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### Re: Docket No. QO22020113 – In the Matter of the Clean Energy Programs and Budget for the Fiscal Year 2023

In order to encourage adoption of electric vehicles, consistent with the Electric Vehicle Act of 2020 ("EV Act"), N.J.S.A. 48:25-1 et seq., the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities ("Board") created the Charge Up New Jersey Program utilizing \$30 million in annual funding as the EV Act requires. On June 29, 2022, the Board approved the Fiscal Year 2023 ("FY23") budget for New Jersey's Clean Energy Program ("NJCEP"), as well as the program guidelines for the Charge Up New Jersey electric vehicle ("EV") incentive program ("Program"). The FY23 Charge Up New Jersey Program introduced a Point-of-Sale incentive that simplified the process for applicants.

Due to the success of the Point-of-Sale incentive, available funds for this Fiscal Year are projected to be fully committed for eligible orders, purchases, and leases by April 17, 2023. Having projected that the Program will have successfully fulfilled the legislative intent of the program by providing \$30 million in EV incentives in 2023, the Board will pause further eligibility for the FY23 Point-of-Sale incentive.

The Point-of-Sale incentive shall close at 9:00 p.m. EST on April 17, 2021. Applicants must order, purchase, or lease their eligible electric vehicle on or before 9 p.m. EST April 17, 2023 to be eligible for the Point-of-Sale incentive from the Program, and meet all other Point-of-Sale eligibility criteria (available at <https://chargeup.njcleanenergy.com/>). In addition, in order to remain eligible, all orders must be entered into the Charge Up New Jersey online portal in accordance with the Terms and Conditions of the program in order to reserve funding.

All qualified electric vehicles orders, purchases, or leases entered into before 9 p.m. EST on April 17, 2023 and submitted to the Center for Sustainable Energy's online portal by May 1, 2023 will be eligible to receive a Point-of-Sale incentive. Vehicles ordered, purchased, or leased after 9 p.m. EST on April 17, 2023 and before the official re-opening of the program in FY24 will not be eligible for an incentive. For more information about the Charge Up New Jersey Program, please visit <https://chargeup.njcleanenergy.com/>.

The FY23 Charge Up Residential Charger Rebate remains opens and is not impacted by this action.

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