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ENERGY

IN THE MATTER OF THE VERIFIED PETITION OF)
ROCKLAND ELECTRIC COMPANY FOR THE)
RECOVERY OF ITS COSTS FOR THE SUCCESSOR)
SOLAR INCENTIVE PROGRAM) ORDER APPROVING
STIPULATION
DOCKET NO. ER21121243

Parties of Record:

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BY THE BOARD:

On December 7, 2021, Rockland Electric Company (“RECO” or “Company”) filed a petition with the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities (“Board” or “BPU”) seeking approval to recover certain costs associated with the implementation of the Solar Successor Incentive (“SuSI”) Program (“2021 SuSI Petition”). By this Decision and Order, the Board considers a stipulation of settlement (“Stipulation”) executed by the Company, the New Jersey Division of Rate Counsel (“Rate Counsel”) and Board Staff (“Staff”) (collectively, “Parties”), intended to resolve the requests related to the above docketed matter.

BACKGROUND AND PROCEDURAL HISTORY

In accordance with the Clean Energy Act of 2018 L. 2018, c. 17 (“CEA”) and the Solar Act of 2021 L. 2021, c. 169, on June 28, 2021, the Board issued an Order establishing a new solar incentive program with the goal of incenting up to 3,750 megawatts (“MW”) of new solar generation by calendar year 2026.^{1,2} The SuSI Program was the culmination of a nearly three (3) year Solar Transition process mandated by the CEA to replace the State’s Solar Renewable Energy Certificate (SREC) program with new incentives that encourage solar development while minimizing ratepayer costs.

¹ N.J.S.A. 48:3-87(d); N.J.S.A. 48:3-115.

² In re the Matter of a Solar Successor Incentive Program Pursuant to P.L. 2018, C.17, BPU Docket No. QO20020184, Order dated June 28, 2021 (“SuSI Order”).

The SuSI Program contains two (2) sub-programs;

- 1) The Administrative Determined Incentive (“ADI”) Program is a fixed incentive payment for net metered solar projects of 5 MW or less – including all residential customers and most commercial and industrial buildings, and all Community Solar installations. The incentive value varies based on project type and size, and is guaranteed for a term of 15 years; and
- 2) The Competitive Solar Incentive (“CSI”) Program, still under development, is a competitive solicitation designed to incentivize grid supply projects and net-metered commercial and industrial projects larger than 5 MW with the lowest feasible financial contribution from ratepayers.

The SuSI Program provides one (1) New Jersey Solar Renewable Energy Certificate-II (“SREC-II”) for every megawatt-hour (“MWh”) of solar electricity produced by a qualifying facility. The ADI Program is designed to support different solar market segments through long-term, tailored incentives for a variety of project types; the fixed, tailored incentives give the Board the ability to contain program costs and provide financial certainty for market participants. with the ADI Program provides a \$20 per MWh adder for public entities such as school districts, municipalities, public colleges, etc.

Incentive levels for the ADI Program, set out below, range from \$70-\$120 per SREC-II, providing continued support for solar development in New Jersey while also offering significant savings over the prior SREC value of approximately \$220.

Market Segment	Size (Measured in MWdc)	Recommended Incentive Value (\$/SREC-II)	Recommended Incentive Value for Public Entities (\$/SREC-II)	Recommended MW Block (MW)
Net Metered Residential	All types and sizes	\$90	N/A	150 MW
Small Net Metered Non-Residential, Rooftop, Carport, Canopy and Floating Solar	All projects smaller than 1 MW	\$100	\$120	150 MW (for 4 segments)
Large Net Metered Non-Residential, Rooftop, Carport, Canopy and Floating Solar	Projects 1 MW to 5 MW	\$90	\$110	
Small Ground Mount Net Metered Non-Residential	Projects smaller than 1 MW	\$85	\$105	
Large Ground Mount Net Metered Non-Residential	Projects 1 MW to 5 MW	\$80	\$100	
Community Solar Non-LMI	Up to the 5 MW statutory limit	\$70	N/A	150 MW (for 2 segments)
Community Solar LMI	Up to the 5 MW statutory limit	\$90	N/A	
Interim Subsection (t) Program	All types and sizes	\$100	N/A	75 MW

*all MW are in dc capacity, as is standard practice for the Board.

