

HESS CORPORATION

Elective Module For Massachusetts

Alternative Energy Portfolio Standard (APS) GIS Certificates

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This module may be referenced as "HESS MODULE RELEASE 1.1 (January 2009) FOR MA APS GIS CERTIFICATES".

In a Transaction defined by reference to this module means Environmental Attributes with the following characteristics:

- a) Quantity: as identified in the Confirmation;
- b) Vintage(s): as identified in the Confirmation;
- c) Delivery Method: Transfer via Applicable Tracking System
- d) Delivery Deadline: the date specified in the Confirmation or if not specified, the earlier of (i) thirty (30) days prior to the last day Buyer may utilize Attribute Product to comply with the Applicable Program of the Reporting Year applicable to the Transaction, or (ii) the last date and time that the Applicable Tracking System will accept transfer of Attribute Product for purposes of Buyer's compliance with the Applicable Program of the Reporting Year applicable to the Transaction
- e) Applicable Tracking System: NEPOOL GIS (i.e., the New England Power Pool Generation Information System, which includes a generation information database and certificate system, operated by New England Power Pool ("NEPOOL"), NEPOOL's designee or successor, that accounts for the generation attributes of electricity generated within New England)
- f) Applicable Program: MA RPS (i.e., the Renewable Energy Portfolio Standard set out in section 11f, Chapter 25A of the Massachusetts General Laws and 225 CMR § 1600, as modified, as implemented by the Massachusetts Department of Energy Resources)
- g) Renewable Source: a facility which qualifies as an APS Alternative Generation Unit as described in the MA RPS
- h) Delivery Obligation: Firm
- i) Record Retention: 5 years