

**MARYLAND STATE DEPARTMENT OF  
ASSESSMENTS AND TAXATION**

Public Utilities Section  
301 West Preston Street, Room 801 • Baltimore, Maryland 21201  
(410) 767-1940

**FORM 17G  
2021 ELECTRIC GENERATION PROPERTY RETURN**

**For non-utility entities**

File this report at address listed above by **April 15, 2021**  
**Attach the \$300 Annual Report Filing Fee**

**SECTION I**

1. Department ID Number: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Name: \_\_\_\_\_
3. Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ **Check if new address**
4. Email address: \_\_\_\_\_
5. Place where principal business in the State is transacted: \_\_\_\_\_
6. State and Date of Incorporation or Formation: \_\_\_\_\_
7. Names & Addresses of Officers:

**OFFICERS**

_____ President	_____ Secretary
_____ Vice-President	_____ Treasurer

8. Names of Directors:

**DIRECTORS**

_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

**\*Required information for certain corporations, MD Code, Tax Property Article §11-101 –  
Please see instructions on the next page.**

**\*Total number of directors** \_\_\_\_\_ **\*Total number of female directors** \_\_\_\_\_

## REMINDERS FOR 2021

Regulatory reports including SEC 10-K; Annual Reports to Stockholders; FERC 1, 2, and 6; FCC 499A; and R-1 forms may be submitted electronically in **PDF format** to [sdat.utilitytax@maryland.gov](mailto:sdat.utilitytax@maryland.gov). **Electronic reports MUST be in PDF format.** Links to urls are **NOT** acceptable.

**Always include the complete name of the entity and Maryland ID number in the subject line of the email.**

☐ Check this box if Regulatory reports are filed electronically.

**\*Report total number of Directors and total number of female Directors on page 1.**

Due to the passage of Chapter 513 during the 2019 General Assembly Session, a new request for data has been included on the 2020 Form 17G. The Total number of Directors, Total number of Female Directors only applies to tax exempt, domestic non-stock corporations with an operating budget exceeding \$5,000,000; or domestic stock corporations with total sales exceeding \$5,000,000. If one of the former applies to the corporation, these questions must be completed unless 75% of the corporation's shareholders are family members. This question is required by law, Tax Property Article §11-101.

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### 2021 ELECTRIC GENERATION PROPERTY RETURN EXTENSION

Extensions may be filed and verified using our website at [www.dat.maryland.gov](http://www.dat.maryland.gov). This option is operational for extension requests 24 hours per day beginning December 2020 through April 15, 2021. It offers Department ID lookup, extension verification, and confirmation number. Our office is no longer accepting extensions requested via paper documents.

To request an extension, go to <http://pprextensions.dat.maryland.gov/> and click on the extension application link. You will receive a confirmation number as proof of your submission. Always print and keep a copy of the confirmation page. Extensions are granted for 60 days. Returns must be filed by June 15, 2021. Please file early to avoid possible delays due to the heavy usage of the system which occurs in the last week prior to April 15.

The direct link to previous years' Public Utility Forms:  
<https://dat.maryland.gov/businesses/Pages/franchise-and-public-utilities.aspx>

## SECTION II

1. Provide the following information for each electric generation site operated in Maryland. If the return includes more than one operating site, provide separate information for each site.

a) Name of site: \_\_\_\_\_

b) County of operation: \_\_\_\_\_

c) Rated generation capacity: \_\_\_\_\_

d) Total kilowatts of electricity generated in 2020: \_\_\_\_\_

e) Year initial service began: \_\_\_\_\_

f) Date acquired: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Does the company or its parent file an Annual Report to Stockholders or SEC Form 10K?

☐ Yes ☐ No

**If an Annual Report to Stockholders is filed, a copy of the company's or its parent's 12/31/20 Annual Report to Stockholders or Form 10K must be submitted with this return.**

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Does the company have a payment in lieu of tax agreement (PILOT) with the governing body of a County or municipality, as provided in Tax Property **§7-514**?

If yes, provide the approval date and order number \_\_\_\_\_

Is the company a Community Solar projected approved by the Maryland Public Service Commission?

If yes, provide the CSEGS Identification number \_\_\_\_\_

### SECTION III

Complete the following income and expense statement for January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2020. If the company's records are kept on a fiscal year basis different from the calendar year, provide the information for the fiscal year and indicate the time period.

