Chapter 688

NYISO Zone J Day-Ahead Off-Peak Calendar-Day 5 MW Futures

688100. SCOPE OF CHAPTER

The provisions of these rules shall apply to all futures contracts bought or sold on the Exchange for cash settlement based on the Floating Price. The procedures for trading, clearing and cash settlement of this contract, and any other matters not specifically covered herein shall be governed by the general rules of the Exchange.

688101. CONTRACT SPECIFICATIONS

The Floating Price for each contract day will be equal to the arithmetic average of the NYISO Zone J Day-Ahead LBMP for off peak hours provided by New York Independent Systems Operator (NYISO), for the contract day. For settlement of this contract, the prices provided by NYISO will be considered final on the Payment Date and will not be subject to any further adjustment.

688102. TRADING SPECIFICATIONS

The number of days open for trading at a given time shall be determined by the Exchange.

688102.A. Trading Schedule

The hours of trading for this contract shall be determined by the Exchange.

688102.B. Trading Unit

The contract quantity shall be 5 Megawatt hours (MWh). Each futures contract shall be valued as the contract quantity multiplied by the settlement price.

688102.C. Peak Days and Peak Hours

Off-Peak shall mean Monday through Friday Hour Ending (HE) 0100-0700 and 2400 Eastern Prevailing Time (EPT) and Saturday-Sunday HE 0100-2400 EPT including North American Electric Reliability Corporation holidays.

688102.D. Price Increments

Prices shall be quoted in U.S. dollars and cents per MWH. The minimum price fluctuation shall be $0.05 per MWh.

688102.E. Position Limits, Exemptions, Position Accountability and Reportable Levels

The applicable position limits and/or accountability levels, in addition to the reportable levels, are set forth in the Position Limit, Position Accountability and Reportable Level Table in the Interpretations & Special Notices Section of Chapter 5.

A Person seeking an exemption from position limits for bona fide commercial purposes shall apply to the Market Regulation Department on forms provided by the Exchange, and the Market Regulation Department may grant qualified exemptions in its sole discretion.

Refer to Rule 559 for requirements concerning the aggregation of positions and allowable exemptions from the specified position limits.

688102.F. Termination of Trading

Trading shall cease on the business day prior to the contract day.

688102.G. Payment Date

Payment Date shall be five (5) business days following termination of trading.

688103. FINAL SETTLEMENT

Final settlement under the contract shall be by cash settlement. Final settlement, following termination of trading for a contract day, will be based on the Floating Price. The final settlement price will be the Floating Price calculated for each contract day.

688104. DISCLAIMER

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