

**STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

RPS 2024-003

**Proceeding Relative to Developing a Method to Verify Delivered Energy for Sources of
Energy with Nameplate Heating Capacity of 1,000,000 btu per Hour or Less**

ORDER OF NOTICE

On July 1, 2024, SB 388 became effective providing the Department of Energy (Department) the authority to approve, by rule or by order, methods for verifying the energy delivered for thermal sources with a total gross nameplate heating capacity of its renewable energy certificate eligible units combined of 1,000,000 btu per hour or less. As such, the Department opens this proceeding to develop a suitable method.

A stakeholder session will take place via Microsoft Teams on Thursday, December 4, 2024, from 1:00 pm to 3:00 pm to allow for public input on alternative methods to verify useful thermal energy output from eligible renewable energy technologies. Meeting agenda and discussion topics, including the link to the Microsoft Teams meeting, will be posted to the Department's proceedings page in the coming weeks and circulated to the service list.

Written comments will be accepted from the date of this order of notice until Friday, December 13, 2024.

Petitions to intervene are not required to participate in the stakeholder session or to submit comments. Persons wishing to be on the service list for this proceeding should provide an email

address to be added to the service list by emailing Proceedings@energy.nh.gov. Inquiries regarding this proceeding may also be directed to Proceedings@energy.nh.gov.

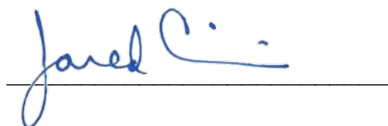
Based upon the foregoing, it is hereby

ORDERED, DOE staff shall commence a proceeding to verify the proposed methods described herein; and

FURTHER ORDERED, a copy of this order of notice shall be posted on the Department's website no later than October 24, 2024; and it is

FURTHER ORDERED, the Department shall post non-confidential information received regarding alternative methods for verifying useful thermal energy output from eligible renewable energy technologies on its website.

So ordered, this 24th day of October 2024.



Jared S. Chicoine
Commissioner

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