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I. NH Statutes that address energy policy, particularly with regard to energy efficiency and sustainable energy:

1. “New Hampshire Energy Policy:” [RSA 378:37](#); see also [RSA 378:38](#) et. seq.
2. Electric Utility Restructuring: Purpose: [RSA 374-F:1](#); Restructuring Policy Principles: [RSA 374-F:3](#), note sections V, VI, VII, IX and X; Implementation regarding system benefits charge: [RSA 374-F:4](#), VII and VII-a.
3. [Chapter 1, Laws of 2010](#) (SB 300) , relative to the system benefits charge
4. Electric Renewable Portfolio Standard: [RSA 362-F](#), note that [RSA 362-F:10](#) concerns the Renewable Energy Fund; also note significant amendments to this statute that just recently became law: [Chapter 254, Laws of 2010](#) (HB1270)
5. Administrative Rules for the Renewable Energy Fund: [Puc 2507](#)
6. Net Metering statute: [RSA 362-A:9](#). Note significant amendments to this statute that just recently became law: [Chapter 143, Laws of 2010](#) (HB 1353)
7. Electric Utility Investment in Distributed Energy Resources: [RSA 374-G](#), note purpose.
8. Greenhouse Gas Emissions Reduction Fund (GHGERF): [RSA 125-O:23](#); note Statement of Purpose and Findings regarding RGGI at [RSA 125-O:19](#)
9. Administrative Rules for GHGERF: [Puc 2600](#)
10. Energy Efficiency and Sustainable Energy Board: [RSA 125-O:5-a](#)
11. Other recently (2010) enacted statutes of relevance:
 - a. [HB 1554](#), allowing municipalities to establish energy efficiency and clean energy districts
 - b. [HB 1377](#) permitting utilities to establish loan programs for renewable energy and energy efficiency projects
 - c. [SB 73](#) and [SB 409](#) regarding energy use in state building and state funded construction and renovation

II. NHPUC Related Orders and Information

12. [Core Filings and Settlement Agreements](#): 2002 through current year (DE 09-170)
 - a. recent NHPUC orders on Core Filings: DE 09-179 [Order 25,062](#) and [Order 25,099](#)
 - b. 2011 Core Filing, [DE 10-188](#)
13. [Gas Energy Efficiency Utility Filings](#): 2002 through current
 - a. NHPUC orders on Gas Filings (utility specific) [can the most recent be hyper-linked?]
14. [New Hampshire Energy Efficiency Working Group Report \(Raab Report\)](#)
15. [NHPUC Order on the Raab Report](#)
16. [The GDS study, “Additional Opportunities for Energy Efficiency in New Hampshire – Final Report”](#)
17. [PSNH Least-Cost Integrated Resource Plan](#) – last filing (from 2007)
18. NHPUC order on PSNH LCIRP, [DE 07-108, Order No. 24,945](#)
19. [NHPUC Order in DE 07-064](#) – Investigation into Alternative Rate Mechanisms for Energy Efficiency
20. [Greenhouse Gas Emissions Reduction Fund, 2009 Annual Report](#)
21. [Electric Renewable Portfolio Standard, 2009 Annual Report](#)
22. [Sustainable Energy Division](#)
23. [Electric Division](#), (note various additional reports in the yellow sidebar)
24. [Energy Efficiency and Sustainable Energy Board](#), administratively attached to PUC

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III. Other state agency related information:

25. Climate change efforts in NH: www.nh.gov/climate/index.html
26. NH Dept. of Environment Services, Air Resources Division, Climate Change Program:
<http://des.nh.gov/organization/divisions/air/tsb/tps/climate>
27. [Climate Action Plan Executive Summary and Plan](#)
28. [Climate Action Plan Annual Review of Progress 2010](#) – Executive Summary
29. [New Hampshire Energy Plan \(November 2002\)](#)
30. NH 25 by 25 plan: http://www.nh.gov/oep/programs/25_x_25/development.htm
31. OEP Stimulus Programs
 - a. [State Energy Programs](#)
 - b. [EECBG](#)
 - c. [Weatherization](#)
 - d. [Appliance Rebate](#)
32. [Better Buildings](#) Press Release (more to come)
33. NH Business Resource Center (Dept. of Resources and Economic Development or “DRED”):
www.nheconomy.com/business-services/energy-efficiency-programs.aspx
34. [EESE Board Goals](#)
35. [EESE Board - Draft Work Plan.pdf](#) (11/09)
36. [Goals Work Group - Update](#)n (1/10)