	Within Maryland	Total
<b>Revenues:</b>		
Electricity Sales		
Capacity Revenue		
Ancillary Services Revenue		
Other Operating Revenues*		
<b>Total Revenue</b>		
<b>Operating Expenses:</b>		
Fuel		
Maintenance Expenses		
Depreciation and Amortization		
Salaries & Wages		
Other Operating Expenses**		
<b>Total Operating Expenses</b>		
<b>Operating Income</b>		
<b>Non-Operating Items</b>		
Interest Expense		
Interest Income		
Other Income		
<b>Income before income taxes</b>		
<b>Income Taxes</b>		
<b>Net Income</b>		

\*Other operating Revenues should include uplift payments.

\*\*Please provide an explanation for any amounts reported in other operating expenses.

## SECTION IV

1. State the original cost of the company's Maryland property, plant and equipment by category and year of acquisition. Provide this information on Form 17G-1. All property owned by the company and located within the State of Maryland on January 1, 2021, must be reported. Property must be reported at original cost in the year of acquisition without deduction of depreciation, investment tax credit, or trade-in of previously owned property. Property not in use and all fully depreciated and expensed property must be reported.
2. Each generation site should be reported on a separate Form 17G-1. A list of all counties and incorporated towns in Maryland is provided. Please report the jurisdiction(s) in which the property is located.
3. Please complete the balance sheet provided on Form 17G-2. The balance sheet should reflect a beginning period of January 1, 2020 and ending period of December 31, 2020. Total columns may be omitted if all assets are located in Maryland.
4. Complete Form 17G-3, Depreciation Schedule of Property in Maryland on January 1, 2021. The total amounts reported on Line 9 must match the original cost and net book values reported on Form 17G-2, Balance Sheet, for property located in Maryland.
5. During 2020, did the company transfer or dispose of any property located in Maryland?  
☐ Yes   ☐ No

***If Maryland property was transferred or disposed of, Form 17G-4 must be completed. The total must match the total reported original cost on Form 17G-3.***

6. Most computer software and related documentation is now exempt. Embedded software residing permanently in the internal memory of a computer system and computer software sold from inventory in a tangible medium ready to use as is remains taxable. All other software is exempt. A business may not reduce the original cost of computer hardware by the value of software that is acquired as part of computer hardware. [Tax Property 7-238 (d)]
7. Personal property that is machinery or equipment used to generate electricity for sale is subject to county or municipal property tax on 50% of its value for the taxable year beginning July 1, 2001. Please report this property at original cost, and the Department will calculate the exemption.

8. Does the company have any personal property located in Maryland which is owned by others and held by the company as lessee or otherwise?

☐ Yes ☐ No

***If yes, complete the following information for all leased property.***

Description of Leased Property: \_\_\_\_\_

Lessor: \_\_\_\_\_

Original Cost: \_\_\_\_\_

Year of Acquisition: \_\_\_\_\_

Lease Term: \_\_\_\_\_

Unexpired Lease Term: \_\_\_\_\_

Lease Payment: \_\_\_\_\_

Location of Leased Property: \_\_\_\_\_

9. Does the company own any fully depreciated or expensed property in Maryland?  
☐ Yes ☐ No

If so, is the property reported on the return?

☐ Yes ☐ No

10. Except as otherwise provided by Tax Property Article 7-239, a partial exemption equal to 95 percent of the assessment of the property applies to property placed in service as part of a certified coal pollution control facility or a coal waste disposal power project and for which all necessary permits, including a certificate of public convenience and necessity, are issued after January 1, 1997.

**If a certified coal pollution facility engages in the replacement, repair, or retrofit of equipment that was subject to the property tax on or before December 31, 1996, the partial exemption is reduced by the replacement value of existing equipment that is replaced, repaired, or retrofitted.**

## SECTION V

### IMPORTANT REMINDERS

- A Maryland annual property return must be filed by all companies that are incorporated, qualified, or registered to do business in the State of Maryland. The return must be filed even if the company owns no property in the state or has not conducted business during the year.
- The due date for filing the return is April 15. Extensions of the filing deadline of up to 60 days may be granted. The only way to request an extension is via the website as explained on the Extension Request Form included at the beginning of the Form 17G. All companies which receive an extension must file a completed return by the extension expiration date. All returns should be mailed to:

**State Department of Assessments & Taxation  
Public Utility Section  
301 W. Preston Street, 8<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Baltimore, Maryland 21201-2395**

- All items on the return must be completed. If a question is not applicable, please state that fact. The information provided in this return, excluding page 1, is held confidential by the Department and is not available for public inspection. Page 1 is public record. (Tax-Property Article 2-212).
- The annual report filing fee is now \$300 for most legal entities. Please be sure to enclose the correct fee with the Form 17G.

