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PART II - RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. DEFINITIONS AND ABBREVIATIONS (Cont'd)

Farm Operation: The land and on-farm buildings, equipment, manure processing and handling facilities, and practices which contribute to the production, preparation and marketing of crops, livestock and livestock products as a commercial enterprise, including a "commercial horse boarding operation" as defined in Subdivision 11 of Section 301 of New York State Agriculture and Markets Law.

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC): An agency within the United States Department of Energy that, among other things, has jurisdiction over wholesale interstate electric rates and hydroelectric licensing.

Good Utility Practice: Any of the practices, methods and acts engaged in or approved by a significant portion of the electric utility industry during the relevant time period, or any of the practices, methods and acts which, in the exercise of reasonable judgment in light of the facts known at the time the decision was made, could have been expected to accomplish the desired result at a reasonable cost consistent with good business practices, reliability, safety and expedition. Good Utility Practice is not intended to be limited to the optimum practice, method, or act to the exclusion of all others, but rather to be acceptable practices, methods, or acts generally accepted in the region.

Hourly Meter: A meter that has the capability to register consumption and/or demand within specified periods of one (1) hour or smaller in a given day.

Installed Capability: The verified and tested generating capacity available to meet the maximum system peak demand for the given capability period (including any NYISO required reserve margin). Installed capability may consist of both spinning and non-spinning reserves.

Involuntary Switch: A process or situation where a Retail Customer's Distribution Customer is transferred from one Distribution Customer to another or from one Distribution Customer to the Distribution Provider without the Retail Customer's authorization. A Retail Customer's authorization is implied unless the Retail Customer specifically requests otherwise. This would include situations where a Retail Customer returns to the Company's service as a result of a Distribution Customer's failure to deliver. An involuntary switch that is not in accord with the "Discontinuance of Service" provision set forth in the tariff is referred to as "slamming".

Kilowatt (kW): The electrical unit of power or rate of doing work. It is 1,000 watts, where a watt is the rate of energy transfer equivalent to one ampere flowing under a pressure of one volt at unity power factor. A Kilowatt is the common unit of electrical power consumption.

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