



memo

To: Planning Advisory Committee
From: ISO-NE Transmission Planning
Date: November 16, 2018
Subject: Notice of Initiation of 2027 NH Solutions Study

This memo serves as the initiation of the 2027 New Hampshire (NH) Solutions Study. This Solutions Study will be performed in accordance with the reliability planning process as established in Section 4.2 in Attachment K of the Open Access Transmission Tariff.¹ The NH study area is the state of New Hampshire.

The 2027 NH Needs Assessment was completed on November 6, 2018 with the posting of the Needs Assessment report.²

The 2027 NH Solutions Study will include steady-state analysis and the objective of this study is to solve the criteria violations identified in the 2027 NH Needs Assessment. The study files to be used for the Solutions Study will be the same files used for the Needs Assessment which were posted on November 6, 2018.³

Based on the location of the reliability criteria violations, the ISO will work with Eversource as needed.

¹ https://www.iso-ne.com/static-assets/documents/regulatory/tariff/sect_2/oatt/sect_ii.pdf

² https://smd.iso-ne.com/operations-services/ceii/pac/2018/11/final_ceii_new_hampshire_2027_needs_assessment.pdf

³ https://smd.iso-ne.com/operations-services/ceii/pac/2018/11/ceii_2027_nh_na_final_study_files.zip