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To the Service List:

Re: In the Matter of the Fiscal Year 2020 Clean Energy Budget – Extension BPU Docket No. QO19050645

Agenda Date: July 2, 2020 - Agenda Item: 8B

Please be advised that the Board of Public Utilities is reissuing the Order for the abovereferenced agenda item that was approved by the Board of Public Utilities ("Board") at the July 2, 2020 Board agenda meeting to correct the docket number. The correct docket number for this matter is QO19050645 rather than QO20060402.

This is the only change to the Order, which will be re-distributed to the parties of record and the attached service list. Please substitute this version for the original Order. The corrected Order has been posted on the Board's website.

Sincerely,

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CLEAN ENERGY

IN THE MATTER OF THE FISCAL YEAR 2020 CLEAN ENERGY BUDGET – EXTENSION ORDER

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DOCKET NO. QO19050645

Parties of Record:

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BY THE BOARD:

The Board approved the New Jersey Clean Energy Program's ("NJCEP's") Fiscal Year 2020 ("FY20") budget through a June 21, 2019 Board Order,¹ which was trued up and revised through a January 8, 2020 Board Order² and revised for a second time through an April 6, 2020 Board Order.³

The Board is now in the process of extending NJCEP's FY20 in order to align with the State's fiscal year, which is extended to September 30, 2020. The Division of Clean Energy ("DCE") recommends that the Board approve a no-cost extension of FY20 programs and budget for the period between July 1, 2020 and July 15, 2020 to allow for the programs to continue until the Board approves the third revision of FY20 programs and budget, intended to align the NJCEP program fiscal year with the State fiscal year. Staff intended to provide this recommendation at

¹ In re the Clean Energy Programs and Budgets for Fiscal Year 2020, BPU Docket No. QO19050645 (Order dated June 21, 2019).

² In re the Clean Energy Order Programs and Budget for Fiscal Year 2020 – Trued-Up and Revised Budget, BPU Docket No. QO19050645 (Order dated January 8, 2020).

³ In re the Clean Energy Order Programs and Budget for Fiscal Year 2020 – 2nd Budget Revisions and Electric Vehicle Program Compliance Filing, BPU Docket Nos. QO19050645 & QO20030262 (Order dated April 17, 2020).

the Board's June 26, 2020 agenda meeting and acknowledges the administrative delay in providing this recommendation to the Board due to the postponement of that agenda to July 2, 2020.

The Board concurs and <u>HEREBY</u> <u>APPROVES</u> the continuation of the NJCEP FY20 programs and budget and any associated contracts or activities required to continuing delivering the programs, with the expectation that Staff will submit the third revised FY20 programs and budget to the Board for review by July 15, 2020.

The utilities are hereby directed to continue to make monthly payments to the Clean Energy Program Trust Fund in accordance with the April 6, 2020 Board Order cited above and consistent with current policies and procedures.

The Board <u>HEREBY</u> <u>AUTHORIZES</u> the entities currently delivering the programs to continue delivering the programs consistent with approved program plans and budgets and <u>AUTHORIZES</u> the entities to enter into or extend any contracts required to continue delivering the programs as authorized by the DCE. The utilities may continue to net the costs for these programs from the amounts due to the Clean Energy Program Trust Fund and to recover costs associated with these programs consistent with existing Board policies.

The effective date of this order is July 2, 2020.

DATED: July 2, 2020

BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITIES BY:

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