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CLEAN ENERGY

IN THE MATTER OF THE CLEAN ENERGY PROGRAM AUTHORIZATION OF SMART START ENERGY)	ORDER
EFFICIENCY REBATES EXCEEDING \$300,000 - EQUINIX, INC.)	DOCKET NO. EO09100828

Keith Taylor, Equinix, Inc., 301 Velocity Way Foster City, CA 94404

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 Equinix, Inc. for a monetary rebate in the amount of \$420,000 under the SSBP. This SMARTSTART rebate application, docket number EO09100828, requests a rebate toward installation of electric chiller at 755 Secaucus Rd. Secaucus, 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 <u>HEREBY APPROVES</u> the aforementioned rebate application for the amount requested and <u>AUTHORIZES</u> issuance of a standard commitment letter to the applicant identified above, setting forth the terms and conditions of these rebate commitment.

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