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CESA Welcomes New Board Member

Experienced non-profit executive joins Clean Energy States Alliance Board of Directors

Montpelier, VT — The Clean Energy States Alliance is pleased to announce the addition of a new board member, Bentham Paulos. “Ben has extensive expertise and a commitment to advancing clean energy at the state level that will complement CESA’s current board,” said CESA Executive Director Warren Leon. “We welcome him to the organization and look forward to working with him.”

Paulos is the principal of PaulosAnalysis, consulting and writing on clean energy policy, technology, and trends, for clients in the non-profit, media, industry, and philanthropic sectors. He is currently directing the Power Markets Project, looking at the impact of renewable energy on electricity market designs in Germany and the US. He founded and managed America's Power Plan, a policy roadmap for moving to a high renewable energy future. He was a program director with the Energy Foundation from 2000 to 2013, making grants to promote renewable energy, utility efficiency, and advanced biofuels. He previously worked for the Energy Center of Wisconsin, the Union of Concerned Scientists, and Abt Associates, and has an MA in Energy Policy from the University of Wisconsin-Madison and a BA from Tufts University.

For more information about CESA’s Board of Directors, please visit www.cesa.org/about-us/board-of-directors/.

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About the Clean Energy States Alliance: The Clean Energy States Alliance (CESA) is a national nonprofit coalition of public agencies and organizations working together to advance clean energy. CESA members—mostly state agencies—include many of the most innovative, successful, and influential public funders of clean energy initiatives in the country. CESA works with state leaders, federal agencies, industry representatives, and other stakeholders to develop and promote clean energy technologies and markets. CESA facilitates information sharing, provides technical assistance, coordinates multi-state collaborative projects, and communicates the positions and achievements of its members. For more information, visit www.cesa.org.