

STATE OF NEW YORK  
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

CASE 15-M-0127 - In the Matter of Eligibility Criteria for Energy Service Companies.

CASE 12-M-0476 - Proceeding on Motion of the Commission to Assess Certain Aspects of the Residential and Small Non-residential Retail Energy Markets in New York State.

CASE 98-M-1343 - In the Matter of Retail Access Business Rules.

NOTICE OF TECHNICAL CONFERENCE

(Issued May 24, 2016)

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that Department of Public Service Staff will convene a technical conference to discuss the three Whitepapers issued in the above references proceedings on May 4, 2016.<sup>1</sup> By Notice issued on that date, interested parties were invited to submit comments on the Whitepapers by June 6, 2016 for initial comments and June 20, 2016 for reply comments. Staff will be available at this conference to discuss the Whitepapers and to answer questions from interested parties regarding their content, in order to assist the parties in preparing their comments.

The technical conference will take place on Tuesday, May 31, 2016 at 10:30 A.M., at the New York State Department of Public Service's Albany Offices, 19th Floor Boardroom, Three Empire State Plaza.<sup>2</sup> The conference will also be webcast. The

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<sup>1</sup> Staff issued a Whitepaper on each of the following topics: performance bonds; ESCO reference prices; and express customer consent.

<sup>2</sup> Due to the lack of availability, video conferencing will not be available from the New York City and Buffalo Offices.

webcast can be accessed at <http://bcove.me/cpoznc5d>. Those participating via webcast will be able to listen to the technical conference, but will not be able to participate over the phone. Instead, questions that arise during the technical conference should be emailed to [resetretail@dps.ny.gov](mailto:resetretail@dps.ny.gov), and will be answered in real time. Parties are also encouraged to submit specific questions concerning the whitepapers to that email address in advance of the meeting.

Any questions regarding the technical conference may be directed to Robin Taylor, Office of Consumer Services at [Robin.Taylor@dps.ny.gov](mailto:Robin.Taylor@dps.ny.gov), or Francis Dwyer, Office of General Counsel, at [Francis.Dwyer@dps.ny.gov](mailto:Francis.Dwyer@dps.ny.gov).

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