

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS
PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

IN RE: APPLICATION FOR STANDARD CERTIFICATION : DOCKET NO. 4583
AS ELIGIBLE RENEWABLE ENERGY RESOURCE FILED :
BY CC&C OF MIDDLETOWN – NEW GENERATION :

ORDER

WHEREAS, On October 19, 2015, CC&C of Middletown¹ (Company) filed with the Rhode Island Public Commission (PUC) an application seeking certification for its CC&C of Middletown Generation Unit, a 0.0689 MW solar energy Generation Unit located in Middletown, Rhode Island, as an eligible New Renewable Energy Resource in accordance with the PUC’s Rules and Regulations Governing the Implementation of a Renewable Energy Standard (RES Regulations) and R.I. Gen. Laws §39-26-1; and

WHEREAS, Pursuant to Section 6.0 and other relevant Sections of the RES Regulations, a thirty (30) day period for public comment was provided during which time, no such comments were received; and

WHEREAS, On December 30, 2015, supplemental and clarifying information was provided to the PUC in response to the PUC Consultant’s² November 18, 2015 information request; and

WHEREAS, Said supplemental and clarifying information included: a completed Appendix D, a GIS number, and sufficient proof that power generation at the site first occurred after December 31, 1997; and

¹ The authorized representative was identified as Brian Jones, Owner, CC&C of Middletown, 429 Church Street, New Bedford, MA 02745; Phone: (508) 985-4966 Fax: (508) 985-4992 Email: bjones@plumberssupplyco.com.

² GDS Associates, Inc.

WHEREAS, After examination, the PUC is of the opinion that the application including said supplemental information, is proper, reasonable, and in compliance with the RES Regulations, and hereby grants the Company certification as an eligible renewable energy resource pursuant to R.I. Gen Laws §39-26-1; and

WHEREAS, The PUC's determination in this docket is based on the information submitted by the Company and the PUC may reverse its ruling or revoke the Company's certification if any material information provided by the Company proves to be false or misleading.

Accordingly, it is

(22299) ORDERED:

1) The CC&C of Middletown Generation Unit meets the requirements for eligibility as a New, Solar Renewable Energy Resource with its 0.0689 MW, Customer-Sited Generation Unit having a Commercial Operation Date of August 14, 2014 and located within the NEPOOL control area in Middletown, Rhode Island.

2) The Generation Unit's NEPOOL-GIS Identification Number is NON58833.

3) The Company's Generation Unit as identified above is hereby assigned unique certification number RI-4583-N16.

4) The facility's Renewable Energy Certificates ("RECs") become Rhode Island-eligible effective on the first day which the Rhode Island certification number is issued. All RECs associated with the production of eligible energy that are minted on or after the Effective Date are eligible for the RES.

5) Although the PUC will rely upon the NEPOOL GIS for verification of production of energy from the Company's Generation Unit certified as eligible in this

Order, the Company will provide information and access as necessary to the PUC, or persons acting at its behest, to conduct audits or site visits to assist in verification of continued eligibility for and compliance with RI RES Certification at any time at the PUC's discretion.

6) The Company shall notify the PUC in the event of a change in the facility's eligibility status.

EFFECTIVE AT WARWICK, RHODE ISLAND ON JANUARY 15, 2016,
PURSUANT TO AN OPEN MEETING DECISION. WRITTEN ORDER ISSUED
JANUARY 15, 2016.

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION



Margaret E. Curran, Chairperson

Paul J. Roberti, Commissioner

Herbert F. DeSimone, Commissioner

NOTICE OF RIGHT OF APPEAL: Pursuant to R.I. Gen. Laws § 39-5-1, any person aggrieved by a decision or order of the PUC may, within seven days (7) from the date of the order, petition the Supreme Court for a Writ of Certiorari to review the legality and reasonableness of the decision or order.