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Outage Coordination

To: NEPOOL Participants

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**Subject: 2014-15 Current Year Annual Maintenance Schedule**

Date: June 5, 2014

Following this transmittal letter, you will find the 2014-15 Annual Maintenance Schedule (AMS) dated June 5, 2014 with an Operable Capacity Analysis (with forecasted external transactions) for June 1, 2014 – May 31, 2015. This schedule covers the fifth Forward Capacity Market procurement period.

**2014-15 AMS - DATED June 5, 2014**

The 2014-15 AMS – dated June 5, 2014 reflects all planned maintenance requests and also includes any known long duration Forced Outages for June 1, 2014 – May 31, 2015 that have been submitted to the ISO through May 20, 2014. Those generator owners who have not yet submitted their anticipated maintenance schedules for 2014-15 are encouraged to do so.

**2014-15 OPERABLE CAPACITY ANALYSIS**

The Operable Capacity Analysis for June 1, 2014 – May 31, 2015 presently forecasts the lowest Summer Long Term Operable Capacity Margin (LTOCM) of -1,592 MW for week beginning June 7, 2014.

**Peak Load Exposures (PLE)**

After being adjusted for Other Demand Resources, ODR, the Peak Load Exposures (PLE) for the summer and winter of 2014-15 are 26,658 MW and 21,086 MW respectively, and reflect the seasonal peak load based on the 2014 CELT Report.

**Generating Unit Capabilities**

Generator Capacity Supply Obligations (CSO) are based upon data as of May 20, 2014 and include Energy Management System (EMS) assets. New unit additions are factored into the Non-Commercial Capacity MW respecting forecasted in-service dates.

**Interchange**

External Node Available Capacity MW is based on the sum of external import and export CSO.



External Transmission

Transmission outages of NYISO, NBSO, and Hydro-Quebec are included in the analysis when the CSO is impacted.

Weekly Operating Reserve

The weekly operating reserve is equal to one hundred twenty five percent (125%) of the largest contingency plus one-half (50%) of the second-largest contingency.

Unplanned Outage Allotment

Allowances for unplanned outages, as documented in ISO New England SOP-OUTSCH.0030.0040, range from 2,100 MW to 3,600 MW throughout the year.

Generation at Risk Due to Gas Supply Issues

A column has been included in the Operable Capacity Analysis to reflect natural gas-fired capacity that may be unavailable due to cold weather conditions or gas pipeline outages.

If you have any questions or comments concerning this edition of the 2014-15 AMS or Operable Capacity Analysis or if you have any comments or suggestions please feel free to contact Rachel Wilkins-Thurman at (413) 540-4261, Joanne Bialas (413) 535-4162, or Ingrid Canaday (413) 535-4329, or by email at [opamoreq@iso-ne.com](mailto:opamoreq@iso-ne.com).

