

# Reliability Update – MAAC Region

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# Recommended Solutions Baseline Reliability Projects



Process Stage: Second Review

**Criteria:** Winter Generation Deliverability

Assumption Reference: 2029 RTEP assumption

Model Used for Analysis: 2029 RTEP Winter

Proposal Window Exclusion: Below 200 kV Exclusion

**Problem Statement:** The Reybold 138/69 kV transformer is overloaded for multiple contingencies.

Violations were posted as part of the 2024 Window 1: FG# - W1-GD-W10, FG# - GD-W112

Existing Facility Rating: 120SN/139E, 137WN/457WE MVA

Proposed Facility Rating: 140SN/174E, 159WN/196WE

#### **Recommended Solution:**

Upgrade/Replace 138/69kV autotransformer, a 69kV breaker, two disconnects and move a takeoff structure at Reybold Substation. These upgrades will require a substation expansion to move the takeoff structure and a control house expansion to move the 69kV breaker relays from the Delaware City control house to the Reybold control house. (b3865.1)

### Estimated Cost: \$9.48 M Alternatives

• N/A

Required In-Service: 12/31/2029

# DPL Transmission Zone: Baseline The Reybold 138/69 kV transformer





# MetEd Transmission Zone: Baseline Yorkana and Windsor area





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### Process Stage: Second Review

#### **Recommended Solution:**

- Rebuild the Windsor Substation 115 kV yard to convert from a straight bus configuration into a six-breaker ring bus configuration. Install two (2) 21.62 MVAR, 115 kV capacitor banks. (b3858.1)
- Rebuild the Yorkana Substation 115 kV yard converting from a straight bus configuration to a (9) breaker, breaker-and-a-half configuration. (b3858.2)

### Estimated Cost: \$33.1 M

### **Alternatives**

Rebuilding the Glades Substation 115 kV yard and installing a 115 kV capacitor bank was considered. This option was not pursued due to potential overloads on the Jackson - Bair 115 kV Line for stuck breaker and bus fault contingencies at Yorkana Substation that de-energize the two 230/115 kV transformers, the 115 kV capacitor bank, the Glades - Yorkana 115 kV Line, and the Glades - Windsor 115 kV Line.

### Required In-Service: 6/1/2029





# PECO Transmission Zone: Baseline The Schuylkill 230/69 kV transformer

Burholme Transmission Lines Substations Crescentville 69 KV 69 kV Roxborough D & Luzerne Tabor Pulaski Holmesburg 138 KV 138 KV Wayne 161 KV Tacony 161 KV 0 230 kV Westmoreland 345 kV Bala Amtrak Vaneeta Richmond Dela North Philadelphia Subs Identified Upland o Máster 1.5 6 Miles Rarrish Tuna Camden Delaware University Llanerch OUpper Darby Callowhill Schuylkill, Waverly Angora F Lombard Cuthbert Blvd. Peltz Locust Elmwood Camden Iron and Metal Passyun Middletown 0 Southwark Camden Cogen Sharon-Hill Morton enrose Packer Holtec **Macdade** Island Road Printz RidleyTap Gloucester Woodlyr Eagle Point Lawnside Eagle Gen Eddystone Deptford Saville Valero Paper Tap

Process Stage: Second Review

Criteria: PECO FERC Form 715

Assumption Reference: 2029 RTEP assumption

Model Used for Analysis: 2029 RTEP

Proposal Window Exclusion: Below 200 kV Exclusion

**Problem Statement:** The Schuylkill 230/69 kV #7 Transformer is overloaded for single contingency.

Violations were posted as part of the 2024 Window 1: FG# - 2024-W1-PECO-T1 Existing Facility Rating: 193SN/223E, 230WN/256WE MVA

Proposed Facility Rating: 250SN/288E, 297WN/330WE

### **Recommended Solution:**

Schuylkill Substation Upgrades. Change tap ratios on two (2) CTs at Schuylkill Substation (b3863.1)

### Estimated Cost: \$0.1 M

#### **Alternatives**

• N/A Required In-Service: 12/31/2029



# PECO Transmission Zone: Baseline Richmond - Tacony 69 kV

Process Stage: Second Review

**Criteria:** Summer Baseline Thermal

Assumption Reference: 2029 RTEP assumption

Model Used for Analysis: 2029 RTEP Summer

Proposal Window Exclusion: Below 200 kV Exclusion

**Problem Statement:** The Richmond - Tacony 69 kV line is overloaded for line fault stuck breaker contingency.

Violations were posted as part of the 2024 Window 1: FG# - 2024W1-N1-STNEW13 Existing Facility Rating: 40SN/72E, 53WN/83WE MVA

