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Agenda Item: 8B

**STATE OF NEW JERSEY**  
**Board of Public Utilities**  
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CLEAN ENERGY

IN THE MATTER OF THE FISCAL YEAR 2020 CLEAN )  
ENERGY BUDGET – EXTENSION )  
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 ) DOCKET NO. QO20060402

**Parties of Record:**

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**BY THE BOARD:**

The Board approved the New Jersey Clean Energy Program's ("NJCEP's") Fiscal Year 2020 ("FY20") budget through a June 21, 2019 Board Order,<sup>1</sup> which was trued up and revised through a January 8, 2020 Board Order<sup>2</sup> and revised for a second time through an April 6, 2020 Board Order.<sup>3</sup>

The Board is now in the process of extending NJCEP's FY20 in order to align with the State's fiscal year, which is extended to September 30, 2020. The Division of Clean Energy ("DCE") recommends that the Board approve a no-cost extension of FY20 programs and budget for the period between July 1, 2020 and July 15, 2020 to allow for the programs to continue until the Board approves the third revision of FY20 programs and budget, intended to align the NJCEP program fiscal year with the State fiscal year. Staff intended to provide this recommendation at

<sup>1</sup> In re the Clean Energy Programs and Budgets for Fiscal Year 2020, BPU Docket No. QO19050645 (Order dated June 21, 2019).

<sup>2</sup> In re the Clean Energy Order Programs and Budget for Fiscal Year 2020 – Trued-Up and Revised Budget, BPU Docket No. QO19050645 (Order dated January 8, 2020).

<sup>3</sup> In re the Clean Energy Order Programs and Budget for Fiscal Year 2020 – 2<sup>nd</sup> Budget Revisions and Electric Vehicle Program Compliance Filing, BPU Docket Nos. QO19050645 & QO20030262 (Order dated April 17, 2020).

the Board's June 26, 2020 agenda meeting and acknowledges the administrative delay in providing this recommendation to the Board due to the postponement of that agenda to July 2, 2020.

The Board concurs and **HEREBY APPROVES** the continuation of the NJCEP FY20 programs and budget and any associated contracts or activities required to continuing delivering the programs, with the expectation that Staff will submit the third revised FY20 programs and budget to the Board for review by July 15, 2020.


The utilities are hereby directed to continue to make monthly payments to the Clean Energy Program Trust Fund in accordance with the April 6, 2020 Board Order cited above and consistent with current policies and procedures.

The Board **HEREBY AUTHORIZES** the entities currently delivering the programs to continue delivering the programs consistent with approved program plans and budgets and **AUTHORIZES** the entities to enter into or extend any contracts required to continue delivering the programs as authorized by the DCE. The utilities may continue to net the costs for these programs from the amounts due to the Clean Energy Program Trust Fund and to recover costs associated with these programs consistent with existing Board policies.

The effective date of this order is July 2, 2020.

DATED: July 2, 2020

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**In the Matter of the Fiscal Year 2020 Clean Energy Budget – Extension**

**Docket No. QO20060402**

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