**Renewable Portfolio Standard (RPS) Certification Application**

**For Maine Class I and Class IA Renewable Energy Credits**

**Note: Facilities participating in the NEB Tariff Rate Program should file through their interconnecting utility.**

**Petitioner Information**

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| Contact Name | Click or tap here to enter text. | Phone | Click or tap here to enter text. |
| Company Name | Click or tap here to enter text. | | |
| Address | Click or tap here to enter text. | | |
| E-mail | Click or tap here to enter text. | | |

**Note: The contact listed here should be prepared to answer any inquiries by the Commission regarding the content of this application.**

**Facility Information**

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| Facility Name | Click or tap here to enter text. | | | |
| Physical Address | Click or tap here to enter text. | | | |
| Fuel Type | Choose an item. | Capacity (MW AC) | Click or tap here to enter text. | |
| Initial In-Service Date | Click or tap to enter a date. | | | |
| New Renewable Capacity Resource Category  (as defined in Chapter 311 §2(T)) | | Choose an item. | | |
| NEPOOL GIS (IMP, MSS or NON) and/or NAR Generator ID number | | | | Click or tap here to enter text. |

**Supporting Documentation Check**

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| Is this facility certified for any other state’s RPS program?  *If yes, provide documentation of certification for comparable portfolio requirements in other states.* | Choose an item. |
| Is this facility seeking certification as an addition to an existing facility?  *If yes, provide historical output and means to determine incremental output.* | Choose an item. |
| Is this facility seeking certification under resumed operations?  *If yes, provide the time period for which the facility did not operate, the reasons the facility did not operate, and the date operation resumed.* | Choose an item. |
| Is this facility seeking certification under refurbishment?  *If yes, provide a description of facility refurbishment, the degree to which the useful life has been extended, and the use of an alternate technology and resulting efficiency increases.* | Choose an item. |
| Is the facility seeking certification a hydroelectric generator?  *If yes, provide documentation demonstrating compliance or exemption with all applicable state and federal fish passage requirements.* | Choose an item. |

**Additional Questions**

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| Will this facility serve load “behind the meter”? | Choose an item. |
| Will this facility be participating in Maine’s Net Energy Billing (NEB) Kilowatt-Hour Credit Program? | Choose an item. |
| Will this facility be participating in Maine’s NEB Tariff Rate Program?  *If yes, please contact the interconnecting utility regarding RPS certification. The interconnecting utility will petition for RPS certification on behalf of NEB Tariff Rate Program facilities.* | Choose an item. |
| Will this facility be considered an “assisted project”?  *During its 2022 session, Maine’s Legislature enacted* [*An Act Concerning Equity in Renewable Energy Projects and Workforce Development P.L. 2021, ch 705*](http://www.mainelegislature.org/legis/bills/getPDF.asp?paper=HP1464&item=5&snum=130)*. The Act contains labor requirements for “assisted projects.” Assisted projects include generation projects: that receive certification for Maine’s RPS; are located in Maine; are 2 MW or greater; and for which requests for bids or proposals for site preparation, construction, retrofitting and demolition work were initiated on or after January 1, 2023. Title 26, section 1311 specifies that certain records must be kept and filed with the Maine Public Utilities Commission on a monthly basis.* | Choose an item. |

Use of this application form is not required. Submitted applications must contain all information required by [Chapter 311](http://www.maine.gov/mpuc/legislative/rules/part3-electric.shtml) § 3(C)(2) and be filed electronically into the Commission’s Case Management System (CMS).