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DCPSC seeks public comment in microgrid proceeding

(Washington, D.C.) The Public Service Commission of the District of Columbia (Commission) <u>issued a Notice of Inquiry</u> (NOI) to solicit public comments regarding the Commission's role in the regulatory framework of microgrids in the District (<u>Formal Case No. 1163</u>). By seeking stakeholder input, the Commission will further develop a microgrid framework to provide a higher level of regulatory certainty and transparency into the decision-making process. All persons interested in commenting on the questions set forth in this NOI are invited to submit comments by August 31, 2020 and replies no later than September 15, 2020.

Previously, the Commission established a Microgrid Working Group to look into microgrid development in the District, benefits and costs of microgrids, and provide recommendations addressing microgrid ownership, operation, standards, and regulations. By <u>Order No. 20286</u>, the Commission opened <u>Formal Case No. 1163</u> to further investigate microgrids to determine a framework on how the Commission should regulate microgrids.

Comments can be submitted electronically on the Commission's website at: https://edocket.dcpsc.org/public/public_comments.

Comments may also be mailed to: Brinda Westbrook-Sedgwick, Commission Secretary Public Service Commission of the District of Columbia, 1325 G Street, N.W., Suite 800, Washington, D.C. 20005

Persons with questions concerning this notice should call the Commission Secretary's Office at 202-626-5150.

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