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Via Electronic Mail

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Re: Case 18-M-0084 - Comprehensive Energy Efficiency Initiative.

Case 14-M-0094 - Clean Energy Fund.

Case 13-M-0412 - Initial Capitalization, New York Green Bank.

Dear Sarah Simpson:

I received your May 31, 2024 letter, filed on behalf of the New York State Energy Research and Development Authority (NYSERDA), requesting an extension of time to comply with the directives set forth in the Commission's *Order Initiating the New Efficiency: New York Interim Review and Clean Energy Fund Review* (Order), issued September 15, 2022, in Cases 18-M-0084 and 14-M-0094. In accordance with the Order, NYSERDA is required to file, by July 1, 2024, an Innovation and Research (I&R) petition in Case 14-M-0094 and a petition regarding the New York Green Bank (NYGB) in Cases 14-M-0094 and 13-M-0412.

You note that NYSERDA is requesting an extension until December 31, 2024, to file the I&R Petition. You state that additional time is needed so that NYSERDA can align with several regulatory processes and developments that occurred after the Order was issued. With respect to the NYGB petition, you report that market engagement undertaken to inform the NYGB petition and feedback received at its stakeholder roundtables have led NYGB and NYSERDA to examine ways to more clearly identify and address market gaps where NYGB financing can be more impactful. You advise that this, in turn, may necessitate expanded metrics and market transformation evaluation approaches. To allow sufficient time to complete these endeavors, you advise that NYSERDA requests an extension, until August 30, 2024, to file the NYGB petition.

Based on the information provided, the New York State Energy Research and Development Authority is granted extensions to comply with the Order as follows: (1) an extension until August 30, 2024, to file the New York Green Bank petition and (2) an extension

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until December 31, 2024, to file the Innovation and Research petition. These extensions are granted to promote the fair, orderly, and efficient conduct of this proceeding, and this ruling will be posted on the Department's website.

Very truly yours,

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Secretary