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PSC Initiates Process to Review Existing Interconnection and Net Metering Guidelines

FRANKFORT Ky. (Sept. 24) — The Public Service Commission (PSC) is initiating an administrative case to examine updates to interconnection guidelines for distributed energy resources, including net metered systems. The guidelines were established in 2008 and have not been updated since that time. Given changes in technologies and the 2019 revisions to the state's net metering statutes, a thorough examination of the 2008 guidelines is warranted.

To ensure updated guidelines reflect newer technologies and interconnection requirements, the PSC is making all jurisdictional electric utilities parties to the administrative proceeding. The PSC encourages those with a special interest in the interconnection standards applicable to net metering to participate, either by moving for intervention as dictated by statute and regulation, or by filing comments, which may include suggested guidelines. Motions to intervene must be filed by Oct. 30, 2020.

Today's Order and other case records are available at psc.ky.gov. The case number is 2020-00302. The existing guidelines are available [here](#).

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