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It is very important that the State preserve grid power-lines that terminate at the Ocean Shoreline

(ie - such as emanating from closed Nuclear Power Plants OR to be phased out obsolete natural gas power plants). These are power lines and rights of way are VITAL public resources that FUTURE OFFSHORE WIND and FAR OFFSHORE WIND FARMS once built in the future, can utilize to send power produced offshore onto the grid.

If they are not preserved or are sold to private companies, the charges for their use could become too high and thus make offshore wind less competitive in price. These rights of way and power lines should become publicly owned/controlled so that stable and non-profit prices can assist in keeping offshore wind farm as competitive as possible.