

Draft Agenda
Proposed Small Generation Interconnection Rule
South Dakota Public Utilities Commission
March 18-19, 2008
Pierre, South Dakota
Day One
March 18, 2008

Topic		Presenter
8:30-9:00	Welcome & Opening Remarks Introductions Commission Goals Rulemaking and Jurisdictional Review Overview of Process	Chairman Gary W. Hanson Kara Semmler Wayne Shirley
9:00-9:30	Introduction to Small Generation Interconnection: Technical Issues and Process Issues	Wayne Shirley, RAP
9:30-10:30	IEEE 1547 Technical Standard Review	Tom Basso and Michael Coddington, (NREL)
10:30-10:45	Break	
10:45-11:45	Utility-Interconnected Photovoltaic Systems: Evaluating the Rationale for the Utility-Accessible External Disconnect Switch	Michael Coddington
11:45-1:15	Lunch Break	On Your Own
1:15-2:45	Facilitated Discussion of Participants' Technical Interconnection Issues External Disconnect Switch Draw-out Disconnect Device Line Drawings, Diagrams and Illustrations Islanding/Disconnection Metering Synchronized Operation Applicability of IEEE 1547, 1547.1, 1547.2 Standards for Units >10MW Utility obligation to purchase output Regulation of Small Producer Reliability Issues Other	Group Discussion
2:45-3:00	Break	
3:00-3:45	Technical Issue Discussion - Continued	
3:00-4:30	Technical Interconnection: Identification of Areas of Agreement and Course of Action for Issues Remaining	Facilitated Group Discussion

Day Two
March 19, 2008

Topic		Presenter
8:30-9:00	Un-resolved Issues from Previous Day	Wayne Shirley
9:00-10:30	Best Practice Issues: Process in other Great Plains States Other?	Brad Klein
10:30-10:45	Break	
10:45-11:45	Review of “Standard Small Generator Rule” Straw Man: Differences Between Oregon rule and Straw Man Proposal Overview of Application Procedures Jurisdiction and Scope General Provisions Fast Track provisions – Levels 1-3	Wayne Shirley
11:45-1:15	Lunch Break	On Your Own
1:15-2:00	Review of Standard Small Generator Rule” Straw Man Other Issues: Insurance Liability and Indemnity Operational Rules Testing and Maintenance Related Forms, Contracts and Appendices	Wayne Shirley
2:00-2:45	Facilitated Discussion of Participants’ Issues (all except Technical Interconnection Issues) Jurisdiction, Applicability and Scope Tier Structure Fees & Cost Recovery Liability, Indemnity, Insurance & Contract Terms Timelines Recordkeeping & Reporting Uniformity with other States Wind Issues	Group Discussion
2:45-3:00	Break	
3:00-3:45	Discussion of Participants’ Issues - Continued	
3:45-4:15	Identification of Areas of Agreement and Course of Action for Issues Remaining	Group Discussion
4:15- 4:30	Recap of Discussions and Issues; Schedule: Next meeting	Wayne Shirley Nathan Solem