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**CONNECTICUT TRANSMISSION MUNICIPAL  
ELECTRIC ENERGY COOPERATIVE**

**TRANSMISSION SYSTEM REVENUE BONDS, 2021 SERIES A BONDS**

**THIRD SUPPLEMENTAL REVENUE BOND RESOLUTION**

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**THIRD SUPPLEMENTAL REVENUE BOND RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING  
TRANSMISSION SYSTEM REVENUE BONDS, 2021 SERIES A**

BE IT RESOLVED by Connecticut Transmission Municipal Electric Energy Cooperative (“TRANSCO”) as follows:

**ARTICLE I**

**DEFINITIONS AND STATUTORY AUTHORITY**

**Section 1.01. Supplemental Resolution.** This resolution is supplemental to, and is adopted in accordance with Article II and Article X of, a resolution adopted by TRANSCO on May 13, 2011, entitled “Transmission System Revenue Bond Resolution” (said Resolution is herein referred to as the “Original Resolution”).

**Section 1.02. Definitions.**

(a) All terms which are defined in Section 101 of said Original Resolution shall have the same meanings, respectively, in this Third Supplemental Revenue Bond Resolution as such terms are given in said Section 101 of the Original Resolution.

(b) In this Third Supplemental Revenue Bond Resolution:

***Book-Entry Bonds*** shall mean the 2021 Series A Bonds registered in the name of the nominee of DTC, or any successor securities depository for such 2021 Series A Bonds, as the registered owner thereof pursuant to the terms and provisions of Section 6.09 hereof.

***Business Day*** shall mean with respect to the 2021 Series A Bonds any day of the year other than (a) a Saturday, (b) a Sunday, (c) any day which shall be a legal holiday or a day on which banking institutions are authorized or required by law or governmental action, including executive order, to be closed in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania or New York, New York, and (d) any day on which the principal or other designated corporate office of the Trustee, the Tender Agent or the Remarketing Agent is required or authorized to close.

***Certificate of Determination*** shall mean a certificate of an authorized Officer of TRANSCO delivered pursuant to Section 2.03 and Section 2.06 of this Third Supplemental Revenue Bond setting forth certain terms and provisions of the 2021 Series A Bonds.

***CMEEC*** shall mean the Connecticut Municipal Electric Energy Cooperative, a public body corporate and politic organized and existing under the Act and its successors and assigns.

***Refunded Bonds*** shall mean all or a portion of the outstanding Transmission System Revenue Bonds, 2012 Series A of TRANSCO.

***2021 Series A Bonds*** shall mean TRANSCO’s Transmission System Revenue Bonds, 2021 Series A, authorized by Section 2.01 of this Third Supplemental Revenue Bond Resolution.

**Section 1.03. Authority for this Third Supplemental Revenue Bond Resolution.** This Third Supplemental Revenue Bond Resolution is adopted pursuant to the provisions of the Act.

## ARTICLE II

### AUTHORIZATION OF 2021 SERIES A BONDS

**Section 2.01. Principal Amount, Designation and Series.** Pursuant to the provisions of the Resolution, a Series of Bonds entitled to the benefit, protection and security of such provisions is hereby authorized in the aggregate principal amount not to exceed \$22,000,000. Such Bonds shall be designated as, and shall be distinguished from the Bonds of all other Series by the title, “Transmission System Revenue Bonds, 2021 Series A.”

**Section 2.02. Purpose.** The purpose for which the 2021 Series A Bonds are issued is to provide funds, together with certain available funds, to effectuate the refunding of the Refunded Bonds and to pay costs of issuance of the 2021 Series A Bonds. The specific Series and maturities within a Series to be refunded by the 2021 Series A Bonds will be set forth in the hereinafter defined Escrow Agreement.

**Section 2.03. Principal Amounts, Date, Maturities, Interest Rates and Other Details of the 2021 Series A Bonds.**

(a) The 2021 Series A Bonds shall be dated the date of delivery, shall mature on January 1 in the years and in the principal amounts, and shall bear interest from their dated date, payable semi-annually on January 1 and July 1 of each year, commencing on January 1, 2022, as shall be set forth in the Certificate of Determination below.

