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STATE OF VERMONT
PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

Case No. 17-2813-PET

Petition of Green Mountain Power for a Certificate of Public Good pursuant to 30 V.S.A. § 248(j), authorizing the installation and operation of a battery storage system on the GMP Solar Panton Project site located in Panton, Vermont to be known as the “GMP Panton Battery Storage Project”

**THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SERVICE’S REQUEST FOR
ADDITIONAL TIME TO REVIEW GREEN MOUNTAIN POWER’S
MOTION FOR NON-SUBSTANTIAL CHANGE DETERMINATION**

On July 15, 2020, Green Mountain Power (“Petitioner”) submitted a *Motion for Non-Substantial Change Determination* in the above captioned matter to install (i) an additional 1,500 kVA pad-mounted transformer and a pad-mounted recloser, (ii) three pole-mounted reclosers on existing GMP distribution poles, and (ii) additional communication equipment in the existing relay cabinet.¹ Pursuant to V.R.C.P. 78(b), responses to Petitioner’s motion were due by July 29, 2020. Due to an error in receiving notice of Petitioner’s motion via ePUC, the Department of Public Service (“Department”) was unable to review the request and submit a comment by the deadline. The Department respectfully requests the Public Utility Commission extend the deadline for the Department’s response to Petitioner’s motion to August 7, 2020.

DATED at Montpelier, Vermont this 31st day of July 2020.

Respectfully submitted,

VERMONT DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SERVICE

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¹ *Green Mountain Power’s Motion for Non-Substantial Change Determination & Report on Microgrid Evaluation* at 4 (July 15, 2020).