

To: Senate Finance Committee Members

Date: February 19, 2020

We the undersigned Vermont distribution utility representatives are writing to communicate our support of S. 337 as passed unanimously by the Senate Natural Resources Committee. The bill that is currently being considered by your committee will facilitate important new programs that will help Vermonters address carbon reduction goals in ways that are cost effective, collaborative, and meaningful. The bill as written is a result of extensive discussions that resulted in the satisfaction of the implementing energy utilities. We hope you can move this bill forward and we welcome the opportunity to answer any questions you may have.

Sincerely yours,

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