## STATE OF VERMONT PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

Case No. 23-2220-RULE

Proceeding to design the potential Clean Heat	
Standard	

## Order entered: 08/29/2024

## **ORDER RE: STATUS OF WORK PLAN**

On April 19, 2024, the Vermont Public Utility Commission ("Commission") issued an Order Communicating Work Plan relative to the development of a draft Clean Heat Standard rule. The Commission identified that it would work on groups of related statutory directives, provide staff straw proposals for specific feedback, and sequence its work in a manner that allows for the logical building of the required rule and other deliverables by January 15, 2025.

Since that time, the Commission staff has issued multiple straw proposals addressing many of the central elements of the rule and received valuable feedback from participants. At this time, the Commission does not intend to issue further straw proposals or other requests for information until the Commission issues its comprehensive draft rule for comment. In the meantime, Commission staff will continue to engage with the advisory groups and consultants as they continue their work. We will communicate procedural next steps when we issue the draft rule, which we anticipate will be in early October.

SO ORDERED.

Dated at Montpelier, Vermont, this	29th day of August, 2024	·
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