

## Instructions for Vermont Renewable Energy Standard Tiers I and II Qualification Registration Form

### **Eligibility.**

Renewable energy facilities using the following fuel sources and meeting the requirements of Section 4.406(b)(1) of the Vermont Public Utility Commission's Renewable Energy Standard Rule may seek a statement of qualification under Tiers I or II of the Vermont Renewable Energy Standard using this form.

- Methane and flammable gases from food waste, agricultural waste, or other organic materials
- Methane and flammable gases from the decay of sewage or landfill wastes
- Geothermal
- Hydroelectric
- Marine thermal or hydrokinetic
- Photovoltaic solar
- Concentrated solar power
- Wind

Please note that applicants wishing to use this form must have already acquired a facility identification number from the New England Power Pool (“NEPOOL-GIS”). Information on how to register a facility with NEPOOL-GIS and acquire an identification number can be obtained at the following web address:

<http://www.nepoolgis.com/how-to/account>. Additionally, facilities requesting qualification using this form must either report their metering data directly to ISO-NE's Settlement Market System or provide metering data to NEPOOL-GIS via a third-party meter reader.

### **Completing This Form.**

By signing the registration form, you certify that the information is true and accurate to the best of your knowledge. **Failure to accurately and completely fill in the registration form with all the requested information is likely to result in delay or denial.**

### **Where to Send This Form.**

You must mail the original completed registration form to the Vermont Public Utility Commission at 112 State Street, Montpelier, VT 05620-2701.

### **What Happens After This Form is Filed?**

The Vermont Public Utility Commission reviews registration forms on a monthly basis. Complete registration forms that meet the requirements for Tiers I or II of the Vermont Renewable Energy Standard and that are received by between the 1<sup>st</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> day of the month should receive a statement of qualification from the Commission before the end of the month. Qualifying facilities that submit registration forms after the 15<sup>th</sup> of the month may not receive a statement of qualification until the following month. Please contact the Vermont Public Utility Commission at (802) 828-2358 if you have any questions regarding the registration form.

# Vermont Public Utility Commission

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| <b>Registrant Information</b>   |   |
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| <b>Facility Owner</b>   |   |
| <b>Facility Operator</b> (if different from facility owner)                 |   |
| <b>Mailing Address</b>  | Street and #<br><br>Town<br><br>State and Zip |
| <b>Facility Operator Mailing Address</b> (if different from facility owner) | Street and #<br><br>Town<br><br>State and Zip |
| <b>Daytime Phone</b>  |   |
| <b>E-mail Address</b>   |   |

| <b>Facility Information</b>          |  |
|--------------------------------------|--|
| <b>Facility Location</b>             | Street and #<br><br>Town<br><br>State and Zip  |
| <b>Facility Name</b> (if applicable) |  |
| <b>Fuel Type</b>                     | Circle one:<br><br>(1) Methane and flammable gases from food waste, agricultural waste, or other organic materials<br><br>(2) Methane and flammable gases from the decay of sewage or landfill wastes<br><br>(3) Geothermal<br><br>(4) Hydroelectric<br><br>(5) Marine thermal or hydrokinetic<br><br>(6) Photovoltaic solar<br><br>(7) Concentrated solar power<br><br>(8) Wind |

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| <b>Vermont Certificate of Public Good #, if applicable</b>  |  |
| <b>Plant Capacity</b>   | <i>Plant Capacity means the rated electrical nameplate for a plant, except that, in the case of a solar energy plant, the term shall mean the aggregate AC nameplate capacity of all inverters used to convert the plant's output to AC power. Please indicate the plant capacity in MW below:</i>   |
| <b>Commissioning Date</b> (for aggregated units, use the commissioning date of the oldest system) |  |
| <b>Interconnecting Utility Name</b>   |  |
| <b>NEPOOL-GIS Unit Identification Number</b>  |  |
| <b>Metering Data Protocol</b>   | Circle one:<br>Provided to ISO-NE Settlement Market System<br>Third-party meter reader   |
| <b>Third-party Meter Reader</b>   | <i>If using a third-party meter reader, please identify the third-party meter reader in the space below and provide contact details:</i>   |
| <b>Tier II Qualification</b>  | <i>Please circle one below to indicate whether the facility is seeking qualification as distributed renewable generation under Tier II of the RES. Please note that all facilities qualified for Tier II will also be qualified under Tier I.</i><br><br>Yes                      No   |
| <b>Hydroelectric System Information</b>   | <i>Hydroelectric systems requesting qualification under Tier II must either have received a water quality certification pursuant to 33 U.S.C. § 1341 from the Vermont Agency of Natural Resources after January 1, 1987, or be certified by the Low Impact Hydropower Institute. Please attach a copy of any such certifications to this form.</i> |

Certification

The undersigned declares, under the pains and penalties of perjury, that, having exercised due diligence and made reasonable inquiry, the information that I have provided on this form and in any attachments is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

**Making false or misleading statements on this application is subject to penalties under 30 V.S.A. § 30 and/or revocation of any statement of qualification granted.**

Facility Owner or Authorized Agent Name (Printed): \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_