(b) The 2021 Series A Bonds shall have such redemption provisions (including Sinking Fund Installments) if any, as shall be set forth in the Certificate of Determination.

(c) The 2021 Series A Bond are deemed a Series of Bonds secured by the Primary Subaccount.

**Section 2.04. Denomination, Numbers, Letters and Execution.** The 2021 Series A Bonds shall be issued in denominations of \$100,000 or any integral multiple thereof. Unless TRANSCO shall otherwise direct in writing, the 2021 Series A Bonds shall be numbered from one upward in order of maturity, preceded by the letter “R” and such other letter as determined by the Trustee prefixed to the number. Subject to the provisions of the Original Resolution, the form of the 2021 Series A Bonds and the Trustee’s certificate of authentication shall be substantially in the form set forth in Section 1301 of the Original Resolution.

**Section 2.05. Place of Payment and Paying Agent.** The principal and Redemption Price of the 2021 Series A Bonds shall be payable at the designated corporate trust office of Wells Fargo Bank, N.A., currently in Minneapolis, Minnesota. Interest on the 2021 Series A Bonds shall be payable by check or draft of the Trustee mailed to the Holders on the Regular Record Date as shown on the registration books held by the Trustee. The principal and Redemption Price of the 2021 Series A Bonds shall also be payable at any other place which may be provided for such

payment by the appointment of any other Paying Agent or Paying Agents as permitted by the Original Resolution.

**Section 2.06. Parameters.** 1. The following provisions are applicable to the sale and issuance of the 2021 Series A Bonds:

(a) The 2021 Series A Bonds shall be sold to the hereinafter defined Purchaser at an aggregate purchaser's discount or compensation which shall not exceed two-tenths of one percent (0.2%) of the principal amount of the 2021 Series A Bonds.

(b) The final maturity of the 2021 Series A Bonds shall not be later than January 1, 2042.

(c) The aggregate net present value savings for refunding the Refunded Bonds shall not be less than ten percent (10%) of the principal amount of the Refunded Bonds.

(d) The net interest cost on the 2021 Series A Bonds shall not exceed 4.00%.

2. The information set forth in each of the clauses of subsection 1 of this Section 2.06 as well as the principal amount and maturities of the 2021 Series A Bonds shall be set forth in the 2021 Series A Certificate of Determination.

**Section 2.07. Application of Proceeds of 2021 Series A Bonds.** The proceeds of the 2021 Series A Bonds shall be applied simultaneously with the delivery of the 2021 Series A Bonds, as follows:

(i) there shall be transferred to the Trustee, for deposit in the Escrow Account in the Escrow Agreement, an amount, as set forth in the order to the Trustee to authenticate and deliver the 2021 Series A Bonds, which is necessary to provide for redemption of the Refunded Bonds on January 1, 2022; and

(ii) the remaining balance of the proceeds shall be transferred to TRANSCO to be deposited in the 2021 Series A Cost of Issuance Account, which Account is hereby created, and shall be applied to pay the costs of issuance of the 2021 Series A Bonds. Any amounts on deposit in said 2021 Series A Cost of Issuance Account which is not applied by TRANSCO to the payment of the costs of issuance shall be transferred to the Revenue Fund.

**Section 2.08. Tax Covenant Relating to the Internal Revenue Code of 1986.** In order to maintain the exclusion from gross income for Federal income tax purposes of interest on the 2021 Series A Bonds, and for no other purpose, TRANSCO covenants to comply with each applicable requirement of the Code, necessary to maintain such exclusion. In furtherance of the covenant contained in the preceding sentence, TRANSCO agrees to comply with the provisions of the Tax and Nonarbitrage Certificate (the "Tax Certificate"), delivered on the date of initial issuance and delivery of the 2021 Series A Bonds, as such Tax Certificate may be amended from time to time, as a source of guidance for achieving compliance with the Code.

