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RE: In the Matter of the Competitive Solar Incentive ("CSI") Program Pursuant to P.L. 2021, c. 169, Docket No. QO21101186

To all interested parties:

Regarding the Competitive Solar Incentive ("CSI") Program established pursuant to L. 2021, c. 169, the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities ("Board") is aware that stakeholders raised concerns regarding certain aspects of the registration process for successful CSI bidders. Through a Notice issued on March 7, 2023, the Board sought stakeholder comment on barriers to submitting CSI applications and potential changes to the registration requirements.

Comments were received by 5:00 p.m. on March 15, 2023, and several included requests that:

- That the Board waive the registration requirement for submitting electrical and building permits or documentation that applications for electrical and building permits have been submitted to the relevant municipality, for projects that participate in the 2023 CSI Program solicitation; and
- That the Board extend the time for registrants to supply a contract between the primary installer or third-party owner, and the bidder or customer of record, to one (1) year after receiving notice of conditional registration in the CSI Program.

The Board listed this matter on its March 22, 2023 agenda and indicated, "*The Board will consider modifications to the registration requirements for the CSI Program.*" As the March 22nd meeting was cancelled, the Board intends to address this matter at its next Agenda meeting.

Sincerely,

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