

**STATE OF RHODE ISLAND  
PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION**

**IN RE: THE NARRAGANSETT ELECTRIC COMPANY d/b/a RHODE ISLAND  
ENERGY - REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL FOR LONG-TERM CONTRACTS FOR  
RENEWABLE ENERGY PROJECTS - DOCKET NO. 23-50-EL**

**AMENDED NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**

Pursuant to the provisions of R.I. Gen. Laws § 39-1 et seq., the Public Utilities Commission (PUC) will conduct a hearing on **Tuesday, May 7, 2024 @ 10:00 A.M.** in Hearing Room A of the PUC's office located at 89 Jefferson Boulevard, Warwick, Rhode Island. The hearing will be streamed live at <https://video.ibm.com/channel/WqQyXw296dg>.

The PUC will receive public comment from interested members of the public beginning at **10:00 A.M. on May 7, 2024**. Interested members of the public can make comment in person or in a Zoom meeting through the internet or by calling in, preferably 5-10 minutes prior to the hearing. To participate, click this link <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86385216127> and you will be given instructions to enter the meeting by internet. You will be prompted to enter a name and an email address to enter the meeting. If you choose to participate by telephone, you may call 929-205-6099 and enter meeting number 863 8521 6127 followed by the # symbol when prompted; you do not need to enter a participant ID when prompted. (The Zoom link will close at the expiration of the public comment period.) If you are not interested in providing public comment, please watch the live stream at the address in the first paragraph. You will be able to observe the hearing and hear others' public comment.

In this docket, the PUC will examine the propriety of a proposal by the Narragansett Electric Company d/b/a Rhode Island Energy seeking approval of a Revised Request for Proposal (RFP) for Long-Term Contracts for Renewable Energy Projects to be used to solicit proposals from renewable energy developers in accordance with Rhode Island Gen. Laws § 39-26.1-1 et seq. and PUC's Rules and Regulations Governing Long-Term Contracting Standards for Renewable Energy (LTCS), 810-RICR-40-05-1. The Revised RFP includes changes to the timetable and method for solicitation and execution of long-term contracts for renewable energy and renewable energy credits and related attributes (RECs) with a nameplate capacity of at least 20 megawatts (MW) and up to 150 MW of newly developed renewable energy resources. Rhode Island seeks to issue the RFP to satisfy its remaining obligation under the LTCS rules.

The docket is available for examination at the PUC's office. The docket can also be accessed at <https://ripuc.ri.gov/Docket-23-50-EL>. Reference is made to Chapters 39-1, 39-3 and 42-35 of the Rhode Island General Laws.

The PUC is accessible to the handicapped. Individuals requesting interpreter services for the hearing impaired must notify the Commission Clerk's office at 780-2017, seventy-two hours in advance of hearing date.

Luly E. Massaro, Commission Clerk  
April 26, 2024