

May 10, 2022

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Luly E. Massaro, Commission Clerk Rhode Island Public Utilities Commission 89 Jefferson Boulevard Warwick, RI 02888

RE: Docket 4763 – Standards for Connecting Distributed Generation Annual Report Regarding Company's Pre-Application Reports Responses to PUC Data Requests – Set 1

Dear Ms. Massaro:

On behalf of The Narragansett Electric Company d/b/a National Grid (the "Company"), attached, please find the Company's response to PUC 2021-1 in the above-referenced matter.<sup>1</sup>

Thank you for your attention to this matter. If you have any questions, please contact me at 401-784-4263.

Sincerely,

Andrew S. Marcaccio

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**Enclosures** 

cc: Docket 4763 Service List Jon Hagopian, Esq.

Tiffany Parenteau, Esq.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Per a communication from Commission counsel on October 4, 2021, the Company is submitting an electronic version of this filing followed by six (6) hard copies filed with the Clerk within 24 hours of the electronic filing.

The Narragansett Electric Company d/b/a National Grid RIPUC Docket No. 4763

In Re: Standards for Connecting Distributed Generation, RIPUC No. 2180 Responses to the Public Utilities Commission's First Set of Data Requests Pertaining to the 2021 Compliance Report of Pre-Application Reports Issued on April 19, 2022

### PUC 2021-1

# Request:

National Grid reported six delays in issuing Pre-Application Reports. For each, please provide the reason.

### Response:

Pursuant to Sheet 20, Subsection 3.2(IV)(3) of The Narragansett Electric Company Standards for Connecting Distributed Generation, R.I.P.U.C. No. 2244, the Company is to report "the number of delays that were issued <u>due to exceeding a reasonable number of applications under review during the prior calendar year.</u>" (Emphasis added). The reasons for the six delays as reported in the Annual Report submitted on March 1, 2022<sup>1</sup> were not due to exceeding a reasonable number of applications under review. Therefore, the six cases should not have been classified as "Delays in Delivering Pre-Application Reports" in the Annual Report. The Company will file a revised Annual Report to correct the error. Notwithstanding that correction, below is an explanation of those six cases.

The Company reviewed six pre-applications that were classified as "Delays in Delivering Pre-Application Reports" in the Annual Report. Upon completion of this review, the Company concluded that these applicants did not receive pre-application reports because they did not make a pre-application payment.

Case Number	Start Date	Hold Reason	Date Requested Pre-Application Payment
366464	9/22/2021	Payment not received	9/21/2021
366493	9/22/2021	Payment not received	9/21/2021
389132	10/19/2021	Payment not received	10/19/2021
389715	10/20/2021	Payment not received	10/20/2021
384678	9/28/2021	Payment not received	9/29/2021
389713	10/20/2021	Payment not received	10/20/2021

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The Annual Report submitted on March 1, 2022 may be accessed at: <a href="http://www.ripuc.ri.gov/eventsactions/docket/4763-NGrid-DG%20Annual%20Report%20(PUC%203-1-22).pdf">http://www.ripuc.ri.gov/eventsactions/docket/4763-NGrid-DG%20Annual%20Report%20(PUC%203-1-22).pdf</a>

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May 10, 2022 Date

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