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Mr. Mark K. Malone
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New York Power Authority
123 Main Street
White Plains, New York 10601

RE: CASE 18-T-0207 – Application of New York Power Authority for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need for the Rebuild of the Existing Moses-Adirondack 1&2 230 kV Transmission Lines Extending approximately 86 miles from the Robert Moses Switchyard in the Town of Massena, St. Lawrence County to the Adirondack Substation in the Town of Croghan, Lewis County, New York

Notice to Proceed with Construction

Dear Mr. Malone:

The Application submitted by New York Power Authority (NYPA) to rebuild the existing Moses-Adirondack 1&2 230 kV Transmission Lines was approved by the New York State Public Service Commission on November 14, 2019. The Environmental Management and Construction Plan submitted by NYPA was approved by the New York State Public Service Commission on July 17, 2020. Ordering Clause 2 of that February 6 Order stated:

“The Certificate Holder shall not commence construction until it has received a “Notice to Proceed with Construction” letter sent by the Deputy Director of the Environmental Certification and Compliance Section...”

Staff of the Department of Public Service has determined that the information provided in your letter to me on behalf of NYPA, dated July 21, 2020, sufficiently meets the requirements of the Orders issued in the above referenced case.

You are hereby authorized to begin activities required for the construction to rebuild the existing Moses-Adirondack 1&2 230 kV Transmission Lines for Phase One, Segment 2a (proposed structures 33/4 E&W to proposed structures 47/6 E&W).

If you have any questions, please contact Lilly Schelling of the Environmental Compliance Staff, at (518) 801-6038 or by email at lilly.Schelling@dps.ny.gov.

Sincerely,

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