



Fwd: Docket No. 23-R312-01

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Good morning Michael! I hope this message finds you well. We've not yet met, my name is Sarah. I am an associate at Utah Clean Energy and I focus on regulatory issues. I just called, but your voicemail greeting says that the easiest way to contact you is via email. I was calling with a question regarding Docket No. 23-R312-01 that I'm hoping you can help me with.

As you know the PSC opened that Docket with the specific purpose of determining whether it should amend Utah's Interconnection Rule. The PSC issued a [Notice of Virtual Scheduling Conference](#) on Dec 14th. In it, the Commission states it is looking to hold one technical conference and two rounds of comments on this Docket. I'm hoping you can help me clarify the scope and purpose of this technical conference and comment period, and where the PSC understand this puts us in the rulemaking process. This will help us understand what kind of schedule to advocate for during the Scheduling Conference.

Is it the PSC's intention that the technical conference and comments should address **only** the specific question posed in their [Notice and Request for Comments](#), i.e. "whether Rule 746-312 should be updated?" Or is the purpose of the technical conference and comment period to actually draft the amended Rule?

As requested in your voicemail greeting, my phone number is listed in my signature below but feel free to answer here if it is easier. Thank you in advance for your consideration of our questions!

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Thank you for your email Sarah. The intention of the process is to ascertain stakeholder input as to whether the rule should be updated to align with IEEE 1547 and, if so, to amend the rule accordingly. To the extent you seek further clarification, we will have an opportunity to discuss the matter at the scheduling conference on January 4 with all parties present, and the PSC will have an opportunity to provide additional guidance in the scheduling order that follows.

Congratulations on your new position. I look forward to working with you.

Best,

Mike