

STATE OF NEW YORK
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

CASE 12-T-0502 - Proceeding on Motion to Examine Alternating
Current Transmission Upgrades.

NOTICE OF INFORMATION REQUESTS

(Issued February 12, 2013)

The Commission instituted this proceeding seeking proposals for certain transmission expansions on November 30, 2012. The Commission also specified several categories of information that it directed proposers to include with their Statements of Intent. Six Statements of Intent were filed in response to the Commission's order. Staff is currently reviewing the various proposals.

Among other things, the Commission's order asked project sponsors to provide:

- A schedule for the submission of a complete application; and,
- A project development schedule, including an estimate of the time needed to prepare and submit applications for any regulatory approvals necessary to begin construction.

The Statements submitted do not adequately address these information requirements. Detailed information on permitting schedules is necessary in order to allow Staff to recommend procedures to the Commission that will meet the construction time frames established in the order. All submitters should supplement their Statements of Intent with this information by February 15, 2013.

Project sponsors are requested to provide maps of each of the transmission corridors (existing or new right-of-way) proposed for upgrade, with enough detail to allow Staff to identify potential environmental and resource concerns. The

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maps should be provided along with GIS shapefiles of the locations (preferably based on a projection system of NAD1983 UTM18N). Mapping information, if available, should be provided as soon as possible.

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