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CLEAN ENERGY

IN THE MATTER OF THE CLEAN ENERGY PROGRAM) ORDER AUTHORIZATION OF SMART START ENERGY) EFFICIENCY REBATES EXCEEDING \$100,000) DOCKET NO. E008080585

Barnes & Nobles Distribution Docket No. EO08080585

(SERVICE LIST ATTACHED)

BY THE BOARD:

The New Jersey Board of Public Utilities' SMARTSTART Buildings Program ("SSBP" or "SMARTSTART") offers financial incentives to New Jersey ratepayers to encourage the installation of energy efficient products and technologies. Eligible applicants may receive rebates for a portion of the cost for installing energy efficient technologies, such as prescriptive lighting, HVAC and water heating.

Staff has reviewed the application of Barnes & Nobles Distribution for a monetary rebate in the amount of \$200,000 under the SSBP. This SMARTSTART rebate application, docket number EO08080585, requests a rebate toward installation of prescriptive lighting at 1 Barnes & Noble Way, Monroe Township, NJ. Staff finds that said application is complete and fully conforms to all Board eligibility requirements for a rebate commitment under this program.

Based on the foregoing, Staff recommends that the Board approve the above referenced rebate application. Upon review, the Board <u>FINDS</u> that the application fully conforms to all relevant eligibility requirements for the SMARTSTART program.

The Board HEREBY APPROVES the aforementioned rebate application for the amount requested and AUTHORIZES issuance of a standard commitment letter to the applicant identified above, setting forth the terms and conditions of these rebate commitment.

BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITIES DATED: PRESIDENT JOSEPH L. FIORDALISO FREDERICK F. BL COMMISSIONER COMMISSIONER

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