to ERIS) in order to receive CNRC
  - Once a resource receives CNRC, it must also perform a Seasonal Claimed Capability (SCC) test (equivalent to DMNC)

# ISO-NE Capacity Deliverability (con't)

- **The NYISO believes that leveraging ISO-NE deliverability standards is sufficient for the NYISO's satisfaction of deliverability**
  - The NYISO would like to clarify its deliverability demonstration requirement by specifying that an ISO-NE resource must fulfill at least one of the following options in order to be eligible to sell into NYISO capacity markets:
    1. The resource submits an Export De-List bid
      - This indicates that the resource has been determined by ISO-NE to be deliverable to the NY interface over which it intends to sell capacity
        - » The analysis involves an evaluation of deliverability under a scenario in which all resources in the NE system are operating simultaneously
    2. There is no import or export constraint between the resource and the NYCA
      - These are constraints from the ISO-NE Forward Capacity Auctions
      - Constraints are constant for the ISO-NE capacity commitment period (capability year), which is June-May
  - Additional details about these two options are on following slides

# ISO-NE Capacity Deliverability (con't)

- **Option 1 to demonstrate deliverability:**
  - Have an approved Export De-List bid in the ISO-NE Forward Capacity Market (FCM) for the applicable period
    - This process indicates that a resource is deliverable to the necessary NY interface, and thus elevates the level of assurance that it will be delivered to NY
    - ISO-NE resources have the opportunity to submit an Export De-List bid prior to each ISO-NE Forward Capacity Auction (annually)
      - Resources must continue to submit administrative Export De-List bids in every subsequent FCA in order to maintain the external capacity commitment
    - More information about the ISO-NE Export De-List bid process can be found at the following location:
      - <https://www.iso-ne.com/markets-operations/markets/forward-capacity-market/fcm-participation-guide/qualification-process-for-existing-generators>

# ISO-NE Capacity Deliverability (con't)

## ■ Option 2 to demonstrate deliverability:

- There cannot be any import or export constraints between the generator and the interface over which the generator is selling capacity into NY
  - This is important because, for example, if an import-constrained zone exists between the ISO-NE resource and the NYCA border, it would not be able to deliver power across the necessary transmission in order to deliver to the NYCA
  - The NYISO will require verification on a monthly basis that ISO-NE resources who wish to sell into NYISO capacity auctions do not violate this requirement
  - The relevant constraints will be those determined in the applicable ISO-NE Forward Capacity Auction for the applicable NYISO delivery month
    - Constraints modeled in the ISO-NE auction are static for the entire capacity commitment period (June-May)
    - ISO-NE FCA Results can be found at : <https://www.iso-ne.com/about/key-stats/markets#fcaresults>

# ISO-NE Example 1: Export De-List Bid

- **Scenario: An ISO-NE resource obtains an Export De-List bid in the ISONE market for an upcoming capacity commitment period (equivalent to capability year)**
  - The Export De-List bid indicates that the ISONE resource is deliverable to the applicable NY interface for that period
  - This resource would be considered eligible by the NYISO to sell into NYISO capacity auctions

# ISO-NE Example 2: No Import or Export Constraint

- **Scenario: A resource in NE ROS Pool does not obtain an Export-De List bid, but is seeking to sell capacity to NY**
  - No import or export constraints exist between the resource and the interface over which it is intending to sell capacity to the NYISO
    - ISO-NE capacity market constraints are modeled and constant for their entire Capacity Commitment Period (equivalent to Capability Year, but beginning in June)
      - This time frame corresponds to the Forward Capacity Auctions and Annual Reconfiguration Auction periods in ISO-NE
  - This resource would be considered eligible by the NYISO to sell into NYISO capacity auctions

# ISO-NE Example 3: Export Constraint

- **Scenario:** A resource is located in an ISO-NE capacity zone, it does not submit an Export-De List bid, and it is seeking to sell to NY
  - An export constraint exists between the location of the resource and the interface over which it is intending to sell capacity to the NYISO
    - This constraint presents an obstacle to delivery to the NYCA
  - This resource would not be considered eligible by the NYISO to sell into NYISO capacity auctions

# Hydro Quebec Capacity Deliverability

- The NYISO will return to a future working group to discuss HQ deliverability

# Next Steps

- Return to future working groups to continue discussion
- Questions? Email [acarney@nyiso.com](mailto:acarney@nyiso.com)

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# Appendix

# Stakeholder Feedback Summary

- **The NYISO should seek an affirmative statement from external Control Areas that they will not curtail capacity that sold to NY**
  - The NYISO is examining this issue and will return to a future working group with a response
- **Request for clarification on transmission service requirements for PJM UDRs**
  - The NYISO is proposing to document the existing process. The requirement to secure firm transmission service to the NY border is consistent with today's practice. The only addition will be to require monthly documentation from the supplier.

# Requirement Clarification Guidelines

- The following items are guiding principles, which generally summarize the NYISO's goal to clarify, where possible, the documented requirements for capacity market eligibility
  - External capacity suppliers must be qualified to provide capacity in their home control area, where applicable
  - External capacity suppliers must be able to flow capacity from the generator that sold capacity to the NY border
  - Comparability between external and internal capacity deliverability
- The NYISO expects that given the different structures in each of our neighboring markets, these requirements will need to be tailored for each neighbor in order to achieve results that are as comparable as possible

# Project Background (con't)

- **In the 2017 Report, AG highlights that the deliverability of external capacity to the NYCA border has not been tested during periods when neighbors are in critical operating conditions**
  - The current language in the Market Services Tariff requiring external capacity resources to demonstrate delivery is as follows:
    - MST 5.12.2.1: “External Generators, External System Resources, and Control Area System Resources qualify as Installed Capacity Suppliers if they demonstrate to the satisfaction of the NYISO that the Installed Capacity Equivalent of their Unforced Capacity is deliverable to the NYCA or, in the case of an entity using a UDR to meet a Locational Minimum Installed Capacity Requirement, to the NYCA interface associated with that UDR transmission facility and will not be recalled or curtailed by an External Control Area to satisfy its own Control Area Loads, or, in the case of Control Area System Resources, if they demonstrate that the External Control Area will afford the NYCA Load the same curtailment priority that they afford their own Control Area Native Load Customers.”

# IESO Capacity Deliverability

- **IESO currently has a procedure for evaluating whether IESO resources who wish to offer capacity into the NYISO markets are deliverable to the NY border**
  - This process is described in section 5 of Part 13.1 of its Market Manual 13: Capacity Exports\*
  - IESO submits a letter to the NYISO in advance of each NYISO capability period to indicate which resources successfully passed IESO's evaluation, and are thus deemed eligible to sell capacity in the upcoming NYISO auctions
    - The NYISO plans to better document this process in the ICAP Manual

\*<http://www.ieso.ca/en/Sector-Participants/Market-Operations/Market-Rules-And-Manuals-Library>

# PJM Capacity Deliverability

- **The current deliverability requirement for capacity across the PJM-AC interface is documented in section 4.9.3 of the ICAP Manual**
  - This requirement consists of the obligation for resources that sell capacity from PJM to NY to obtain and provide documentation of firm transmission service
  - The NYISO intends to expand this language to include PJM UDRs
    - External Installed Capacity associated with UDRs will be required to demonstrate firm transmission service to the NY interface both for the annual election and monthly sales