The Path to 100 Act – Keeping Illinois’ Clean Energy Jobs Promise

The Promise:

- Governor Pritzker committed Illinois to achieve 100% clean and renewable energy
- State must generate 25% renewable energy by 2025 thanks to existing policy - such as Future Energy Jobs Act (FEJA) and Illinois’ Renewable Portfolios Standard (RPS)
- Exceptionally high consumer/ business demand for clean energy solutions
- Increased job opportunities in Illinois’ growing clean energy industry

The Shortfall:

- Without additional resources, Illinois will not be able to satisfy existing policy mandates, let along the ambitious goal of generating 100% from renewable energy
- Existing policy requires 16% renewable energy by 2020 and 25% by 2025, but Illinois will only reach approximately 7% in 2020

The Path to 100:

- Expands Illinois’ Renewable Portfolio Standard (RPS) to 40% by 2030 and requires that goal be met by new, in-state projects that create Illinois jobs
- Drives procurement of an estimated 6,000 MW of new utility scale solar, 6,500 MW of new wind, 7,500 MW of new residential, commercial and community solar
- Creates thousands of new, family-supporting clean energy jobs
- Facilitates and amplifies successful programs encouraging a diverse & equitable workforce
- Builds on success of the Future Energy Jobs Act (FEJA) by:
  - Removing technical barriers
  - Improving interconnection process
  - Stabilizing transition from net metering to rooftop solar rebates
  - Clarifying value for community solar
  - Enhancing contract certainty for utility-scale wind and solar
  - Identifying opportunities to pair energy storage with renewable development

Estimated Jobs and Economic Impact:

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<th>Project Type</th>
<th>Bill Savings for End Users</th>
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