STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

IN RE: RI DISTRIBUTED GENERATION BOARD'S REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION REGARDING THE 2017 RENEWABLE ENERGY GROWTH CLASSES, CEILING PRICES AND CAPACITY TARGETS - DOCKET NO. 4672

NOTICE OF TECHNICAL RECORD SESSION

Pursuant to R.I. Gen. Laws §§ 39-1 and 42-46-6, as amended, the Public Utilities Commission (PUC) will conduct Technical Record Session on <u>Friday, January 6, 2017 @ 9:30 A.M.</u> in Hearing Room A at the PUC's office located at 89 Jefferson Boulevard, Warwick, Rhode Island. At this technical session, the Rhode Island Distributed Generation Board (Board) will present and explain the details of the Board's Report and Recommendation (Report) regarding classes, ceiling prices and capacity targets for the 2017 Renewable Energy Growth Program submitted pursuant to R.I. Gen. Laws 39-26.6-1 et seq.

In its Report, the Board recommends ceiling prices and renewable energy growth classes which will be eligible for the ceiling prices in the 2017 Renewable Energy Growth Program year. The Board defines eligible renewable energy growth classes by technology and size (kilowatt or megawatt capacity). The Board recommends classes and eligible system sizes for solar, wind, anaerobic digestion and small scale hydropower. The DG Board recommends annual target allocations for each renewable energy growth class. For the 207 Renewable Energy Growth Program year, the Board recommends a total of 40 MW of total nameplate capacity be awarded for fixed price and competitively bid projects.

The Report may be examined at the PUC's office. The Report can also be accessed at www.ripuc.org/eventsactions/docket/4672page.html. Reference is made to Chapters 39-1, 39-3 and 42-35 of the Rhode Island General Laws.

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Luly Massaro, Commission Clerk January 3, 2017