The SuSI Order also directed the New Jersey electric distribution companies (“EDCs”) to jointly procure an SREC-II Administrator or to expand the scope of duties for the existing Transition Renewable Energy Certificate (“TREC”) Administrator. On November 1, 2021, the EDCs and the TREC Administrator entered into an agreement amending the terms of the administrator’s existing contract, under which the administrator has been acting as the TREC Program Administrator, to reflect the inclusion of the ADI Program portion of the SuSI Program within the Administrator’s scope of work.

2021 SuSI Petition

According to the 2021 SuSI Petition, RECO sought approval to recover the costs incurred associated with its pro rata share of the SREC-II costs and its share of the contract costs for a SuSI Administrator retained by the EDCs. RECO seeks recovery of a revenue requirement of approximately \$403,731, based upon projected amounts from February 1, 2022 through December 31, 2022. Additionally, RECO proposed to recover the revenue requirements associated with the SuSI Program as a new component of the Company’s existing Regional Greenhouse Gas Initiative (“RGGI”) Surcharge. The Company proposed an initial rate of 0.0244 cents per kilowatt-hour (“kWh”), resulting in an increase of the RGGI Surcharge from its current rate of 0.1868 per kWh to 0.2112 per kWh.³

The SuSI Program component of the RGGI Surcharge will be trued-up each year with a filing submitted to the Board on February 1 to be effective for the 12-month period commencing the following June 1.

Following publication of notice in newspapers of general circulation within RECO’s service territory and the serving of notice upon affected municipalities and counties within the Company’s service area, two (2) virtual public hearings were held, on March 8, 2022 at 4:30 p.m. and 5:30 pm.⁴ No members of the public attended, nor did anyone file written comments with the Board.

STIPULATION

Following a review of the 2021 SuSI Petition and conducting discovery, the Parties executed the Stipulation, which provides for the following:⁵

14. Cost Recovery Mechanism. RECO will recover the net revenue requirements associated with the SuSI Program as a component to the Company’s RGGI Surcharge. The SuSI Program component of the RGGI Surcharge will be subject to deferred accounting, with interest, and reconciled annually by comparing the actual amounts subject to recovery to the actual amounts collected over the prior calendar year. Any difference will be included in the SuSI Program component of the following year’s RGGI Surcharge filing. The difference between the actual monthly revenue requirement and actual recoveries will be

³ All rates quoted herein includes Sales and Use Tax unless specified otherwise.

⁴ Public hearings were held virtually due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

⁵ Although summarized in this Order, should there be any conflict between this summary and the Stipulation, the terms of the Stipulation control, subject to the finding and conclusion in this Order. The paragraphs are lettered and/or numbered to coincide with the Stipulation.

deferred, with interest, for future recovery in the case of an under-collection or for future credits in the case of an over-collection.

15. Interest. Interest shall continue to be calculated at a rate based on United States Treasury securities at two-year constant maturity as published in the Federal Reserve Statistical Release on the first day of each month (or closest day thereafter on which rates are published), plus 60 basis points, in accordance with the July 2009 Order in Docket No. ER08060455, but will not exceed RECO's Board-authorized overall rate of return effective at the time the interest is calculated.
16. Initial SuSI Program Component Rate. The SuSI Program component of the Company's RGGI Surcharge rate will be set initially at 0.0244 cents per kWh, and 0.0229 cents per kWh, excluding SUT. As a result of the proposed SuSI Program Surcharge, RECO's RGGI Surcharge will increase from 0.1868 cents per kWh to 0.2112 cents per kWh. Exhibit A attached to the Stipulation shows the calculation of the SuSI Program component of RECO's RGGI Surcharge.
17. Residential Bill Impact. For a residential customer using 808 kWh per summer month, and 7,800 kWh on an annual basis, the new SuSI Program Surcharge component of the RGGI Surcharge will increase the monthly average bill from \$104.92 to \$105.08, an increase of \$0.16, or 0.15%.
18. Effective Date. The revised tariff leaf establishing the SuSI Program component of the RGGI Surcharge and setting the initial rate shall become effective on the first day of the month following the Board's service of written authorization approving the Stipulation, or upon such date after the service thereof as the Board may specify, in accordance with N.J.S.A. 48:2-40.

