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NORTH AMERICAN Renewables Registry™

Trusted Infrastructure for Renewable Energy Compliance Markets

The North American Renewables Registry™ provides renewable energy certificate (REC) origination for states and facilities not covered by existing renewable energy market systems. States, provinces, regions, and facilities now have a registry service available to originate, track, transfer, and retire RECs. APX market infrastructure solutions provide complete coverage across North American voluntary and compliance markets for renewable energy.

Why the North American Renewables Registry?

For states that are considering a REC tracking and management mechanism, the North American Renewables Registry tracks renewable energy generation and enables compliance with mandatory state and provincial renewable portfolio standards (RPS) and objectives. With the North American Renewables Registry, all participants in the renewable energy markets - regardless of location - are now able to take advantage of a trusted infrastructure to help manage their role in the market. The Registry creates a REC for every MWh of renewable energy produced and manages the complete life cycle of each REC from issuance to retirement. It can also be expanded to track energy efficiency certificates as part of a state program.



Benefits Include:

- Provides easy to use, cost-effective, Web-based system
- Ensures highest levels of transparency, quality, security, accountability and protection against double counting
- Delivers full documentation, public reports & detailed audit trails for oversight
- Extends to meet specific state requirements
- Drives continued growth of clean energy generation and usage
- Offers proven, rapid client service and support

Regulators: The Registry enables government agencies and regulators to verify compliance with RPS, Environmental Portfolio Standard (EPS), and state purchase requirements. The complete audit trail ensures oversight capabilities. Additionally, the system provides data for environmental disclosure labels and allows for verification of green product claims.

Utilities: Utilities use the Registry for RPS reporting and compliance that also provides administrative and cost efficiencies. The Registry offers unbiased third-party verification and ensures data confidentiality.

Clean Generators: The Registry provides generators with the ability to capture environmental value for clean generation. It creates a platform that places a dollar value on environmental benefits and allows clean and green generators to access an additional revenue stream or “green” premium.

Retailers and Brokers: The use of Registry services can enhance the level of visibility, integrity, trust, and quality perception for clients, while at the same time reducing the cost of manual and paper processes to track RECs and related documents.

Proven, Trusted Market Infrastructure

The North American Renewables Registry is powered by the most widely used, highest volume, and technically advanced environmental market infrastructure that has been developed over nearly a decade. With more than 2 billion certificates under management, APX market infrastructure sets the standard for ensuring integrity in environmental markets. As an independent and trusted provider of infrastructure solutions, APX is fully committed to the highest market transparency and a level playing field for all market participants and stakeholders. We do not make markets or take principal positions in environmental transactions, and are not a bank, brokerage or marketer.

APX Regional Market Solutions

Advanced technology enables APX to support renewable energy markets across the US including:

Midwest (M-RETS): M-RETS tracks renewable generation located within the state and provincial boundaries of Illinois, Iowa, Manitoba, Minnesota, Montana, North Dakota, South Dakota, and Wisconsin.

New England (NEPOOL GIS): The NEPOOL GIS issues and tracks certificates for each MWh of generation produced in the ISO New England control area, including imports from neighboring control areas, and all load served.

Mid-Atlantic (PJM GATS): PJM, which spans all or parts of 13 states uses a centralized registry and accounting system or Generation Attribute Tracking System (GATS) that enables renewable electricity markets and information disclosure of generation attributes including environmental, emissions, and fuel attributes.

Western States (WREGIS): WREGIS is the accounting and tracking system designed to issue, register and track RECs to verify compliance with regulatory requirements and participation in voluntary market programs throughout the western United States.

Texas (Texas REC): The Texas REC system enables electricity retailers from any area of the state to seek out the lowest cost renewable resources without having to take physical delivery of the associated electricity.

Look to the Leader

APX Inc. is the leading infrastructure provider for environmental and energy markets in renewable energy and greenhouse gases including renewable energy certificates (RECs), energy efficiency and conservation certificates, carbon offset certificates such as voluntary emissions reductions (VERs), and greenhouse gas emission allowances. With a singular focus on providing trust, transparency, and integrity for environmental markets, the company is the solution of choice for every major renewable energy market in North America and greenhouse gas markets worldwide. In 2009, more than 1300 corporations across the US and internationally will rely on APX for integrity in environmental markets. APX has major office locations in New York, Washington, DC and California.

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