

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts**  
**Executive Office of Energy and Environmental Affairs**  
**DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY RESOURCES**  
**Renewable Energy Portfolio Standard - Class II**

**Final Determination of CY 2018 Minimum Standard**  
*(per 225 CMR 15.07(1)(b))*  
**8/30/2016**

**Formula per 225 CMR 15.07(1)(b)**

**Minimum Standard<sub>CY</sub> =**

**Minimum Standard<sub>CY-1</sub> + (Settled Attributes<sub>CY-3</sub> / Total Electrical Energy Sales<sub>CY-3</sub>) - (Settled Attributes<sub>CY-4</sub> / Total Electrical Energy Sales<sub>CY-4</sub>)**

Term in Formula	CY 2017 Min Std Term	Value (MWh)	Source
Minimum Standard <sub>CY-1</sub>	Minimum Standard <sub>2017</sub>	2.5902%	per regulation; 225 CMR 14.07(1)(a)
Settled Attributes <sub>CY-3</sub>	Settled Attributes <sub>2015</sub>	537,234	2015 Compliance Filings (see 2015 RPS Annual Compliance Report, forthcoming)
Total Electrical Energy Sales <sub>CY-3</sub>	Total Retail Load <sub>2015</sub>	48,009,721	NEPOOL GIS (see 2015 RPS Annual Compliance Report, forthcoming)
Settled Attributes <sub>CY-4</sub>	Settled Attributes <sub>2014</sub>	526,415	2014 RPS/APS Annual Compliance Report
Total Electrical Energy Sales <sub>CY-4</sub>	Total Retail Load <sub>2014</sub>	48,129,294	2014 RPS/APS Annual Compliance Report

Calculations	CY 2017 Min Std Term	Value	Source
Minimum Standard <sub>CY</sub>	Minimum Standard <sub>2017</sub>	2.6155%	per formula above and regulation; 225 CMR 15.07(1)(b)

**Formula Results**

**Minimum Standard<sub>2017</sub>**

**2.6155% = 2.5902% + (537,234/48,009,721) - (526,415/48,129,294)**