DISCUSSION AND FINDING

The Board reviewed the record in this proceeding, including the 2021 SuSI Petition, discovery, and the Stipulation, and **HEREBY FINDS** the Stipulation to be reasonable, in the public interest, and in accordance with the law. As such, the Board **HEREBY ADOPTS** the Stipulation in its entirety, and **HEREBY INCORPORATES** its terms and conditions as through fully set forth herein, subject to any terms and conditions set forth in this Order.

Consistent with the Stipulation, the Board **HEREBY APPROVES** the implementation of the SuSI Program Component of the RGGI Rurchase, with an initial rate of 0.0244 cents per kWh, which results in a revised total RGGI Surcharge rate of 0.2112 cents per kWh, effective for service rendered on July 1, 2022.

Based upon the Board's approval of the Stipulation, a residential customer using 808 kWh per summer month and 7,800 kWh on an annual basis will experience a monthly bill increase of \$0.16 or 0.15 percent.

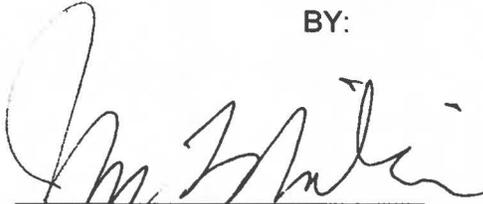
The Board **HEREBY ORDERS** the Company to file the appropriate revised tariff sheets consistent with the terms of this Order no later than June 30, 2022.

The Company's costs, including those related to the programs described above, remain subject to audit by the Board. This Decision and Order shall not preclude nor prohibit the Board from taking any actions determined to be appropriate as a result of any such audit.

This Board Order shall be effective on June 29, 2022.

DATED: June 29, 2022

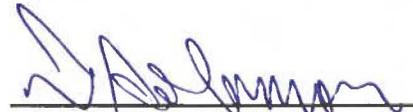
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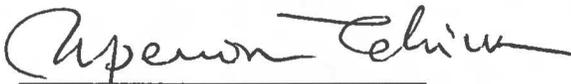
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I HEREBY CERTIFY that the within
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**IN THE MATTER OF THE VERIFIED PETITION OF ROCKLAND ELECTRIC COMPANY FOR
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**STATE OF NEW JERSEY
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STIPULATION OF SETTLEMENT

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TO: THE HONORABLE NEW JERSEY BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITIES

THIS STIPULATION OF SETTLEMENT (“Stipulation”) is made by and among Rockland Electric Company (“RECO” or the “Company”), Staff of the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities (“Staff”), and the New Jersey Division of Rate Counsel (“Rate Counsel”) (collectively referred to herein as the “Signatory Parties”).

1. On July 28, 2021, the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities (“Board” or “BPU”) issued an Order¹ establishing a Successor Solar Incentive (“SuSI”) Program that was designed to address the

¹ Order, *In the Matter of A Solar Successor Incentive Program Pursuant to P.L. 2018, C.17* (July 28, 2021) (“SuSI Order”).

closure of the BPU Solar Renewable Energy Certificate (“SREC”) program, (“SREC Program”) pursuant to the Clean Energy Act² (“the Act”). The Act directed the Board to adopt rules and regulations to close the SREC Program to new applications once the Board determined that 5.1 percent of the kilowatt-hours sold in the State by each Third Party Supplier (“TPS”) and Basic Generation Service provider has been generated by solar electric power generators connected to the distribution system.

2. The SuSI Order established two sub-programs: 1) an Administratively Determined Incentive (“ADI”) Program, which provides administratively-set incentive values for net metered residential projects, net metered non-residential projects of five MW or less, all community solar projects, and, for an interim period, projects previously eligible to seek conditional certification from the Board under the subsection (t) program; and, 2) a Competitive Solar Incentive (“CSI”) Program, which provides competitively-set incentive values for grid supply projects and net metered non-residential projects greater than five MW.

3. The SuSI Order also established a vehicle for distribution of incentives in the ADI Program called “NJ Solar Renewable Energy Certificates-II”, or “SREC-IIs.”

