

TARGETED TIMELINES FOR PROGRAM RULEMAKING/PEIS, CAPE WIND, AND LONG ISLAND OFFSHORE WIND PARK

PROPOSED RULEMAKING
AND PEIS

April 2006
Publish Notice of
Intent for PEIS

March 2007
File Draft PEIS and Begin
60-Day Comment Period

April 2007
Draft PEIS Public
Hearings

August 2007
File Final PEIS
and Publish NOA

September 2007
Publish Record of
Decision

Summer 2007
Publish Draft Rulemaking
60-Day Comment Period

Fall 2008²
Publish Final Rule

CAPE WIND

May 2006
Publish NOI

February 2007
Internal Review of
DEIS

Summer 2007
File DEIS and Begin
60-Day Comment Period
135-Day FWS/NMFS
Consultations

Fall 2007
Public Hearings on
DEIS

Receive Biological
Opinions¹

Summer 2008³
File FEIS and
Publish NOA

Fall 2008³
Publish Record of
Decision

LONG ISLAND
OFFSHORE WIND PARK¹

June 2006
Publish NOI

¹ Dates currently being revised. New dates to be published soon.

² A target date for the Final Rule will be established once the Draft Proposed Rule has been published.

³ Dates dependent on the completion and results of consultations with FWS/NMFS.