**Make the check for the filing fee payable to:  
State Department of Assessments and Taxation  
(Please put the Maryland Department ID number on the check)**

- For assistance in preparing the return, call 410-767-1940.

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**Name and phone number of person to contact regarding the return**

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**Email Address of person to contact regarding the return**

**I declare under the penalties of perjury, pursuant to Tax-Property Article 1-201 of the Annotated Code of Maryland, that this return, including any accompanying schedules and statements, has been examined by me and to the best of my knowledge and belief is a true, correct and complete return.**

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**Printed Name of Officer or Principal**

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**Signature of Officer or Principal**

**Date**

***The return must be signed by an officer of the company.***

**Company Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Generation Plant Location** \_\_\_\_\_

Report original cost by year of acquisition.

Category	ASSET DESCRIPTION	CWIP	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013
G	Long-lived electric generation machinery and equipment *									
A	Other electric generation machinery and equipment *									
A	Switchyard equipment									
A	Furniture and fixtures									
B	Mainframe computers over \$500,000.									
C	Unlicensed motor vehicles									
D	Data processing equipment and canned software									
A	Other property not specifically listed									
	Total									

#### DEPRECIATION RATE CHART FOR 2020 RETURN

##### Category A 10% per year

Other generation machinery and equipment, furniture and fixtures, and other personal property not specifically listed.

##### Category B&C 20% per year

Mainframe computer over \$500,000, unlicensed motor vehicles, contractor's heavy equipment, fax machines, mobile telephones, photocopying equipment, rental pagers.

##### Category D 30% per year

Data processing equipment, canned software.

##### Category G 3.3% per year

Turbines, generators and long-lived generation equipment.

All property is subject to a minimum assessment of 25% of the original cost, with the exception of category D which is subject to a minimum of 10% of the original cost. CWIP should be reported according to its intended future classification.

- Machinery and equipment used to generate electricity is 50% taxable (50% exempt). All property, including property that qualifies for the exemption must be reported at total original cost. The exemption will be calculated by the Department. (Tax Property 7-237)

**Property of certified coal pollution control facilities (TP-7-239) for which a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity is issued after January 1, 1997 must be separately reported at original cost by year of acquisition. If the certified pollution control facility is a replacement, retrofit, or repair of equipment that was subject to tax on or before December 31, 1996, the cost by year of acquisition of that property must be separately identified and reported.**



**Company Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Generation Plant Location** \_\_\_\_\_

Report original cost by year of acquisition .

Category	ASSET DESCRIPTION	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
G	Long-lived electric generation machinery and equipment *								

Category	ASSET DESCRIPTION	2004	2003	2002	2001	2000	1999	1998	1997 & prior
G	Long-lived electric generation machinery and equipment *								

**DEPRECIATION RATE CHART FOR 2020 RETURN (continued)**

Category G 3.3% per year

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- Machinery and equipment used to generate electricity is 50% taxable (50% exempt). All property, including property that qualifies for the exemption must be reported at total original cost. The exemption will be calculated by the Department. (Tax Property 7-237)

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**Company Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Beginning of Period** \_\_\_\_\_ **End of Period** \_\_\_\_\_

	<b>Within Maryland</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Within Maryland</b>	<b>Total</b>
<b>ASSETS</b>				
<b>CURRENT ASSETS</b>				
Cash				
Marketable Securities				
Accounts Receivable				
Inventory				
Other Current Assets				
<b>PROPERTY, PLANT &amp; EQUIPMENT</b>				
Land				
Buildings				
Leasehold Improvements				
Equipment				
Accumulated Depreciation				
Net Property, Plant & Equipment				
<b>INTANGIBLE AND OTHER ASSETS</b>				
Intangible (Net)				
Other (detail)				
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>				
<b>LIABILITIES &amp; EQUITY</b>				
<b>CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>				
Accounts Payable				
Other Current Liabilities				
<b>LONG TERM LIABILITIES &amp; EQUITY</b>				
Mortgage, Notes, Bonds Payable				
Other Long Term Liabilities				
Capital Stock				
Paid In or Capital Surplus				
Retained Earnings				
Other				
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES &amp; EQUITY</b>				

## DEPRECIATION SCHEDULE OF PROPERTY IN MARYLAND AS OF JANUARY 1, 2021

	Original Cost	Depreciation This Year	Accumulated Depreciation	Book Value
1. Land				
2. Buildings				
3. Leasehold Improvements				
4. Transportation Equipment (licensed) (A)				
5. Transportation Equipment (not licensed)				
6. Furniture & Fixtures				
7. Machinery & Equipment				
8. Other (Specify)				
9. TOTAL				
10. Expensed Property (Not Reported on Depreciation Schedule) (B)				

A. Vehicles with dealer plates, special equipment plates, or wrecker plates are to be reported on line 5.

B. Include all property expensed under IRS Section 179 and other expensed property located in Maryland not reported on the depreciation schedule.

