

STATE OF NEW YORK
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

CASE 12-E-0577 - Proceeding on Motion of the Commission to Examine Repowering Alternatives to Utility Transmission Reinforcements.

NOTICE OF FILING DEADLINE

(Issued September 24, 2013)

By order dated January 18, 2013 the Commission directed New York State Electric & Gas Corporation (NYSEG) to "examine the relative costs and benefits of repowering the [Cayuga generating facility], and to compare those costs and benefits to the costs and benefits of alternative transmission upgrades over the long term."¹ Cayuga Operating Company, L.L.C. (Cayuga), the owner and operator of the Cayuga facility, filed its proposal for repowering on March 26, 2013. NYSEG submitted a filing in response to the Commission's January 2013 Order on May 17, 2013. Both parties submitted comments on the alternatives, as did numerous members of the public.

At the Commission Session held on September 19, 2013, Department of Public Service Staff reported that its review of the Cayuga repowering proposal and NYSEG's report indicated that a revised repowering solution could be consistent with the best interests of the public and ratepayers.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that Cayuga and NYSEG should file, within 30 days of the date of this Notice, a revised proposal for the repowering of the Cayuga station that meets the reliability, economic development, and environmental benefits identified in the January order, at the least cost to ratepayers. If the parties are unable to identify such a

¹ Case 12-E-0577, Repowering Alternatives to Utility Transmission Reinforcements, Order Instituting Proceeding and Requiring Evaluation of Transmission Reinforcement (issued January 18, 2013), p. 3 (January 2013 Order).

proposal by that date, they are requested to file, either jointly or separately, their recommendations for any further action in this proceeding. Filings should be made with the Secretary in accordance with the Filing Guidelines located at <http://www.dps.ny.gov>.

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Secretary