NEW HAMPSHIRE DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY Battery Storage Report to Legislature RSA 374-H:2

For Discussion Purposes Only

Public Stakeholder Session Thursday, August 17 10a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Microsoft Teams Meeting

Meeting Agenda

- 1. Welcome and introductions
- 2. Discussion of provisions of RSA 374-H:2:
 - (a) How public policy can best help establish accurate and efficient price signals for energy storage projects that value their ability to avoid transmission and distribution costs while simultaneously reducing wholesale electricity market prices;
 - II. (b) How to compensate energy storage projects that participate in wholesale electricity markets for avoided transmission and distribution costs in a manner that provides net savings to consumers;
 - III. (c) How best to encourage both utility and non-utility investments in energy storage projects;
 - IV. (d) The costs and benefits of a potential bring your own device program; how such a program might be implemented; any statutory or regulatory changes that might be needed to create, facilitate, and implement such a program; and whether such a program should include all distributed energy resources or be limited to distributed energy storage projects;
 - V. (e) Any statutory changes the general court should implement, including but not limited to changes to or exceptions from RSA 374-F or RSA 374-G, to enable energy storage projects to receive appropriate compensation for avoided transmission and distribution costs while also participating in wholesale energy markets; and
 - VI. (f) Any other topic the commission reasonably believes it should consider in order to diligently conduct the proceeding.
- 3. Discussion of any outstanding topics of interest from comments not yet addressed
- 4. Next steps and written comment period

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