

VERMONT SYSTEM PLANNING COMMITTEE

July 3, 2013

Mrs. Susan Hudson, Clerk
Vermont Public Service Board
112 State Street
Montpelier, VT 05620

RE: Request for extension of time for recruitment of Alternate
Public Member candidates representing Commercial &
Industrial Customers

Dear Mrs. Hudson:

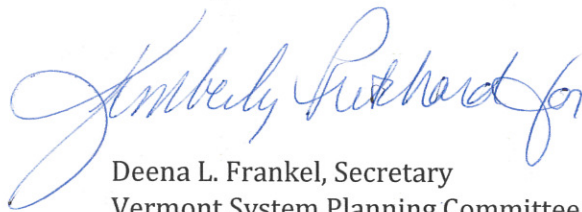
On April 26, 2013, the Public Service Board issued a memo appointing five of the six public members of the Vermont System Planning Committee (VSPC) to five-year terms and providing time for the VSPC to develop greater public interest in serving on the Committee thereby to generate letters of interest in the Alternate Public Member seat representing Commercial & Industrial Customers.

Since the Board's April 26 appointments, the VSPC's Public Participation Subcommittee has met to reorganize, brief its new members and initiate its outreach efforts to the business community to encourage letters of interest to the Board. Direct outreach is underway at this time to a diverse list of statewide business organizations.

In order to maximize the effectiveness of the subcommittee's outreach efforts, the VSPC is requesting that the PSB extend the period during which it will accept letters of interest for the open position for one month to August 16, 2013.

Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Sincerely,



Deena L. Frankel, Secretary
Vermont System Planning Committee