4. The SuSI Order directed the State’s electric distribution companies (“EDCs”) to work with Staff to jointly procure an SREC II Administrator for the SuSI Program or to expand the scope of the existing Transition Renewable Energy Certificate (“TREC”) Administrator, InClime, Inc. (“InClime”) to include SuSI SREC IIs. The EDCs determined that expanding the scope of the current TREC Administrator agreement to include services related to the ADI portion of the SuSI Program would provide efficiencies when compared to engaging in a new competitive Request for

² P.L. 2018 c. 17.

Proposal procurement process. Therefore, the EDCs and InClima agreed to amend the TREC Administrator agreement to include the ADI portion of the SuSI Program requirements.

5. The SuSI Order provided:

[T]he EDCs may recover reasonable and prudent costs for SREC-II procurement and SREC-II Administrator fees. Recovery shall be based on each EDC's proportionate share of retail electric sales. Each EDC shall make an annual filing for its costs and the recovery method, which shall be subject to approval by the Board.³

6. On December 7, 2021, RECO filed a verified petition ("Petition") seeking Board approval of the rates set forth in the Petition for the recovery of (i) the costs incurred by RECO for the purchase of New Jersey Solar Renewable Energy Certificates-II ("SREC-IIs"), and (ii) RECO's share of the contract costs for a SuSI Administrator retained by the EDCs pursuant to the SuSI Order.

7. The Petition noted that the estimated SuSI Program procurement costs were based upon a forecast provided by InClima. In accordance with the SuSI Order, RECO's share of costs was based upon its percentage allocation of retail sales. The Petition noted that RECO's share of costs was set at 2.18 percent based on 2020 billed sales for each EDC.

8. In the Petition, the Company proposed to recover its share of SuSI Program costs through the newly established SuSI Program component of the Company's existing Regional Greenhouse Gas Initiative ("RGGI") Surcharge. The Company also proposed that the SuSI Program component of the RGGI Surcharge be subject to deferred accounting, with interest, and reconciled annually by comparing the actual amounts subject to recovery to the actual amounts collected. Any difference would be included in the SuSI Program component of the following year's RGGI Surcharge. The difference between the actual monthly costs associated with the SuSI Program

³ SuSI Order at 51.

and actual recoveries through the SuSI Program component of the RGGI Surcharge was to be deferred, with interest, for future recovery.

9. The Petition proposed that on February 1 of each year, the Company will file with the Board the SuSI Program component of the RGGI Surcharge to be effective for the 12-month period commencing the following June 1. The SuSI Program component of the RGGI Surcharge would be set to recover any prior period over- or under-recovered balances, including interest, and to provide current recovery of the forecasted SuSI Program costs over the 12-month period commencing the following June 1.

10. In the Petition, the Company proposed a SuSI Program Surcharge of 0.0244 cents per kilowatt-hour (“kWh”), including Sales and Use Tax (“SUT”), and 0.0229 cents per kWh, excluding SUT.

11. On March 8, 2022, the Company held two public hearings which were conducted as telephonic public hearings as result of the COVID-19 pandemic and in order to comply with social distancing mandates issued by the Governor. No members of the public appeared to provide comments or filed written comments with the Board.

12. Subsequent to RECO’s submission of the Petition, Rate Counsel and Staff propounded, and the Company responded to, detailed discovery requests.

13. Following discovery the Signatory Parties reached a settlement and hereby STIPULATE AND AGREE as follows:

STIPULATION

14. Cost Recovery Mechanism. RECO will recover the net revenue requirements associated with the SuSI Program as a component of the Company’s RGGI Surcharge. The SuSI Program component of the RGGI Surcharge will be subject to deferred accounting, with interest, and

reconciled annually by comparing the actual amounts subject to recovery to the actual amounts collected over the prior calendar year. Any difference will be included in the SuSI Program component of the following year's RGGI Surcharge filing. The difference between the actual monthly revenue requirement and actual recoveries will be deferred, with interest, for future recovery in the case of an under-collection or for future credits in the case of an over-collection.

