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AN ACT to amend the transportation corporations law, in relation to the powers of gas and electric corporations

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, REPRESENTED IN SENATE AND ASSEMBLY, DO ENACT AS FOLLOWS:

1 Section 1. Section 11 of the transportation corporations law is 2 amended by adding a new subdivision 8 to read as follows:

8. SUBDIVISIONS THREE, THREE-A AND THREE-B OF THIS SECTION SHALL NOT 4 APPLY TO ANY ELECTRIC CORPORATION WHICH:

5 (A) SEEKS, THROUGH ITSELF, OR THROUGH ONE OR MORE AFFILIATED INTERESTS 6 AS DEFINED IN PARAGRAPH (C) OF THIS SUBDIVISION, TO EITHER BUILD A TRAN-7 SMISSION LINE OR TO EXPAND AN EXISTING TRANSMISSION LINE WHICH TRANS-8 MISSION LINE ORIGINATES AT A LOCATION OUTSIDE OF THE TERRITORIAL LIMITS 9 OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND EXTENDS TO A LOCATION WITHIN THE 10 STATE OF NEW YORK; OR

(B) SEEKS, THROUGH ITSELF, OR THROUGH ONE OR MORE AFFILIATED INTERESTS
AS DEFINED IN PARAGRAPH (C) OF THIS SUBDIVISION, TO EITHER BUILD AN
ELECTRIC GENERATING FACILITY, OR TO EXPAND AN EXISTING ELECTRIC GENERATING FACILITY THAT IS LOCATED OUTSIDE OF THE TERRITORIAL LIMITS OF THE
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA TOGETHER WITH BUILDING OR OTHERWISE UTILIZING
AN EXISTING ELECTRICAL INTERCONNECTION TO A POINT LOCATED WITHIN THE
STATE OF NEW YORK.

18 (C) FOR THE PURPOSES OF THIS SUBDIVISION, THE FOLLOWING TERMS SHALL 19 HAVE THE FOLLOWING MEANINGS:

20 I. "AFFILIATED INTERESTS" SHALL INCLUDE BUT NOT BE LIMITED TO, ANY 21 PERSON WHICH DIRECTLY, INDIRECTLY, OR CONSTRUCTIVELY:

22 A. CONTROLS ANOTHER PERSON;

23 B. IS CONTROLLED BY ANOTHER PERSON; OR

EXPLANATION--Matter in ITALICS (underscored) is new; matter in brackets
[] is old law to be omitted.

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C. IS, ALONG WITH ANOTHER PERSON, UNDER THE CONTROL OF A COMMON 1 2 PARENT.

3 II. "CONTROL" MEANS POSSESSION OF THE POWER TO DIRECT, OR CAUSE THE 4 DIRECTION OF, THE MANAGEMENT AND POLICIES OF ANOTHER PERSON.

5 III. "PERSON" MEANS ANY INDIVIDUAL, CORPORATION, PUBLIC BENEFIT CORPO-RATION, POLITICAL SUBDIVISION, SOVEREIGN OR TRIBAL NATION, GOVERNMENT 6 7 AGENCY, MUNICIPALITY, PARTNERSHIP, CO-OPERATIVE ASSOCIATION, TRUST OR ESTATE.

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S 2. This act shall take effect immediately. 9