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Statement on Advisory Committee on Reactor Safeguards Positive Recommendation on Indian Point

New York, NY/September 29, 2009 – In conjunction with the Advisory Committee on Reactor Safeguards recommendation to the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission that Indian Point’s license renewal application be approved, Paul Steidler, Director of Communications for New York AREA, issued the following statement.

“This is good news for New York’s economy and environment. The independent safety experts who comprise the Advisory Committee on Reactor Safeguards completed an extraordinarily rigorous scientific and engineering assessment of Indian Point. Indian Point’s competitively priced, abundant, clean, and safe power is necessary to both improve New York’s economy and its air quality.”

About New York AREA: Founded in November 2003, the New York Affordable Reliable Electricity Alliance (New York AREA) is a diverse group of more than 150 business, labor, and community groups whose mission and purpose is to ensure that New York has an ample and reliable electricity supply, and economic prosperity for years to come. New York AREA helps to educate policy makers, businesses, and the general public regarding the necessity and importance of safe, low-cost and reliable electricity. Entergy, owner of the Indian Point, is a New York AREA member. For additional information visit: www.area-alliance.org.

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