

**STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS  
PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION**

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IN RE: TARIFF ADVICE TO AMEND )  
ELECTRIC TARIFF, ENTITLED STANDARDS )  
FOR CONNECTING DISTRIBUTED )  
GENERATION, RIPUC NO. 2180 )  
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Docket 4763

**MOTION TO INTERVENE**  
**BY**  
**NEW ENERGY RHODE ISLAND**

By its attorneys, New Energy Rhode Island (NERI), moves to intervene in the above-captioned proceeding pursuant to Rule 1.13 (a) and (b) of the Rhode Island Public Utilities Commission (PUC) Rules of Practice and Procedure (Rules). In support of this motion, NERI states:

1. NERI's member participants for this proceeding currently include Newport Solar, Heartwood Group, Inc. and Providence Energy, LLC. We expect additional entities to join in this advocacy and will update the PUC with any new participants.
2. NERI's member participants either are developers or have ownership or other financial interests in renewable energy generation projects.
3. Rule 1.13 states any person claiming an interest of such nature that intervention is necessary or appropriate may intervene in any proceeding before the PUC.
4. Further, Rule 1.13(e) provides that where there is no objection to intervention, a properly filed and served motion to intervene shall be granted. I have informed the service list of NERI's intent to intervene and have not been informed of any objection.
5. It is necessary and appropriate to grant NERI the right to intervene in this proceeding.

6. The proposed revisions to National Grid's interconnection tariff threaten and will impede existing and planned renewable energy projects in which NERI members have interest.
7. In this proceeding, NERI will advocate for positions that are consistent with the public interest as put forth in many Rhode Island statutes and public policies and as are manifest in the projects in which NERI has interest including, but not limited to, electric supply diversification, energy security and resilience, stable and reduced energy costs, job creation and environmental benefit. In these ways, NERI has currently unrepresented interests in this proceeding that will be represented by this intervenor.

Please direct service of any correspondence or pleadings in connection with this proceeding to:

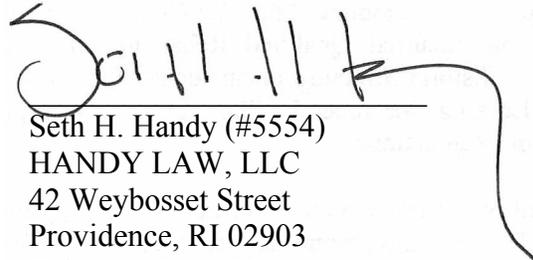
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WHEREFORE, NERI asks that the PUC grant this Motion to Intervene.

Respectfully submitted,

**NEW ENERGY RHODE ISLAND**

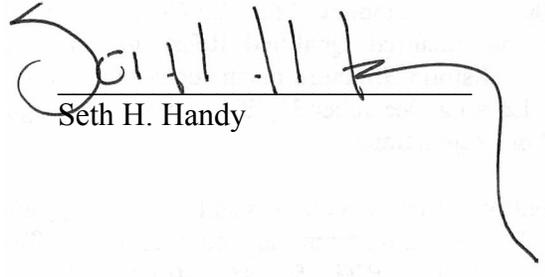
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on December 5, 2017, I sent a true copy of the document by electronic mail to the PUC and the service list and filed the original pleading and 9 photocopies with the PUC.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Seth H. Handy", is written over a horizontal line. The signature is stylized and includes a large flourish on the left side and a long, sweeping tail on the right side.

Seth H. Handy



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December 1, 2017

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**Re: Docket No. 4763 - In re: Tariff Advice to amend Electric tariff  
entitled standards For connecting distributed Generation, RIPUC No. 2180**

Dear Ms. Massaro:

Please accept this letter as authorization that Handy Law, LLC represents Newport Solar with regard to all issues considered in Docket 4763. We are an electrical contracting solar installation business with fourteen employees in RI. We appreciate the opportunity to participate in this very important stakeholder process.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

*Doug Sabetti*

Title: President Newport Solar



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December 4, 2017

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**Re: Docket No. 4763 - In re: Tariff Advice to amend Electric tariff entitled standards For connecting distributed Generation, RIPUC No. 2180**

Dear Ms. Massaro:

Please accept this letter as authorization that Handy Law, LLC represents Heartwood Group, Inc. with regard to all issues considered in Docket 4763. We are an energy project development business based in Rhode Island. We appreciate the opportunity to participate in this very important stakeholder process.

Thank you.

Sincerely,



Fred Unger  
President