15. Interest. Interest shall continue to be calculated at a rate based upon the United States Treasury securities at two-year constant maturity as published in the Federal Reserve Statistical Release on the first day of each month (or closest day thereafter on which rates are published), plus 60 basis points, in accordance with the July 2009 Order in Docket No. ER08060455, but will not exceed RECO's Board-authorized overall rate of return effective at the time the interest is calculated.

16. Initial SuSI Program Component Rate. The SuSI Program component of the Company's RGGI Surcharge rate will be set initially at 0.0244 cents per kWh, including SUT, and 0.0229 cents per kWh, excluding SUT. As a result of the proposed SuSI Program surcharge, RECO's RGGI Surcharge will increase from 0.1868 cents per kWh to 0.2112 cents per kWh, including SUT. The attached Exhibit A shows the calculation of the SuSI Program component of RECO's RGGI Surcharge.

17. Residential Bill Impact. For a residential customer using 808 kWh per summer month, and 7,800 kWh on an annual basis, the new SuSI Program Surcharge component of the RGGI Surcharge will increase the monthly average bill from \$104.92 to \$105.08, an increase of \$0.16, or 0.15%.

18. Effective Date. The revised tariff leaf establishing the SuSI Program component of the RGGI Surcharge and setting the initial rate shall become effective on the first day of the month

following the Board's service of written authorization approving this Stipulation, or upon such date after the service thereof as the Board may specify, in accordance with N.J.S.A. 48:2-40.

19. Tariff. Upon Board approval of this Stipulation, RECO shall file the revised tariff leaf relating set forth in Exhibit B hereto, approved by Signatory Parties in this Stipulation, as soon as possible.

20. Voluntariness. The Signatory Parties agree that this Stipulation is voluntary, consistent with law, and fully dispositive of the issues addressed herein

21. Rights Upon Disapproval or Modification. This Stipulation contains mutually balancing and interdependent provisions, and is intended to be accepted and approved in its entirety to fully and finally resolve all issues relating to the Company's Petition. This Stipulation is an integral settlement and the various parts hereof are not severable without upsetting the balance of agreements and compromises achieved among the Signatory Parties. In the event the Board disapproves this Stipulation as a whole, it shall be null and void. In the event that any particular aspect of this Stipulation is not accepted and approved by the Board in its entirety, without modification, or is modified by a court of competent jurisdiction: (i) the Signatory Parties are not waiving any legal or procedural rights, arguments or claims they may have before the Board or in any forum, and (ii) this Stipulation shall, at the option and discretion of any Signatory Party aggrieved thereby, exercised by written notice to the other Parties within 10 days after receipt of any such adverse decision, be null and void in which case the Signatory Parties shall be placed in the same position that they were in immediately prior to its execution.

22. Party Reservations. This Stipulation represents a negotiated compromise resolution that has been made exclusively for the purpose of the above-referenced proceedings. Although binding on the Signatory Parties with respect to the issues resolved herein in this proceeding, this

Stipulation, in total or by specific item, is in no way binding upon the Signatory Parties (or non-signatories) and is not to be considered or cited as precedent in favor of or against their respective positions on any issue in any other proceeding, except to enforce the terms of this Stipulation. The Signatory Parties agree that the resolution of these issues relating to the Petition shall apply only to this proceeding and that any similar future cases shall be reviewed by the Board on an individual basis. This Stipulation is without prejudice to the positions of the respective Signatory Parties with respect to any future rate cases or other proceedings involving the Company, except as specifically set forth herein.

23. Captions. The subject headings of the sections of this Stipulation are inserted solely for the purpose of convenient reference and are not intended to, nor shall they, affect the meaning of any provision of this Stipulation.

24. Governing Law. This Stipulation shall be governed and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of New Jersey.

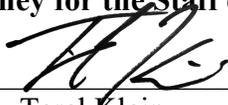
25. Execution. This Stipulation may be executed in one or more counterparts. Each Signatory Party has caused its duly authorized representative to execute below and deliver this Stipulation.

