

Public Service Company of New Hampshire d/b/a Eversource Energy
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Request from: New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission

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Request:

With reference to the Company's "Net Metering Expense" (as shown in Exhibit 7, Bates 32, Line 2), please provide the following information for a recent historical period of 6-12 months:

- (a) The number of small customer-generators (i.e., net-metered facilities with 100 kW or less AC capacity);
- (b) The number of large customer-generators (i.e., net-metered facilities with greater than 100 kW AC capacity);
- (c) The aggregate dollar amount credited or paid to small customer-generators during the period;
- (d) The aggregate dollar amount credited or paid to large customer-generators during the period; and
- (e) The total dollar amount credited or paid to all net-metered customer-generators during the period.

Response:

Please see below for "Net Metering Expense" information for the recent 12-month period July 2023 to June 2024:

- a) There were 16,563 small customer-generators (i.e., net-metered facilities with 100 kW or less AC capacity).
- b) There were 162 large customer-generators (i.e., net-metered facilities with greater than 100 kW AC capacity).
- c) A total of \$15.8 million was credited or paid to small customer-generators during the 12-month period, based on data extracted from the Company's C2 billing system*.
- d) A total of \$19.7 million was credited or paid to large customer-generators during the 12-month period, based on data extracted from the Company's Large Power Billing (LPB) system*.

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- e) The aggregate total of \$35.5 million was credited or paid to all net-metered customer-generators during the 12-month period.

**The C2 system generally captures small customer projects and LPB generally captures large projects. However, this is not 100% accurate, as small and large customer projects are not necessarily assigned to one billing system or another. It just so happens that most, if not all, of the projects designated as large projects under the net metering tariff are captured in the LPB system. But there may be projects that fall into the large category that are billed in the C2 system. This was the best information the company could provide in the amount of time that was given to answer the question. Net metered projects are not designated in the system as small and large, or "residential" and "commercial", so the data requested is not readily available using those categorizations.*