

STATE OF VERMONT  
PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

Case No. 20-0703-PET

Vermont Legal Aid request for moratorium on utility and telecommunications shutoffs during State of Emergency	
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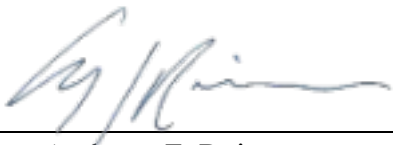
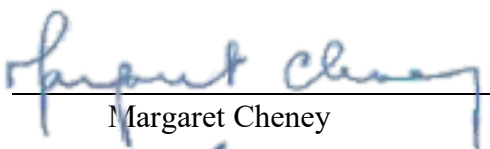
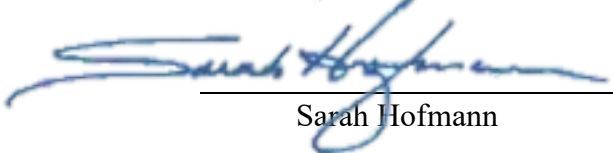
**ORDER REQUESTING COMMENTS ON THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SERVICE’S MOTION TO  
EXTEND THE TEMPORARY MORATORIUM ON INVOLUNTARY UTILITY SERVICE  
DISCONNECTIONS TO SEPTEMBER 30, 2020**

This proceeding concerns a petition from Vermont Legal Aid to the Vermont Public Utility Commission (“Commission”) requesting the halt of involuntary utility disconnections during the current state of emergency in Vermont because of the COVID-19 pandemic. In earlier orders, the Commission granted Vermont Legal Aid’s request and put in place a temporary moratorium on involuntary utility disconnections. Under those previous orders, the temporary moratorium is currently set to expire on July 31, 2020.

Earlier today, the Department of Public Service filed a motion to extend the temporary moratorium on involuntary utility disconnections until September 30, 2020. We ask that any comments on this proposed extension, including any objections and any requests for a hearing or for any other process, **be filed no later than July 27, 2020.**


**SO ORDERED.**

Dated at Montpelier, Vermont, this 22nd day of July, 2020.

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Margaret Cheney	)	COMMISSION
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