**Company Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

## MARYLAND PROPERTY DISPOSAL AND TRANSFER RECONCILIATION

*This form must be completed if question 5 of Section IV was answered yes.*

	Balance 1/1/20	Transfers in During 2020	2020 Acquisitions	Transfers out & Disposals	Balance 1/1/2021
Land					
Buildings					
Leasehold Improvements					
Transportation Equipment (Licensed)					
Transportation Equipment (not licensed)					
Furniture & Fixtures					
Machinery & Equipment					
Other (Specify)					
<b>TOTAL</b>					

If transfers or disposals made in 2020 exceed \$500,000 or 50% of the total property reported as of 1/1/19 complete the information below.

Date of disposal \_\_\_\_\_

Manner of disposal? \_\_\_\_\_ (sale, junked, sold or removed)

Name of buyer (if sold) \_\_\_\_\_

## MARYLAND COUNTIES & INCORPORATED TOWNS

The following is a list of counties and incorporated towns in Maryland. If a company owns property in any of these locations, the property should be reported on Form 17G-1, as outlined in Section IV, 2.

<b>ALLEGANY</b> Barton Cumberland Frostburg Lonaconing Luke Midland Westernport	<b>CECIL</b> Cecilton Charlestown Chesapeake City Elkton North East Perryville Port Deposit Rising Sun	<b>GARRETT</b> Accident Deer Park Friendsville Grantsville Kitzmiller Loch Lynn Heights Mountain Lake Park Oakland	<b>PRINCE GEORGE'S</b> Berwyn Heights Bladensburg Bowie Brentwood Capitol Heights Cheverly College Park Colmar Manor Cottage City District Heights Eagle Harbor Edmonston Fairmount Heights Forest Heights Glenarden Greenbelt Hyattsville Landover Hills Laurel Morningside Mt. Rainer New Carrollton North Brentwood Riverdale Seat Pleasant University Park Upper Marlboro	<b>TALBOT</b> Easton Oxford Queen Anne St. Michael's Trappe
<b>ANNE ARUNDEL</b> Annapolis Highland Beach	<b>CHARLES</b> Indian Head LaPlata Port Tobacco	<b>HARFORD</b> Aberdeen Bel Air Havre de Grace	<b>WASHINGTON</b> Boonsboro Clearspring Funkstown Hagerstown Hancock Keedysville Sharpsburg Smithsburg Williamsport	
<b>BALTIMORE CITY</b>	<b>DORCHESTER</b> Brookview Cambridge Church Creek East New Market Eldorado Galestown Hurlock Secretary Vienna	<b>HOWARD</b>		
<b>BALTIMORE CO</b>		<b>KENT</b> Betterton Chestertown Galena Millington Rock Hall	<b>WICOMICO</b> Delmar Fruitland Hebron MardelaSpring Pittsville Salisbury Sharptown Willards	
<b>CALVERT</b> Chesapeake Beach North Beach		<b>MONTGOMERY</b> Barnesville Brookeville Chevy Chase Sec.3 Chevy Chase Sec.5 Chevy Chase View Chevy Chase Village Gaithersburg Garrett Park Glen Echo Kensington Laytonsville Martin's Addition North Chevy Chase Poolesville Rockville Somerset Takoma Park Town of Chevy Chase Washington Grove	<b>QUEEN ANNE'S</b> Barclay Centreville Church Hill Millington Queen Anne Queenstown Sudlersville Templeville	<b>WORCESTER</b> Berlin Ocean City PocomokeCity Snow Hill
<b>CAROLINE</b> Denton Federalsburg Goldsburg Greensboro Henderson Hillsboro Marydel Preston Ridgely Templeville	<b>FREDERICK</b> Brunswick Burkittsville Emmitsburg Frederick Middletown Mt. Airy Myersville New Market Rosemont Thurmont Walkersville Woodsboro			
<b>CARROLL</b> Hampstead Manchester Mt. Airy New Windsor Sykesville Taneytown Union Bridge Westminster		<b>ST. MARY'S</b> Leonardtown	<b>SOMERSET</b> Crisfield Princess Anne	