VIRGINIA’S RENEWABLE ELECTRICITY POLICY PRIORITIES AND ACTIONS

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• Make Virginia a leader in energy efficiency to reduce consumption and spur economic growth
  ○ Reduce retail consumption by 10% by 2020
  ○ Reduce state government consumption by 15% by 2017
Onshore Wind: 80MW project in Botetourt County

Offshore Wind: 12MW test project
- Signed research lease agreement with BOEM
- Dominion working with partners to lower costs
- Governor committed to making this project a success— pursue additional federal and state funding opportunities to bend cost curve
2015 Legislative Successes

- Virginia Solar Energy Development Authority
- 500 MW of Utility Scale Solar in Public Interest
- Double caps on net metering—500 MW to 1 MW
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2015 Legislative Successes

- Expanded commercial PACE program
  - Funding mechanism for multi-family distributed generation and energy efficiency
- Energy Efficiency programs easier to get approved by State Corporation Commission
Governor’s Executive Committee on Energy Efficiency
- Announced May 2015
- Strategies to meet 10% retail reduction goal

Reducing Energy Consumption in State Government Executive Order
- Announced October 2014
- Chief Energy Efficiency Officer
- Promote Energy Performance Contracting in state and local government facilities