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New Report from the Clean Energy States Alliance Details Potential Markets for Renewable Energy Generators

Montpelier, VT — Today the Clean Energy States Alliance (CESA) released a new report titled **Potential RPS Markets for Renewable Energy Generators.** The report, written by Ed Holt of Ed Holt & Associates, provides information regarding where a renewable energy generator in a particular state or Canadian province can possibly sell its renewable energy certificates in order to meet the demand created by a renewable portfolio standard (RPS).

The report, which was made possible by funding from the U.S. Department of Energy and the Energy Foundation and is a product of CESA's State-Federal RPS Collaborative, contains data that has never been previously compiled for the entire country. A user-friendly component has been added to this report in the form of an interactive online map, where users can select a state or province and see a list of potential RPS markets.

"This will be a valuable resource for project developers, state RPS administrators, and other people interested in renewable energy markets," noted CESA Executive Director Warren Leon.

The full report and the interactive map are available for free on CESA's website: http://www.cleanenergystates.org/projects/state-federal-rps-collaborative/potential-rps-markets-for-renewable-energy-generators/

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About the Clean Energy States Alliance: The Clean Energy States Alliance (CESA) is a national nonprofit organization dedicated to advancing state and local efforts to implement smart clean energy policies, programs, technology innovation, and financing tools. CESA works with the leading state clean energy programs and provides information sharing and technical assistance to states and local governments on "best in class" clean energy programs and policies. CESA also facilitates collaborative networks to coordinate efforts between states, federal agencies, and other stakeholders. For more information, visit www.cleanenergystates.org.

About the State-Federal RPS Collaborative: The Collaborative provides a forum for the exchange of experiences and lessons learned regarding the implementation of state renewable portfolio standard (RPS) policies. It gives participants an opportunity to learn about and discuss the factors that impact the realization of RPS targets, and offers technical assistance to states in the process of implementing an RPS, as well as those that are considering passing RPS legislation. The Collaborative is managed by CESA with funding from the U.S. Department of Energy and the Energy Foundation. For more information, visit http://www.cleanenergystates.org/projects/state-federal-rps-collaborative.