



**State of Vermont
Public Utility Commission**

**MEMORANDUM RE: DECOMMISSIONING FINANCIAL ASSURANCES
WORKSHOP AGENDA**

To: Parties in PUC Case Number 25-1253-INV
From: Wesley Skidmore, Hearing Officer *W.S.S.*
Re: Decommissioning Financial Assurances Workshop
Date: September 23, 2025

As previously noted in the September 11, 2025, memorandum, we have decided to hold two separate virtual workshops in this proceeding: one covering the definition of “plant” and one covering decommissioning financial assurances. The workshop covering decommissioning financial assurances is scheduled for this Thursday, September 25 from 1:30PM to 3:00PM via Teams. The Teams link for this workshop is:

Participants and members of the public may access the workshop online at this link on September 25, 2025: [Join the meeting now](#)

Participants and members of the public may also use the following information to attend the prehearing conference: Meeting ID: 261 065 317 049 0; Passcode: r8ee6a52; or call in by telephone using the following information: phone number: +1 802-828-7667; phone conference id: 951 079 956#

Participants may wish to review guidance on how to join the meeting and system requirements may be found at:

<https://support.microsoft.com/en-us/office/join-a-meeting-in-microsoft-teams-1613bb53-f3fa-431e-85a9-d6a91e3468c9>

The workshop covering decommissioning financial assurances will focus on the Commission’s proposal, including the draft statutory language and the conceptual explanation of how fund contributions could be calculated. The agenda is as follows:

- Commission overview
 - Why we are proposing a change
 - Goals of a new model
 - Concept for calculating fund contributions
- Concerns, comments, or questions from the participants about the Commission’s proposal

- Participants provide an understanding or estimate of current costs to maintain financial instruments
- Other topics from the participants

There will be an opportunity for further written comments in this proceeding before the Commission communicates its proposal to the Legislature. The Commission is targeting the end of October for that communication.

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