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Subject: Discounting of On and Off-peak External Transmission Service Charge (TSC) Rates

Transmission Owners (TOs) may selectively discount external Interface TSC rates for both on-peak and/or off-peak hours on a monthly basis.

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Details:

Wholesale TSC rates for all external interfaces are posted on the NYISO OASIS web site by the 15th (or next business day) of the month prior to the month that the rates are effective. The posted rates include both on-peak and off-peak rates for all export and wheel-through point-of-injection (POI) / point-of-withdrawal (POW) combinations. Transmission Owners may selectively discount their wholesale TSC rate for each external interface for the on-peak and/or off-peak time periods. Discounted rates are effective for the duration of the month in which they are effective.

On-peak hours are defined by NERC as the hours between 7 a.m. and 11 p.m., prevailing Eastern Time, Monday through Friday, except for NERC-defined holidays, or as otherwise decided by the ISO. Off-peak hours are defined by NERC as the hours between 11 p.m. and 7 a.m., prevailing Eastern Time, Monday through Friday and all day Saturday and Sunday, and NERC-defined holidays, or as otherwise decided by the NYISO. The NERC defined holidays are: New Year's Day, Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day, and Christmas Day.

Submitting wholesale TSC rates

Each Transmission Owner will submit their wholesale TSC rate, calculated as stated in Attachment H of the NYISO OATT, to the NYISO on a monthly basis for the upcoming month. If desired, each Transmission Owner may also submit external, interface specific, discounted wholesale TSC rates for on and/or off-peak periods. All wholesale TSC rate information must be submitted to the NYISO by the 14th of the month prior to the month in which the rates will be effective. If no discount is indicated, the NYISO will assume that the undiscounted wholesale TSC rate, as calculated per attachment H of the OATT, applies for all time periods, for all locations.

The NYISO will solicit monthly TSC rate information, via email to the TO's designated contact person, on or about the first of the month prior to the month in which the rates will be effective. The TSC rate information must be returned to the NYISO, via email to pvenable@NYISO.com, by the close of business on the 14th of the month prior to the month in which the rates will be effective.

Posting of wholesale TSC rates

The NYISO posts the on-peak and off-peak wholesale TSC rates for all external interfaces, including any discounted rates, by the 15th (or the next business day) of the month prior to the month in which the rates will be effective. The monthly wholesale TSC rates are posted on the NYISO web site at: http://www.nyiso.com/oasis/to_tsc_ntac_rates/archive/tsc_to_tsc_ntac.html

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