

Draft Minutes

**New York State Reliability Council - Installed Capacity Subcommittee (ICS)
Meeting #293 – September 4th, 2024
Microsoft Teams**

Attendees **Present** **Phone**

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1&2 Roll Call and Request for Additional Agenda Items – W. Gunther / B. Shanahan

No additional Agenda items.

3. Approval of Minutes for Meeting #291

Meeting minutes for previous meeting #292 were approved with comments incorporated.

4. Review of Action Item List – W. Gunther

List is unchanged from previous meeting.

5. Moving Nov 27th ICS to Nov 25th (Thanksgiving week) – W. Gunther

To avoid Thanksgiving week participation conflicts, the Nov 27th (Wednesday) meeting will be moved to Nov 25th (Monday).

6. Chair update on recent EC actions

The 2025-26 Sensitivity list presented to EC and was approved with no objections or recommendations.

7. Review of PBC Table 6-1 2025-2026 PBC IRM (ICS Approval item)– W. Gunther

Table 6-1 and the 2025-26 PBC IRM were reviewed and were unchanged from what was present at the August ICS meeting other than minor editorial changes to Table 6-1. The ICS approved both the PBC Table 6-1 and PBC IRM results.

8. Proposed Sensitivities for IRM 2025-2026 PBC – S. Ulagadde

NYISO will evaluate performing an additional sensitivity proposed by Mr. Younger involving the Oswego Complex that relates to transmission security analysis and return with a recommendation for further evaluation at the next ICS meeting.

9. Gas Constraint Sensitivities – A. Mohammed

ICS discussed Mr. Jordan's suggestion that we may need to re-evaluate Maintenance Modeling in the GE-MARS IRM model due to increasing/shifting Winter LOLE risk in the future. It was recommended to run future cases to evaluate potential impacts on IRM due to shifting maintenance periods and potential interaction with Gas Constraints. Mr. Younger supported this suggestion. Ms. Huang and Mr. Zhang suggested that this could be incorporated into the Modeling Strategic Plan to best utilize resources.

10. BTM Solar Sensitivity Results – M. Lucas

NYISO presented an overview of BTM Solar Sensitivity modeling efforts to date. To model BTM solar as a supply resource, both supply-side and load-side modeling need adjustments. The NYISO Gold Book was also used to develop hourly profiles for BTM solar load on a zonal basis.

- Modeling BTM solar as a supply resource would have increased the IRM for the 2025-2026 IRM PBC by 1.05%.
- LCRs for the 2025-2026 IRM PBC, as determined using the Tan45 methodology, would also increase (Zone J increases 0.90% and Zone K by 1.62%).
- Modeling BTM solar as a supply resource would also increase both LOLH and EUE values.

11. FBC Assumptions Matrix – H. Fox

Two corrections and three modeling assumptions were changed in the FBC Assumptions Matrix. Arthur Kill GT1 was updated, and Cable outage rates were also corrected as identified last ICS meeting. SCR reporting was also updated, with Zone F being separately listed vice included with Zone A thru E, overall values did not change.

12. Tan45 Methodology Whitepaper Review

- Case S-2 showed a dramatic flattening of the Tan45 curve and increased IRM with CHPE + 6,000 MW OSW included, using the existing Policy 5-18 methodology.

- Zone J and K LCRs also increase substantially.

Phase 2 Scope Development for alternative methodologies / enhancements to the Tan45 methodology were presented consistent with the Resource Adequacy Strategic Plan schedule.

13. Resource Adequacy Strategic Plan

ICS discussed the current Strategic Plan initiatives and priorities.

Near Term (2025-26) Plans:

- Tan45 Methodology Review
- Winter Modeling Improvements (fuel constraints, load, and topology)
- ELR Modeling and Output Limitation Review •
- Potential 2026 projects and initial whitepaper scopes to be confirmed with ICS at the end of 2025.

Focus for 2026-28

- 1: Continue the comprehensive review of Tan45 and LCR processes.
- 2: Continue to assess winter reliability and refine assumptions during winter season.
- 3: Continue the modeling improvement for ELRs, particularly the modeling for ESRs, hybrid storage resources, DERs, and SCRs
- 4: Continue assessment and potential adoption of synthetic load shapes

14. Additional Agenda Items

None.

Next Meeting

Meeting #294 –Wednesday, October 2nd, 2024, 10 am – NYISO KCC