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February 22, 2016

Honorable Kathleen H. Burgess, Secretary State of New York Public Service Commission Office of the Secretary, 19th Floor Three Empire State Plaza Albany, NY 12223

Dear Secretary Burgess:

The attached Statement issued by Niagara Mohawk is being transmitted for filing in accordance with the requirements of the Public Service Commission, State of New York.

Statement of Transmission Revenue Adjustment Statement No. 173

To P.S.C. No. 214 Electricity

Effective: February 29, 2016

The above Statement of Transmission Revenue Adjustment (TRA) is being filed per Rule No. 43 - Transmission Revenue Adjustment. Specifically, Rule No. 43 provides for a monthly comparison of the forecast-based transmission revenue credit to the actual Transmission Revenue realized from these services.

Attachment Nos. 1 and 2 included with this filing display the derivation of these rates. Statement of Transmission Revenue Adjustment No. 173 is effective February 29, 2016, for batch billings and March 1, 2016, for calendar month billings.

Please advise the undersigned of any action taken in regards to this filing.

Sincerely,

/s/ Carol Teixeira

Carol Teixeira Manager, NY Electric Pricing

CT Attachments