

NYSRC/NYISO TSL-LCR Working Group Update

NYSRC Installed Capacity Subcommittee

April 28, 2026

TSL-LCR WG Discussion Items / Status

1. LCR – PJM Emergency Assistance Limits / WG Recommendation to NYSRC ICS
2. LCR - Locational Operating Reserves / WG Recommendation to NYSRC ICS
3. LCR - Emergency Operating Procedure Review / Under WG Discussion
4. TSL – Seasonal vs. Annual Forced Outage Rates / Under WG Discussion
5. TSL/LCR – GADS 9300 Outage Codes / Under WG Discussion
6. TSL – SCR Treatment / Under NYISO Stakeholder Review (Future Market Design)

PJM Emergency Assistance Limits

- November 2023: ICS approves EOP Review Whitepaper that recommends specific EA limits from Neighboring Control Area by load bin
 - https://www.nysrc.org/wp-content/uploads/2023/10/EOP-Review-Whitepaper-Report_FINAL_For_Posting.pdf
 - Recommended PJM EA limit only applied to Western NY interconnections
- June 2024: ICS approves specific EA limits from PJM over controllable ties into NYC and Long Island Zones to better align PJM EA limits to 2023 EOP whitepaper values and align TSL-LCR outcomes.
 - https://www.nysrc.org/wp-content/uploads/2024/06/NYSRC-Recommendations-for-Adoption_v233558.pdf
- April 2026: WG recommendation to further reduce EA limits from PJM over controllable ties into NYC and Long Island Zones to promote further alignment with PJM EA limits to 2023 whitepaper values and align TSL-LCR outcomes.
 - NYISO/NYSRC presentation provided at April 28 ICS Meeting

Locational Operating Reserves

- Locational Operating Reserve requirements modeled in MARS have been generally consistent with NYISO established reserve requirements
 - <https://www.nyiso.com/documents/20142/3694424/Locational-Reserves-Requirements.pdf>
 - 500MW of total 10-minute reserves in Zone J
- March 2026: NYISO proposes to increase the Zone J operating reserve requirements when Champlain – Hudson Power Express becomes operational
 - <https://www.nyiso.com/documents/20142/57396654/CHPE%20NYC%20Reserve%20Requirement%20Updates%20March%202016%202026%20ICAPWG%20MIWG%20final%20updated.pdf/7acb1491-05dd-22e7-20d3-7f37aa4281aa>
- April 2026: WG recommendation to revise MARS modeled locational operating reserves to align with proposed NYISO Values
 - Proposed value of 625MW of total 10-minute reserves in Zone J
 - NYISO/NYSRC presentation provided at April 28 ICS Meeting