Proposed Facility Rating: 81SN/84E, 92WN/96WE

**Recommended Solution:** Replace station cable at Richmond 69 kV (b3864.1)

### Estimated Cost: \$0.175 M

### Alternatives

• N/A

Required In-Service: 6/1/2029





Process Stage: Second Review

Criteria: PSEG FERC Form 715

Assumption Reference: 2029 RTEP assumption

Model Used for Analysis: 2029 RTEP Summer

Proposal Window Exclusion: Below 200 kV Exclusion

**Problem Statement:** The Penhorn – Union City 69kV line is overloaded for N-1-1 contingency.

Violations were posted as part of the 2024 Window 1: FG# - 2024W1-PSEG-T1

### **Recommended Solution:**

- Carlstadt to Penhorn 69kV : Cut existing Carlstadt to River Road 69kV line and extend Carlstadt line side to Penhorn 69kV. Extend the other end of the line by constructing a new portion and connecting it to Kingsland 69kV Switch. (b3868.1)
- Tonnelle to Kingsland Switch 69kV: Extend the other end of L-636 to Kingsland Switch by constructing new 5.5 miles portion utilizing existing I-2314 Transmission towers from H-A 5/4 to H-A 2/3. New 69kV line to be routed along County Ave pass Secaucus Rd in Secaucus NJ. (b3868.2)
- Union City to River Road 69kV: Reconfigure former River Road to Carlstadt 69kV and Tonnelle Ave to Union City 69kV lines at the intersection Tonnelle Ave and Granton Ave in North Bergen, NJ. by connecting Union City to River Road and Tonnelle Ave to Kingsland. (b3868.3)

#### Estimated Cost: \$46 M

#### Alternatives

Reconfigure 69kV lines by connecting Union City to River Rd and Tonnelle Ave to Carlstadt. Construct a 69kV line from Kingsland 69kV Switch to a tap of the Tonnelle Ave to Carlstadt line. This alternative provided less margin as compared to the selected project. **Required In-Service**: 6/1/2029

# PSEG Transmission Zone: Baseline Penhorn to Union City 69 kV





Process Stage: Second ReviewCriteria: Winter Baseline Spare EquipmentAssumption Reference: 2029 RTEP assumption

Model Used for Analysis: 2029 RTEP Winter

Proposal Window Exclusion: Below 200 kV Exclusion

**Problem Statement:** For the outage of the Bergen series reactors, the normally open bypass switches have to be closed to keep the Bergen – Fairlawn and Bergen – East Rutherford 138 kV circuits operational. As a result, several thermal violations have been identified on the 138kV line from Bergen to Fairlawn (M-1339) and/or on the 138kV line from Bergen to East Rutherford resulting from several N-1 contingencies.

Violations were posted as part of the 2024 Window 1: FG# - 2024W1-SE-WT1, 2024W1-SE-WT2

#### **Recommended Solution:**

- Relocate the Bergen Gen #1 point of interconnection from Bergen 138kV to Bergen 345kV GIS through the existing 345/138kV transformer (b3869.1)
- Remove and retire the two (2) existing Bergen 138kV Series Reactors and associated ancillary equipment. (b3869.2)

Estimated Cost: \$12.5 M Alternatives

N/A

Projected In-Service: 9/1/2027

# PSEG Transmission Zone: Baseline Bergen 138 kV series reactors





# **Short Circuit**



## JCPL Transmission Zone: Baseline Chester 34.5kV Breaker



Process Stage: Second Review

Criteria: FERC 715 Short Circuit

Assumption Reference: 2029 RTEP assumption

Model Used for Analysis: 2029 RTEP Short Circuit Model

Proposal Window Exclusion: Below 200 kV Exclusion

**Problem Statement:** The bus tie breaker at Chester Substation is overdutied at 25kA.

Violations were posted as part of the 2024 Window 1: FG# - W1-FE-SC3

Existing Breaker Rating: 25kA

Proposed Breaker Rating: 40kA

#### **Recommended Solution:**

Replace the 34.5 kV bus tie breaker at Chester Substation with a new 34.5 kV breaker that has an interruption capability of 40 kA. (b3860.1)

#### Estimated Cost: \$0.541M

#### Alternatives

N/A

#### Required In-Service: 12/31/2029

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Process Stage: Second Review

Criteria: FERC 715 Short Circuit

Assumption Reference: 2029 RTEP assumption

Model Used for Analysis: 2029 RTEP Short Circuit Model

Proposal Window Exclusion: Below 200 kV Exclusion

Problem Statement: The breaker at Werner Substation is overdutied at 25kA.

Violations were posted as part of the 2024 Window 1: FG# - W1-FE-SC1

Existing Breaker Rating: 25kA

Proposed Breaker Rating: 40kA

#### **Recommended Solution:**

Replace the W101 34.5 kV breaker at Werner Substation with a new 34.5 kV breaker that has an interruption capability of 40 kA. (b3861.1)

Estimated Cost: \$0.541M

#### Alternatives

• N/A

Required In-Service: 12/31/2029

## JCPL Transmission Zone: Baseline Werner 34.5kV Breaker





# **Questions?**







# **Revision History**

V1 – 11/xx/2024 – Original slides posted