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Question:

CGB Interrog. Resp. CAE-7. Comment on the data quality errors identified by CGB during its review of distributed energy resource management system (DERMS) data submissions. Identify the actions the EDCs are taking to reduce these data quality errors. Also comment on whether the data quality issues identified by CGB affect the accuracy of the EDCs' performance incentive payment calculations.

Response:

Eversource has found there are different maturity levels of the battery original equipment manufacturers ("OEMs") that participate in the Energy Storage Solutions ("ESS") program. As a demand response program administrator across Connecticut, Massachusetts, and New Hampshire, Eversource has identified and addressed the same data quality errors that the Green Bank pointed in its response to CAE-7.

Eversource reviews performance data and payment calculations to verify performance incentive payment calculations are accurate and continues to work with program vendors and OEMs to improve the data timeliness, completeness and accuracy for participating batteries.

Please see Eversource's response to CAE-008 filed on July 9, 2026 in this docket for a detailed discussion of the robust data quality assurance/quality control ("QA/QC") process that Eversource has developed for performance data review and incentive payment approval.