

169 FERC ¶ 61,013
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION

ISO New England Inc.

Docket No. ER19-1428-002

NOTICE OF DENIAL OF REHEARING BY OPERATION OF LAW

(October 7, 2019)

On August 6, 2019, the Secretary of the Commission issued a Notice of Filing Taking Effect by Operation of Law in this proceeding for ISO New England Inc.'s (ISO-NE) proposed tariff revisions, filed pursuant to section 205 of the Federal Power Act.¹ In that filing, ISO-NE proposed to implement an inventoried energy program in the Capacity Commitment Periods associated with the 14th and 15th Forward Capacity Auctions to compensate resources for maintaining inventoried energy during the winter months of 2023-2024 and 2024-2025. The Commission did not act on ISO-NE's filing because of a lack of quorum in this proceeding at that time.

Section 205(g) of the Federal Power Act provides that, in such circumstances, a party may seek rehearing before the Commission.² On August 30, 2019, Attorney General of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts (Massachusetts Attorney General) filed a request for rehearing. On September 4, 2019, individual requests for rehearing were filed by Maine Public Utilities Commission (Maine PUC); New England Consumer-Owned Systems and Energy New England, LLC (collectively, NECOS); New England States Committee on Electricity (NESCOE); New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission and the New Hampshire Office of the Consumer Advocate (collectively, New Hampshire Parties); and RENEW Northeast, Sierra Club, and Union of Concerned Scientists (collectively, Clean Energy Advocates).

¹ See 16 U.S.C. § 824d (2018).

² See 16 U.S.C. § 824d(g) (2018).

The Commission took no action on the requests for rehearing within 30 days of their filing. Notice is hereby given that the requests for rehearing were denied by operation of law.³ Massachusetts Attorney General's rehearing request was denied by operation of law on September 30, 2019.⁴ The requests for rehearing filed by Clean Energy Advocates, Maine PUC, NECOS, NESCOE and New Hampshire Parties were denied by operation of law on October 4, 2019.

Nathaniel J. Davis, Sr.,
Deputy Secretary.

³ See 16 U.S.C. § 825l(a) (2018); 18 C.F.R. § 385.713(f) (2019).

⁴ See 18 C.F.R. § 385.2007(a)(2) (2019).

Document Content(s)

ER19-1428-002DenyBy Operation of Law.DOCX.....1-2