

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS
PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

IN RE: THE NARRAGANSETT ELECTRIC COMPANY D/B/A NATIONAL GRID'S 2017
RENEWABLE ENERGY GROWTH TARIFF AND RULE CHANGES - 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 **Wednesday, January 11, 2017 @ 10:00 A.M.** in Hearing Room A at the PUC's office located at 89 Jefferson Boulevard, Warwick, Rhode Island. At this technical session, The Narragansett Electric Company d/b/a National Grid will present and explain the details of the Company's proposed 2017 Renewable Energy (RE) Growth Program filing and modifications to the RE Growth Program Tariffs and Solicitation and Enrollment Rules submitted pursuant to R.I. Gen. Laws 39-26.6-1 et seq. In addition to the tariffs and rules changes, National Grid proposes: 1) a provision for Community Remote Distributed Generation which will enable residential and non-residential customer to receive a specified Bill Credit (as defined in the tariffs) on a per kWh basis from a renewable generation with a nameplate capacity greater than two hundred fifty kilowatts (250 kW) located elsewhere in the state, similar to if the solar was located at their home or business, and 2) provisions for Shared Solar which will allow customers in multi-family, multi-business and campus/multi-building setting to more flexibly install and share the benefits from nearby solar PV facilities up to 250 kW DC in size. National Grid also proposes voluntary program changes, specifically, the inclusion of a Zero Energy Building Rate Option and changes to the Company's SolarWise program.

National Grid's filing may be examined at the PUC's office. The filing 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 4, 2017