

STATE OF NEW YORK
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

CASE 18-E-0130 - In the Matter of Energy Storage Deployment
Program.

NOTICE OF COMPLETION OF DRAFT GENERIC
ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STATEMENT

(Issued September 15, 2023)

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that a Draft Supplemental Generic Environmental Impact Statement (Draft SGEIS) has been completed and accepted in connection with proposed actions to be taken by the New York State Public Service Commission (Commission) regarding the update to the 2030 State target for the installation of qualified energy storage systems and programs pursuant to Public Service Law (PSL) §74.

The address of the Commission, the lead agency, is Three Empire State Plaza, Albany, NY 12223-1350. The Draft SGEIS has been prepared in accordance with Article 8 of the Environmental Conservation Law [State Environmental Quality Review Act (SEQRA)]. The proposed actions are "unlisted actions" as classified pursuant to SEQRA and would be located throughout the geographic area of the State of New York.

The Draft SGEIS has been prepared in order to analyze potential environmental impacts associated with updating the 2030 State target for the installation of qualified energy storage systems and an energy storage deployment program pursuant to PSL §74.

Copies of the Draft SGEIS are available to the public at the Commission's Albany Office, Central Files, 14th Floor, and at the Commission's New York City Office at 90 Church Street, New York, NY 10007-2919, Central Files, 4th Floor. An

electric copy of the Draft SGEIS is also available on the Department of Public Service's (Department's) website at <http://www.dps.ny.gov>.

Written comments on the Draft SGEIS will be accepted if received on or before close of business on October 27, 2023. Comments may be submitted by e-filing through the Department's Document Matter Management System (DMM).¹ Those unable to submit their comments electronically may mail their comments to the Honorable Michelle L. Phillips, Secretary, New York State Public Service Commission, Three Empire State Plaza, Albany, New York 12223-1350. All comments submitted to the Secretary will be posted on the Department's website and become part of the official case record.

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Secretary

¹ How to register with DMM, <https://dps.ny.gov/dmm-help-electronic-filing-registration-instructions>.