

## **Renewable Energy (RE) Application Process**

**1.** Application submitted to BVIEC and application fee paid. Application will "NOT" be processed by BVIEC until it is in receipt of the application fee.

2. Application processed by BVIEC. RE Systems should not be constructed before RE Application has been approved by BVIEC.

After the application is approved, a copy is sent to the applicant.

3. On receipt of the approved application, the applicant shall submit same to the Government of the Virgin Islands Electrical Inspection Unit (EIU) along with the Government of the Virgin Islands Town & Country Planning Department "Application to Install Backup Power Supply".

(This Application Form can be found on BVIEC's website).

- 4. Once the RE Technician has completed the installation of the system, it is their responsibility to contact the EIU to schedule a pre-inspection.

  EIU will schedule a mutually agreed date and time whereby all parties: EIU, RE Technician and BVIEC, can conduct the pre-inspection.
- 5. Following the pre-inspection, RE Technician will submit an application to BVIEC for the Feed In Tariff (FIT) bi-directional meter.
- 6. After any defects discovered during pre-inspection are corrected, RE Technician will contact EIU to schedule Final Inspection.

  EIU, again, will coordinate a mutually agreed date and time for all parties: EIU, RE Technician and BVIEC, to perform Final Inspection.
- 7. Once the renewable energy generating facility passes inspection, a copy of the Certificate of Approval for Electrical Installation must be presented to BVIEC, in addition to all costs for the FIT meter being paid, prior to BVIEC installing same.