# New England Operable Capacity Margins

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5/31/2014	30,502	1,067	68	438	2,800	0	28,399	26,658	2,375	29,033	(634)	310	(324)	163	(161)
6/7/2014	29,532	1,067	68	426	2,800	0	27,441	26,658	2,375	29,033	(1,592)	345	(1,247)	162	(1,085)
6/14/2014	29,532	1,067	68	116	2,800	0	27,751	26,658	2,375	29,033	(1,282)	345	(937)	162	(775)
6/21/2014	29,532	1,067	68	116	2,800	0	27,751	26,658	2,375	29,033	(1,282)	345	(937)	162	(775)
6/28/2014	29,532	1,067	68	115	2,100	0	28,452	26,658	2,375	29,033	(581)	345	(236)	162	(74)
7/5/2014	29,135	1,283	68	60	2,100	0	28,326	26,658	2,375	29,033	(707)	477	(230)	208	(22)
7/12/2014	29,135	1,283	68	105	2,100	0	28,281	26,658	2,375	29,033	(752)	477	(275)	208	(67)
7/19/2014	29,135	1,283	68	18	2,100	0	28,368	26,658	2,375	29,033	(665)	477	(188)	208	20
7/26/2014	29,135	1,283	68	18	2,100	0	28,368	26,658	2,375	29,033	(665)	477	(188)	208	20
8/2/2014	29,119	1,283	68	0	2,100	0	28,370	26,658	2,375	29,033	(663)	489	(174)	211	37
8/9/2014	29,119	1,283	68	18	2,100	0	28,352	26,658	2,375	29,033	(681)	489	(192)	211	19
8/16/2014	29,119	1,283	68	9	2,100	0	28,361	26,658	2,375	29,033	(672)	489	(183)	211	28
8/23/2014	29,119	1,283	68	0	2,100	0	28,370	26,658	2,375	29,033	(663)	489	(174)	211	37
8/30/2014	29,119	1,283	68	0	2,100	0	28,370	26,658	2,375	29,033	(663)	489	(174)	211	37
9/6/2014	29,119	1,283	68	15	2,100	0	28,355	26,658	2,375	29,033	(678)	489	(189)	211	22
9/13/2014	29,119	1,283	68	1,313	2,100	0	27,057	22,622	2,375	24,997	2,060	489	2,549	211	2,760
9/20/2014	29,119	1,283	68	1,826	2,100	0	26,544	22,529	2,375	24,904	1,640	489	2,129	211	2,340
9/27/2014	29,119	812	69	3,411	2,800	0	23,789	16,244	2,375	18,619	5,170	489	5,659	211	5,870
10/4/2014	29,680	618	69	6,053	2,800	0	21,514	16,280	2,375	18,655	2,859	486	3,345	211	3,556
10/11/2014	29,680	812	69	6,458	2,800	0	21,303	17,219	2,375	19,594	1,709	486	2,195	211	2,406
10/18/2014	29,680	812	69	7,946	2,800	0	19,815	17,589	2,375	19,964	(149)	486	337	211	548
10/25/2014	29,680	812	69	6,954	2,800	0	20,807	17,799	2,375	20,174	633	486	1,119	211	1,330
11/1/2014	29,680	812	86	6,354	3,600	0	20,624	17,917	2,375	20,292	332	486	818	211	1,029
11/8/2014	29,680	812	86	4,770	3,600	0	22,208	18,266	2,375	20,641	1,567	486	2,053	211	2,264
11/15/2014	29,680	812	86	4,202	3,600	0	22,776	19,016	2,375	21,391	1,385	486	1,871	211	2,082
11/22/2014	29,680	812	86	1,826	3,600	360	24,792	19,747	2,375	22,122	2,670	486	3,156	211	3,367
11/29/2014	29,680	812	86	942	3,200	1,439	24,997	19,969	2,375	22,344	2,653	486	3,139	211	3,350
12/6/2014	29,833	812	86	946	3,200	1,619	24,966	20,262	2,375	22,637	2,329	454	2,783	202	2,985
12/13/2014	29,833	812	86	492	3,200	1,979	25,060	20,273	2,375	22,648	2,412	454	2,866	202	3,068
12/20/2014	29,833	812	86	377	3,200	2,159	24,995	20,337	2,375	22,712	2,283	454	2,737	202	2,939
12/27/2014	29,833	812	89	992	3,200	2,519	24,023	20,337	2,375	22,712	1,311	454	1,765	202	1,967
1/3/2015	29,833	812	89	1,154	2,800	2,879	23,901	20,614	2,375	22,989	912	454	1,366	202	1,568
1/10/2015	29,833	812	89	1,154	2,800	3,238	23,542	21,086	2,375	23,461	81	454	535	202	737
1/17/2015	29,833	812	89	1,154	2,800	3,598	23,182	21,086	2,375	23,461	(279)	454	175	202	377
1/24/2015	29,833	812	89	1,154	2,800	3,598	23,182	21,086	2,375	23,461	(279)	454	175	202	377
1/31/2015	29,833	812	89	1,514	3,100	3,058	23,062	20,860	2,375	23,235	(173)	454	281	202	483
2/7/2015	29,833	812	89	1,514	3,100	2,519	23,601	20,589	2,375	22,964	637	454	1,091	202	1,293
2/14/2015	29,833	812	89	1,514	3,100	2,159	23,961	20,560	2,375	22,935	1,026	454	1,480	202	1,682
2/21/2015	29,833	812	89	1,514	3,100	1,799	24,321	20,294	2,375	22,669	1,652	454	2,106	202	2,308
2/28/2015	29,833	812	89	1,474	2,200	1,799	25,261	19,291	2,375	21,666	3,595	454	4,049	202	4,251
3/7/2015	29,833	812	89	1,323	2,200	1,260	25,951	18,937	2,375	21,312	4,639	454	5,093	202	5,295
3/14/2015	29,833	812	89	1,327	2,200	900	26,307	18,738	2,375	21,113	5,194	454	5,648	202	5,850
3/21/2015	29,833	812	89	2,043	2,200	540	25,951	18,368	2,375	20,743	5,208	454	5,662	202	5,864