Dated: June 7, 2022

ROCKLAND ELECTRIC COMPANY

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Rockland Electric Company

SuSI Program Component of RGGI Surcharge

SuSI Projected Costs for RECO (2022 and 2023)

Invoice Month	Month of Generation	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	RECO Share
		Est. Capacity Generating (MW)	Total SuSI Approved Capacity (MW)	Est Approved SuSIs Certificates Created	Total Capacity Set Up for Payments (MW)	Est New Certificates Received in GATS Account (MWh)	Certificates Invoiced (Final)	Certificate Invoice Amount (Final)	Rolling 12-Month Total Certificates Invoiced	Incremental Blocks	Admin Invoice Amount (Final)	Total EDC Program Cost	2.18%
Feb-22	Dec-21	262.50	39.38	2,284	19.688	1,142	1,427	\$ 128,461	1,427	-	\$ 4,833	\$ 133,294	\$ 2,901
Mar-22	Jan-22	306.25	45.94	3,308	22.969	1,654	2,067	\$ 186,047	3,495	-	\$ 4,833	\$ 190,880	\$ 4,154
Apr-22	Feb-22	350.00	122.50	10,290	61.250	5,145	5,917	\$ 532,508	9,411	-	\$ 4,833	\$ 537,341	\$ 11,694
May-22	Mar-22	393.75	137.81	14,057	89.578	9,137	10,051	\$ 904,560	19,462	-	\$ 4,833	\$ 909,393	\$ 19,790
Jun-22	Apr-22	437.50	153.13	17,303	99.531	11,247	12,372	\$ 1,113,456	31,834	1	\$ 9,667	\$ 1,123,123	\$ 24,442
Jul-22	May-22	481.25	240.63	28,394	156.406	18,456	20,302	\$ 1,827,138	52,135	2	\$ 14,500	\$ 1,841,638	\$ 40,078
Aug-22	Jun-22	525.00	262.50	30,975	196.875	23,231	24,393	\$ 2,195,353	76,528	3	\$ 19,333	\$ 2,214,686	\$ 48,196
Sep-22	Jul-22	568.75	284.38	34,978	213.281	26,234	27,545	\$ 2,479,075	104,073	4	\$ 24,167	\$ 2,503,241	\$ 54,476
Oct-22	Aug-22	612.50	367.50	42,263	275.625	31,697	33,282	\$ 2,995,355	137,355	5	\$ 29,000	\$ 3,024,355	\$ 65,817
Nov-22	Sep-22	656.25	393.75	39,375	334.688	33,469	35,142	\$ 3,162,797	172,497	6	\$ 33,833	\$ 3,196,630	\$ 69,566
Dec-22	Oct-22	700.00	420.00	35,280	357.000	29,988	31,487	\$ 2,833,866	203,985	8	\$ 43,500	\$ 2,877,366	\$ 62,618
Jan-23	Nov-22	743.75	520.63	34,882	442.531	29,650	31,132	\$ 2,801,887	235,117	9	\$ 48,333	\$ 2,850,220	\$ 62,027
Feb-23	Dec-22	787.50	551.25	31,973	523.688	30,374	31,133	\$ 2,801,990	264,823	10	\$ 53,167	\$ 2,855,157	\$ 62,134
Mar-23	Jan-23	831.25	581.88	41,895	552.781	39,800	40,795	\$ 3,671,573	303,551	12	\$ 62,833	\$ 3,734,406	\$ 81,269
Apr-23	Feb-23	875.00	700.00	58,800	665.000	55,860	57,257	\$ 5,153,085	354,890	14	\$ 72,500	\$ 5,225,585	\$ 113,720
May-23	Mar-23	918.75	735.00	74,970	698.250	71,222	73,002	\$ 6,570,183	417,842	16	\$ 82,167	\$ 6,652,350	\$ 144,770
Jun-23	Apr-23	962.50	770.00	87,010	731.500	82,660	84,726	\$ 7,625,339	490,196	19	\$ 96,667	\$ 7,722,006	\$ 168,048
Jul-23	May-23	1,006.25	855.31	100,927	855.313	100,927	103,450	\$ 9,310,504	573,345	22	\$ 111,167	\$ 9,421,671	\$ 205,036
Aug-23	Jun-23	1,050.00	892.50	105,315	892.500	105,315	107,948	\$ 9,715,309	656,900	26	\$ 130,500	\$ 9,845,809	\$ 214,266
Sep-23	Jul-23	1,093.75	929.69	114,352	929.688	114,352	117,210	\$ 10,548,932	746,565	29	\$ 145,000	\$ 10,693,932	\$ 232,723
Oct-23	Aug-23	1,137.50	1,023.75	117,731	1,023.750	117,731	120,675	\$ 10,860,708	833,957	33	\$ 164,333	\$ 11,025,041	\$ 239,929
Nov-23	Sep-23	1,181.25	1,063.13	106,313	1,063.125	106,313	108,970	\$ 9,807,328	907,786	36	\$ 178,833	\$ 9,986,161	\$ 217,321
Dec-23	Oct-23	1,225.00	1,102.50	92,610	1,102.500	92,610	94,925	\$ 8,543,273	971,223	38	\$ 188,500	\$ 8,731,773	\$ 190,022

