

STATE OF VERMONT
PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

Case No. 19-0855-RULE

Proposed revisions to Vermont Public Utility Commission Rule 5.100	
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**DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SERVICE COMMENTS REQUEST TO PRESENT AT THE
AUGUST 24, 2021 WORKSHOP**

On July 1, 2021, the Vermont Public Utility Commission (“Commission”) issued a notice of workshops and a request for comments in the above captioned rulemaking. That notice specified that the second workshop, to be held on August 24, 2021, will focus on the certificate of public good (“CPG”) application process. That order also provided that requests to present at any workshop should be submitted by seven (7) days before the given workshop. The Vermont Department of Public Service (“Department”) hereby requests the opportunity to make a presentation at the workshop that will take roughly 20 minutes. A draft agenda was provided to the participants of this proceeding on August 13, 2021.

The Department is developing a slideshow which it will file on ePUC within the days prior to the proceeding and its presentation will focus predominantly on issues surrounding the net-metering interconnection process and Rule 5.500. Per the Commission’s draft itinerary, the Department is also interested in discussing and providing its recommendations regarding project amendments, CPG abandonment/expiration, transfers, and the participation of net-metered systems in wholesale electricity markets.¹

¹ Should timing issues arise in next week’s workshop, the Department recommends that the wholesale market participation issue could also be discussed in the third workshop, concerning net-

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metering compensation, because it would also be relevant to that workshop's agenda.