

STATE OF NEW YORK
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

CASE 18-T-0604 - Application of Deepwater Wind South Fork, LLC for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need for the Construction of Approximately 3.5 Miles of Submarine Export Cable from the New York State Territorial Waters Boundary to the South Shore of the Town of East Hampton in Suffolk County and Approximately 4.1 Miles of Terrestrial Export Cable from the South Shore of the Town of East Hampton to an Interconnection Facility with an Interconnection Cable Connecting to the Existing East Hampton Substation in the Town of East Hampton, Suffolk County.

RULING ON SCHEDULE

(Issued April 8, 2020)

ANTHONY BELSITO, Examiner:

On April 1, 2020, Citizens for the Protection of Wainscott, Inc. (CPW) moved to adjourn indefinitely the procedural schedule in this proceeding due to ongoing work and travel restrictions. As an alternative to indefinite suspension, CPW proposes a delay of at least 90 days. Several parties supported the motion. Deepwater Wind South Fork, LLC (Deepwater) responds that it is amenable to a 30-day delay in the schedule in order to accommodate continued settlement discussions. However, Deepwater opposes a longer delay and proposes a schedule concluding with evidentiary hearing the week of August 17, 2020. Department of Public Service Staff (Staff) proposes a third alternative, a delay of approximately 75 days, to avoid the summer busy season. Other parties support a shorter delay.

DISCUSSION

Upon consideration of the parties' submissions and conflicts with other proceedings, I adopt the procedural schedule listed below.

Friday August 7, 2020	Staff and Intervenor Testimony and Exhibits
Friday August 28, 2020	Rebuttal testimony and Exhibits
Wednesday September 30, 2020	Evidentiary Hearings to begin and continue as necessary.

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ANTHONY M. BELSITO