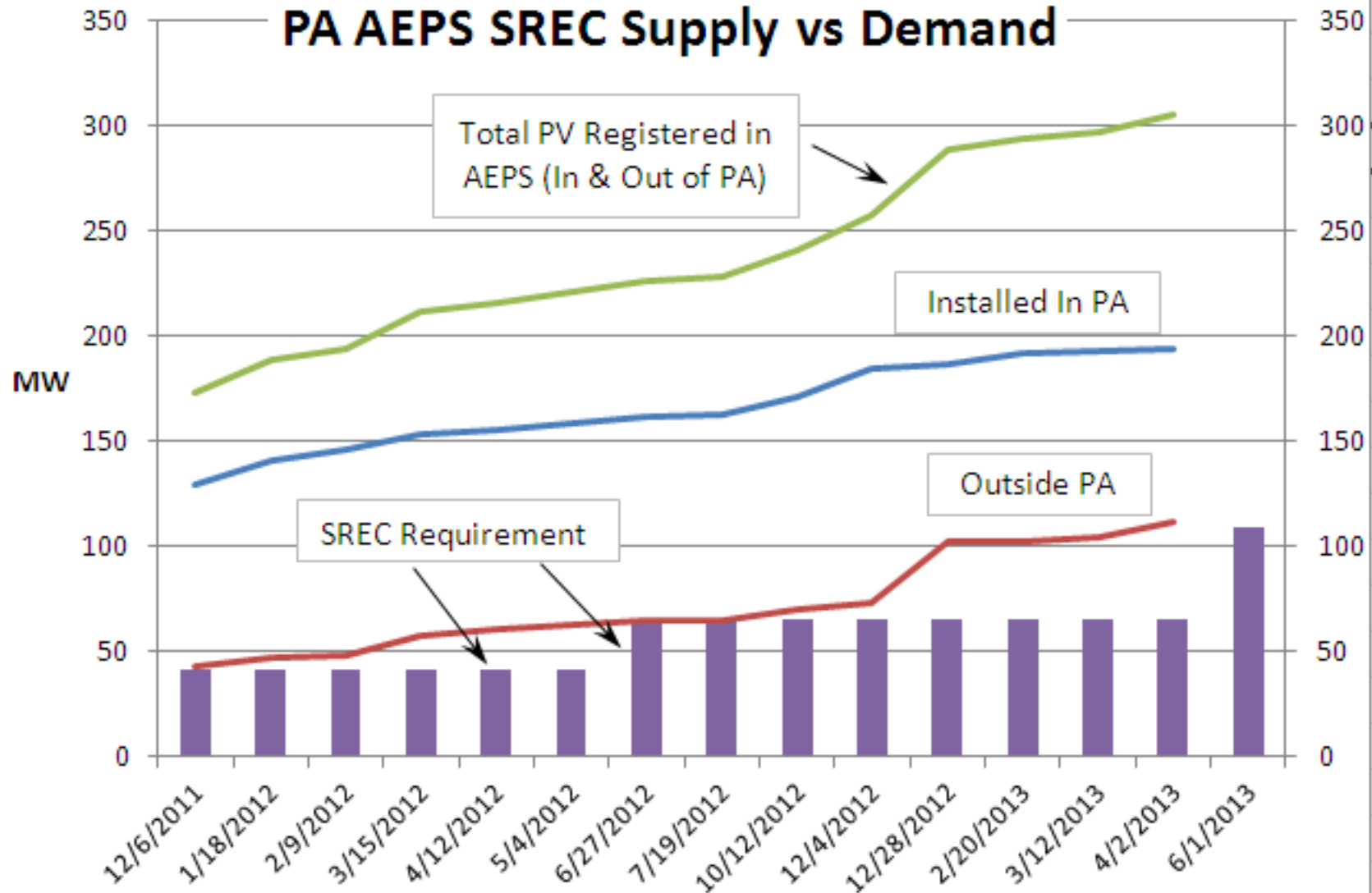


Pennsylvania Update

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PA AEPS SREC Supply vs Demand



5/9/2013

1,150 SRECs/yr per MW Equivalent

Two Solar Related Bills Introduced in 2/2013

PA State Rep. Greg Vitali, D-Delaware, Democratic chairman of the House Environmental Resources and Energy Committee, recently introduced HB100 and HB200;

- HB100 consists of increasing the amount of electricity that electric distribution companies like PECO must obtain from all renewable sources (Tier 1) to 15% by 2023 (currently, this is set at 8%);
- HB200 consists of providing \$25 million per year to the PA Sunshine solar program, which provides rebates to homeowners and small businesses that install solar systems

Sunshine Solar Rebate Program

- Jan. 24, 2013, PA DEP restarted the Sunshine Rebate Program, with \$7.25 million in funding from the Commonwealth Financing Authority (CFA) to complete the agency's Sunshine Solar Program; the program had been in a waiting-list phase since August 2011 because the demand exceeded available funds;
- \$7,500 for a residential system (maximum 10 KW) to \$52,500 for a small commercial system (maximum 100 KW); Additional rebates are available for systems w/UPS; Solar thermal rebates are also available;
- Existing applications in the program system that were approved for construction must be completed by June 1, 2013; applications submitted after that date will be considered on a first-come, first-served basis. **The program will close after this final round of funding expires, or by December 31, 2013, whichever comes first.;**

- UPDATE -

- As of May 8, 2013, the PA Sunshine Program has \$3,368,078 available for payment of rebates;
- As of March 29, 2013, DEP updated their list of approved solar PV contractors , which totals to about 100 companies, 70 of which are located in Pennsylvania (this list may still may need further scrubbing)