Notwithstanding any other provisions of the Original Resolution to the contrary, upon TRANSCO's failure to observe, or refusal to comply with, the above covenant, neither the Holders of the Bonds of any Series (other than the 2021 Series A Bonds or the Trustee acting on their behalf), nor the Trustee acting on their behalf, shall be entitled to exercise any right or remedy provided to the Bondholders or the Trustee under the Original Resolution based upon TRANSCO's failure to observe, or refusal to comply with, the above covenant.

TRANSCO covenants and agrees that it shall not take any action or omit to take any action, which action or omission, if reasonably expected on the date of initial issuance and delivery of the 2021 Series A Bonds, would cause any of such 2021 Series A Bonds to be "private activity bonds" or "arbitrage bonds" within the meaning of Sections 141(a) and 148, respectively, of the Code.

Notwithstanding any other provisions of this Third Supplemental Revenue Bond Resolution to the contrary, so long as necessary to maintain the exclusion from gross income for Federal income tax purposes of interest on the 2021 Series A Bonds, the covenants contained in this section shall survive the payment of the 2021 Series A Bonds and the interest thereon, including any payment or defeasance thereof pursuant to Section 1201 of the Original Resolution.

**Section 2.09. Application of Amounts in Primary Subaccount.** Pursuant to subsection 6 of Section 508 of the Original Resolution, the Trustee is hereby directed to transfer the amounts in the Primary Subaccount in the Debt Service Reserve Fund created for the Refunded Bonds to the Escrow Fund created under the hereinafter defined Escrow Agreement in the amount set forth in the Escrow Agreement. The amount remaining in the Primary Subaccount, upon the refunding of the Refunded Bonds, shall be deemed for the benefit and security of the 2021 Series A Bonds.

### ARTICLE III

#### SALE OF 2021 SERIES A BONDS

**Section 3.01. Submission of Various Documents.** In connection with the issuance, securing and sale of the 2021 Series A Bonds, there have been prepared and submitted to this meeting:

- (a) the Forward Delivery Bond Purchase Agreement relating to the 2021 Series A Bonds (the "Purchase Contract"), between TRANSCO and Morgan Stanley & Co. LLC (the "Purchaser"), to be dated the date of pricing of the 2021 Series A Bonds;
- (b) the form of Continuing Disclosure Agreement of TRANSCO relating to the 2021 Series A Bonds (the "Continuing Disclosure Agreement"), to be dated the Closing Date provided in the Purchase Contract; and
- (c) the form of the Escrow Deposit Agreement relating to the Refunded Bonds (the "Escrow Agreement"), between TRANSCO and the Trustee, to be dated the date of delivery of the 2021 Series A Bonds.

**Section 3.02. Approval of Purchase Contract.** The 2021 Series A Bonds shall be sold to the Purchaser, on the terms and conditions set forth in the Purchase Contract and at the purchase

price set forth in the Purchase Contract. The Purchase Contract is hereby approved in the form of the Forward Delivery Bond Purchase Agreement relating to CMEEC's Transmission Services Revenue Bonds, 2021 Series A, submitted to this meeting, with such changes thereto as are deemed necessary by General Counsel or Bond counsel; the Chairman, the Treasurer, the Vice-Chairman or the Chief Executive Officer are, and each of them hereby is, authorized on behalf of TRANSCO to execute the Purchase Contract and to deliver it to the Purchaser; and said officers and all other officers of TRANSCO are hereby authorized and directed to carry out or cause to be carried out all obligations of TRANSCO under said Purchase Contract and to take all action contemplated to be taken by TRANSCO pursuant to the terms of said Purchase Contract.

**Section 3.03. Approval of Continuing Disclosure Agreement.** The Continuing Disclosure Agreement is hereby approved in substantially the form submitted to this meeting, with such changes thereto as are deemed necessary by General Counsel or Bond counsel; the Chairman, the Treasurer, the Vice-Chairman or the Chief Executive Officer are, and each of them hereby is, authorized on behalf of TRANSCO to execute the Continuing Disclosure Agreement, and to deliver the Continuing Disclosure Agreement; and said officers and all other officers of TRANSCO are hereby authorized and directed to carry out or cause to be carried out all obligations of TRANSCO under the Continuing Disclosure Agreement, and to take all action contemplated to be taken by TRANSCO pursuant to the terms of the Continuing Disclosure Agreement.

