

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
BEFORE THE
FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION**

Maine Public Utilities Commission,)	Docket No. EL07-38-000
Complainant,)	
)	
v.)	
)	
ISO New England Inc.)	
Respondent.)	

**JOINT STATUS REPORT REGARDING AMENDED COMPLAINT
OF
THE MAINE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION AND
ISO NEW ENGLAND INC.**

Pursuant to the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission’s (“FERC” or “Commission”) October 10, 2007 Notice of Extension of Time, the Maine Public Utilities Commission (“MPUC”) and ISO New England Inc. (“ISO-NE”) respectfully request that the Commission continue to hold in abeyance the Amended Complaint filed in the above-captioned proceeding, including the answers to the Amended Complaint.

On October 4, 2007, the MPUC and ISO-NE filed a Joint Status Report with respect to the Amended Complaint submitted by the MPUC on September 17, 2007 (“October 4 Joint Status Report”). In that submittal, the MPUC and ISO-NE requested that the Commission continue to hold the instant Complaint proceeding in abeyance, including the submittal of answers to the MPUC’s Amended Complaint, until November 30, 2007, at which time either answers would be filed or the MPUC and ISO-NE would submit another status report to the Commission.

On October 10, 2007, the Commission issued its Notice of Extension of Time, granting the MPUC’s and ISO-NE’s request, and setting November 30, 2007, as

the date by which answers to the MPUC's Amended Complaint or a status report by the MPUC and ISO-NE must be filed.

As noted in the October 4 Joint Status Report, ISO-NE had committed to the stakeholders to state its position on the cost allocation issues raised by the Amended Complaint on or before October 30, 2007. ISO-NE presented to the stakeholders its proposal for the allocation of variable costs of providing voltage control at the New England Power Pool ("NEPOOL") Transmission Committee meeting held on October 30, 2007, and subsequently presented a draft of tariff amendments to reflect the cost allocation proposal at the Transmission Committee's November 16, 2007 meeting.

ISO-NE has committed to present the proposed tariff amendments to reflect its cost allocation proposal for a stakeholder vote at the Transmission Committee meeting scheduled for November 30, 2007, and the Participants Committee scheduled for December 7, 2007. As such, the MPUC and ISO-NE respectfully request that the Commission further extend the date by which either parties' answers will be due to be filed, or another status report by the MPUC and ISO-NE will be filed, to December 14, 2007. Granting the MPUC's and ISO-NE's request will allow for the Transmission Committee and Participants Committee time to further consider and take action on ISO-NE's proposed amendments to reflect its cost allocation proposal that would resolve the instant matter.

For these reasons, the MPUC and ISO-NE jointly request that the Commission continue to hold the instant Complaint proceeding in abeyance and the date for filing answers to the MPUC's Amended Complaint be extended to December 14,

2007, at which time either answers will be filed, or the MPUC and ISO-NE will submit another status report to the Commission.

Wherefore, for the foregoing reasons, the MPUC and ISO-NE jointly request that the Commission continue to hold in abeyance the Complaint filed in the above-captioned proceeding, including the answer by ISO-NE.

Dated: November 21, 2007

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this day served the foregoing document upon each person designated on the official service list compiled by the Secretary in this proceeding.

Dated at Washington, D.C., this 21st day of November, 2007.

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