## FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION WASHINGTON, DC 20426

## OFFICE OF ENERGY MARKET REGULATION

ISO New England Inc. New England Power Pool Participants Committee Docket No. ER21-1974-000

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Reference: Tariff Revisions to Establish Operational and Meteorological Data Requirements for Solar Facilities and Relocate Data Requirements for Wind Facilities

On May 21, 2021, ISO New England Inc. (ISO-NE) and the New England Power Pool Participants Committee (NEPOOL), submitted revisions to ISO-NE's Transmission, Markets and Services Tariff (Tariff) to establish operational and meteorological data requirements for solar facilities and relocate and streamline already-existing data requirements for wind facilities.<sup>1</sup> You state that the Tariff revisions will allow ISO-NE to obtain the operational and meteorological data it needs to develop and deploy power production forecasting for solar facilities, and continue to do so for wind facilities, which is necessary to enable wind and solar facilities to be dispatched under the Do Not Exceed dispatch construct.

Pursuant to the authority delegated to the Director, Division of Electric Power

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> ISO New England Inc., ISO New England Inc. Transmission, Markets and Services Tariff, <u>I.2</u>, <u>I.2 Rules of Construction</u>; <u>Definitions</u>, <u>136.0.0</u>, <u>Schedule 22</u>, <u>Schedule 22 Large Generator Interconnection Procedures</u>, <u>19.0.0</u>, and <u>III.1</u>, <u>III.1 Market</u> <u>Operations</u>, <u>61.0.0</u>.

Regulation – East, under 18 C.F.R. §375.307, your submittal is accepted for filing, effective July 20, 2021, as requested.

The filing was noticed on May 21, 2021, with comments, interventions, and protests due on or before June 11, 2021. Pursuant to Rule 214 (18 C.F.R. § 385.214), to the extent that any timely filed motions to intervene and any motion to intervene out-of-time were filed before the issuance date of this order, such interventions are granted. Granting late interventions at this stage of the proceeding will not disrupt the proceeding or place additional burdens on existing parties.

This acceptance for filing shall not be construed as constituting approval of the referenced filing or of any rate, charge, classification, or any rule, regulation, or practice affecting such rate or service contained in your filing; nor shall such acceptance be deemed as recognition of any claimed contractual right or obligation associated therewith; and such acceptance is without prejudice to any findings or orders which have been or may hereafter be made by the Commission in any proceeding now pending or hereafter instituted by or against ISO-NE or NEPOOL

This order constitutes final agency action. Requests for rehearing by the Commission may be filed within 30 days of the date of issuance of this order, pursuant to 18 C.F.R. § 385.713.

Issued by: Kurt M. Longo, Director, Division of Electric Power Regulation - East