**Section 3.04. Approval of Escrow Agreement.** The Escrow Agreement is hereby approved substantially in the form submitted to this meeting, with such changes thereto as are deemed necessary by General Counsel or Bond counsel; the Chairman, the Treasurer, the Vice-Chairman or the Chief Executive Officer are, and each of them hereby is, authorized on behalf of TRANSCO to execute the Escrow Agreement, and to deliver the Escrow Agreement; and said officers and all other officers of TRANSCO are hereby authorized and directed to carry out or cause to be carried out all obligations of TRANSCO under the Escrow Agreement, and to take all action contemplated to be taken by TRANSCO pursuant to the terms of the Escrow Agreement.

**Section 3.05. Book-Entry Bonds.**

(a) TRANSCO hereby determines that the 2021 Series A Bonds shall be exclusively in "book-entry" form. The Purchaser has informed TRANSCO that the initial owner of the 2021 Series A Bonds shall be Cede & Co., on behalf of DTC, which shall hold one or more immobilized certificates representing the 2021 Series A Bonds or be held by the Trustee in custody for Cede & Co. All transfers of 2021 Series A Bonds shall be effected as set forth in the Original Resolution; provided that TRANSCO understands and agrees that DTC shall establish procedures with its participants for recording and transferring the ownership of beneficial interests in the 2021 Series A Bonds and providing for payment of interest and for auction procedures, as applicable.

(b) For purposes of determining the consents of Holders of the 2021 Series A Bonds under the Original Resolution, the Trustee shall establish a record date for determination of ownership of such Bonds, and shall give to DTC or any successive securities depository at least fifteen (15) calendar days' notice of any record date so established.

(c) TRANSCO may thereafter amend this Third Supplemental Revenue Bond Resolution without notice to or consent of the Holders of the 2021 Series A Bonds in order (i) to offer to Holders the option of receiving 2021 Series A Bonds in certificated form or (ii) to require the execution and delivery of certificates representing a portion or all of the 2021 Series A Bonds, (a) if DTC shall cease to serve as depository and no successor can be found to serve upon terms satisfactory to TRANSCO, or (b) if TRANSCO determines to terminate use of book entry form for the 2021 Series A Bonds. In the event of the occurrence of (i) or (ii) above, if the Trustee is required to issue 2021 Series A Bonds in certificated form then the Trustee shall be furnished with the name, address and social security number or taxpayer identification number, as the case may be, of each Holder of 2021 Series A Bonds so affected. The Trustee may conclusively rely upon such information without any further investigation.

**Section 3.06. Authorization of Other Officers.**

(a) The Chairman, the Treasurer, the Vice-Chairman, the Chief Executive Officer, the Secretary, the Assistant Treasurer, and the Assistant Secretaries are, and each of them hereby is authorized to execute such documents, instruments and papers, to open such bank accounts or custodian accounts, and do such acts and things as may be necessary or advisable in connection with the authorization, sale and issuance of, and security for, the 2021 Series A Bonds.

(b) For the purpose of executing documents, instruments and papers in connection with the issuance of the 2021 Series A Bonds, each of the Chief Financial Officer and General Counsel is hereby appointed an Assistant Secretary.

**Section 3.07. Effective Date.** This Third Supplemental Revenue Bond Resolution shall take effect immediately.



**CERTIFICATE OF ASSISTANT SECRETARY**

I, the undersigned Assistant Secretary of the Connecticut Transmission Municipal Electric Energy Cooperative (“TRANSCO”) HEREBY CERTIFY that the Resolution attached hereto was duly adopted at a meeting of TRANSCO duly called and held on February 27, 2020, and that said Resolution has been compared by me with the original thereof, and it is a correct transcript therefrom, and the whole of said original, and that said Resolution has not been altered, amended or repealed, and is in full force and effect.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and the seal of TRANSCO this \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_.

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Assistant Secretary