- Column (1) Program assumption that represents the estimated capacity generating SREC IIs at the end of each month.
- Column (2) Total Successor Solar Incentive approved capacity registered for SREC II payments at the end of each month.
- Column (3) Estimated approved SREC IIs created at the end of each month.
- Column (4) Represents the solar capacity (MW) set up for payments for SREC IIs at the end of each month.
- Column (5) Estimated new SREC IIs in the GATS account at the end of each month.
- Column (6) The monthly quantity of SREC IIs to be invoiced to the EDCs for payments.
- Column (7) The cost of monthly SREC IIs invoiced.
- Column (10) The monthly expense for the SuSI Administrator to manage and implement the SuSI Program on behalf of the NJ EDCs.
- Column (11) The sum of the SREC II Procurement Payments (Column 7) and the SREC II Administrator Fee (Column 10).
- Column (12) RECO's share of the SREC II Procurement Payments + Administrator Fee.

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SuSI Program Component of RGGI Surcharge

Determination of RECO Share of Costs Based on 2020 NJ EDC Sales (kWh)

	<u>PSE&G</u>	<u>JCPL</u>	<u>ACE</u>	<u>RECO</u>	<u>Total</u>
Jan-20	3,425,716,252	1,669,602,545	743,334,447	134,082,277	5,972,735,521
Feb-20	3,175,683,745	1,557,209,538	619,029,214	114,561,789	5,466,484,286
Mar-20	3,057,304,388	1,518,304,556	599,934,346	106,435,634	5,281,978,924
Apr-20	2,945,874,230	1,407,171,163	607,609,316	99,886,254	5,060,540,963
May-20	2,734,490,677	1,332,403,448	497,447,780	101,243,239	4,665,585,144
Jun-20	3,225,266,218	1,585,502,538	600,423,546	123,157,475	5,534,349,777
Jul-20	3,968,606,895	2,021,173,236	962,907,560	159,356,757	7,112,044,448
Aug-20	4,143,492,628	2,291,191,739	1,064,320,831	171,767,646	7,670,772,844
Sep-20	3,767,138,738	2,036,814,792	929,003,579	151,237,141	6,884,194,250
Oct-20	2,949,433,560	1,490,435,312	616,280,047	118,909,375	5,175,058,294
Nov-20	2,992,002,686	1,349,387,879	591,757,571	109,588,181	5,042,736,317
Dec-20	<u>3,230,387,322</u>	<u>1,506,903,378</u>	<u>639,216,851</u>	<u>119,247,977</u>	<u>5,495,755,528</u>
	39,615,397,339	19,766,100,124	8,471,265,088	1,509,473,745	69,362,236,296
% Share	57.11%	28.50%	12.21%	2.18%	

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SuSI Program

Determination of Regional Gas Initiative ("RGGI") Surcharge

<u>RGGI Rate Components</u>	<u>Excl. SUT</u> <u>(¢/kWh)</u>	<u>Incl. SUT</u> <u>(¢/kWh)</u>
SuSI Program (1)	0.0229	0.0244
All Other RGGI Components	<u>0.1750</u>	<u>0.1868</u>
Total	0.1979	0.2112

Notes:

(1) See Page 2.

