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**Agenda**

Wednesday, December 13, 2023

10:30 AM – 12:30 PM

State House, Room 11

Virtual Meeting [Livestream Link](#)

*For questions, or to provide public comment, please email Sorsha at [sanderson@leg.state.vt.us](mailto:sanderson@leg.state.vt.us)*

**10:30 A.M. Opening Comments & Announcements**

Senator Bray & Representative Sheldon, Co-Chairs

**Agenda Review**

Jennifer Knauer, Facilitator

**10:45 A.M. Brattle Group: Macro-Economic Modeling Results**

**\*\*This agenda item relies on the availability of updated analysis by December 13<sup>th</sup>. If new information is not available, this time will be allocated to an earlier start of the 11:10am agenda item, permitting additional minutes for discussion.**

Dean Murphy, Principal at the Brattle Group

Wonjun Chang, Senior Associate & Economist at the Brattle Group

Jennifer Knauer, Facilitator

All Working Group Members Participate

- Presentation of current modeling results, abbreviated
- Q&A

**11:10 A.M. Vote to confirm “Report of the Legislative Working Group on Renewable Energy Standard Reform, Pursuant to 2023 Acts and Resolves No. 33 Amendments,” currently in DRAFT form.**

Jennifer Knauer, Facilitator

All Working Group Members Participate

Ellen Czajkowski, Legislative Counsel

Anticipated Sections have been outlined below and will be considered in the order in which they appear in the list. There will be an opportunity to briefly raise & discuss edits, followed by a formal vote to confirm each section. Votes will be

taken by roll call, followed by opportunities to comment at the discretion of the Co-Chairs – in most cases, limiting explanations to 20-30 seconds per speaker.

- Present Overview of Report (Ellen Czajkowski, Legislative Counsel)
- Discuss Sections. Each section shall be reviewed, discussed / edited, by a formal vote among the working group members to confirm a final version of that section.

Anticipated Sections to Review & Vote to Confirm:

- A. List of Appendices, Working Group Members, Introduction, Working Group Charge, Duties.
- B. Summary of Straw Polls & Discussion from November 29, 2023.
- C. Working Group Proposed Legislation.
- D. Discussion of Proposed Legislation.

**12:00 P.M. Take-Aways, if time allows**

Jennifer Knauer, Facilitator

All Working Group Members Participate

(Optional) This is an opportunity for each working group member to offer a closing statement or reflection, as this legislative working group closes out its work.

Members who are not able to attend this meeting (and did not send a proxy) are welcome to send a brief statement for the Co-Chairs to read during this time, if time allows. Statements are likely to be limited to 30-45 seconds in length.

**12:20 P.M. Public Comment**

**12:30 P.M. Adjourn**

- The Recording from this meeting and the final “Report of the Legislative Working Group on Renewable Energy Standard Reform, Pursuant to 2023 Acts and Resolves No. 33 Amendments” will be posted to this group’s Committees & Studies webpage on the VT Legislative Joint Fiscal Office website.