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3/28/2015	29,833	812	89	3,040	2,700	0	24,994	17,795	2,375	20,170	4,824	454	5,278	202	5,480
4/4/2015	29,680	812	89	3,419	2,700	0	24,462	17,275	2,375	19,650	4,812	486	5,298	211	5,509
4/11/2015	29,680	812	89	4,723	2,700	0	23,158	17,020	2,375	19,395	3,763	486	4,249	211	4,460
4/18/2015	29,680	812	89	4,736	2,700	0	23,145	16,503	2,375	18,878	4,267	486	4,753	211	4,964
4/25/2015	29,680	812	89	5,145	3,400	0	22,036	16,235	2,375	18,610	3,426	486	3,912	211	4,123
5/2/2015	29,680	812	89	3,955	3,400	0	23,226	16,208	2,375	18,583	4,643	486	5,129	211	5,340
5/9/2015	29,680	812	89	2,765	3,400	0	24,416	20,112	2,375	22,487	1,929	486	2,415	211	2,626
5/16/2015	29,680	812	89	3,352	3,400	0	23,829	21,116	2,375	23,491	338	486	824	211	1,035
5/23/2015	29,680	812	89	2,933	3,400	0	24,248	22,049	2,375	24,424	(176)	486	310	211	521
5/30/2015	29,680	1,508	89	0	2,800	0	28,477	26,930	2,375	29,305	(828)	486	(342)	211	(131)

1. Available OPCAP MW based on resource Capacity Supply Obligations, CSO. Does not include Settlement Only Generators.
2. External Node Available Capacity MW based on external Capacity Supply Obligations, CSO .
3. New resources that have acquired a CSO but have not become commercial.
4. Planned Outages is the total of Generator/DARD Outages for the period. This value would also include any known long-term Forced Outages.
5. Allowance for Unplanned Outages includes forced outages and maintenance outages scheduled less than 14 days in advance per ISO New England Operating Procedure No. 5 Appendix A.
7. Generation at Risk due to Gas Supply pertains to gas fired capacity expected to be at risk during cold weather conditions or gas pipeline maintenance outages.
8. Net OpCap Supply MW Available (1 + 2 + 3 - 4 - 5 - 7 = 8)
9. Peak Load Forecast per data included in the 2014 CELT Report adjusted for Other Demand Resources. <http://www.iso-ne.com/trans/celt/report/index.html>
10. Operating Reserve Requirement based on 125% of first largest contingency plus 50% the second largest contingency.
11. Total Net Load Obligation per the formula(9 + 10 = 11)
12. Net OPCAP Margin MW = Net Op Cap Supply MW minus Net Load Obligation (8 - 11 = 12)
13. OP 4 Action 2 Real-time Demand Response. Reserve Margins and Distribution Loss Factor Gross Ups are Included.
14. OPCAP Margin taking into account Real Time Demand Response through OP4 Step 2 (12 + 13 = 14)
15. OP 4 Action 6 Emergency Generation Response without the Voltage Reduction requiring > 10 Minutes. Real Time Emergency Generation is capped at 600MW. Reserve Margins and Distribution Loss Factor Gross Ups are Included.
16. OPCAP Margin taking into account Real Time Demand Response and Real Time Emergency Generation through OP4 Step 6 (14 + 15 = 16); This does not include Emergency Energy Transactions (EETs).

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