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Determination of SuSI Program Component of RGGI Surcharge

Projected 2022 RECO Share of SuSI Costs (1)	\$403,731
Projected Sales (kWh) for fifteen months ending May 31, 2023 (2)	1,760,301,000
SuSI Program Surcharge (Excluding SUT) (\$/kWh)	0.000229
Sales and Use Tax ("SUT")	1.06625
SuSI Program Surcharge (\$/kWh)	0.000244
SuSI Program Surcharge (¢/kWh)	0.0244

Notes:

(1) See Page 5.

(2) The SuSI component of the RGGI Surcharge will first be trued up with other components of the RGGI Surcharge commencing with the filing being made on 2/1/2023 for rates effective 6/1/2023.

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SuSI Projected Program Costs: Calendar Year 2022

<u>Month</u>	<u>ImCline Invoice</u>	<u>RECO Share</u>	<u>Total</u>
Feb-22	\$133,294	2.18%	\$2,901
Mar-22	190,880	2.18%	4,154
Apr-22	537,341	2.18%	11,694
May-22	909,393	2.18%	19,790
Jun-22	1,123,123	2.18%	24,442
Jul-22	1,841,638	2.18%	40,078
Aug-22	2,214,686	2.18%	48,196
Sep-22	2,503,241	2.18%	54,476
Oct-22	3,024,355	2.18%	65,817
Nov-22	3,196,630	2.18%	69,566
Dec-22	<u>2,877,366</u>	2.18%	<u>62,618</u>
Total	\$18,551,948		\$403,731

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- (a) Energy Efficiency Stimulus Program (“EES Program”);
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- (d) Solar Renewable Energy Certificate Program (“SREC Program”), including both the SREC I and SREC II Programs;
- (e) Transitional Renewable Energy Certificate Program (“TREC Program”);
- (f) Successor Solar Incentive Program (“SuSI Program”); and
- (g) Clean Energy Act Energy Efficiency (“EE”) and Peak Demand Reduction (“PDR”) programs.

The RGGI Surcharge to be effective on and after the date indicated below shall be set at 0.2112 cents per kWh, including sales and use tax (“SUT”). The RGGI Surcharge includes the following rate components:

	RGGI Surcharge Rate Components (Cents per kWh)	
	Excluding SUT	Including SUT
EES Program	0.0124	0.0132
Low Income Audit II Program	0.0186	0.0198
Low Income Audit III Program	(0.0110)	(0.0117)
SREC I Program	0.0394	0.0421
SREC II Program	0.0000	0.0000
TREC Program	0.0426	0.0454
SuSI Program	0.0229	0.0244
Clean Energy Act Program	0.0730	0.0780
Total RGGI Surcharge	0.1979	0.2112

(a) EES Program

The EES Program component of the RGGI Surcharge will be subject to deferred accounting, with interest, and reconciled annually by comparing the actual amounts subject to recovery to the actual amounts collected. Any difference will be included in the EES Program component of the following year’s RGGI Surcharge. The difference between the actual monthly revenue requirement associated with the EES Program and actual recoveries through the EES Program component of the RGGI Surcharge will be deferred, with interest, for future recovery.

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(f) SuSI Program

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(g) Clean Energy Act

The Clean Energy Act component of the RGGI will be subject to deferred accounting, with interest, and reconciled annually by comparing the actual amounts subject to recovery to the actual amounts collected. Any difference will be included in the Clean Energy Act component of the following year’s RGGI. The difference between the actual monthly revenue requirement associated with the Clean Energy Act EE and PDR programs and actual recoveries through the Clean Energy Act component of the RGGI will be deferred, with interest, for future recovery in the case of an under-collection or for future credits in the case of an over-collection.

The initial Clean Energy Act component of the RGGI rate will become effective on July 1, 2021. Thereafter, on February 1 of each year, the Company shall file with the Board the Clean Energy Act component of the RGGI to be effective for the twelve-month period commencing on the following June 1. The Clean Energy Act component of the RGGI shall be set to recover any prior period over- or under-recovered balances, including interest, and to provide current recovery of the forecasted Clean Energy Act EE and PDR programs revenue requirement over the twelve-month period commencing the following June 1.

Interest will be included in the deferred balance for both an over-collection and for an under-collection for each component of the RGGI Surcharge and will be calculated as determined by the Board in its Order dated October 21, 2008 in Docket Number ER08060455.

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(f) SuSI Program

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