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The requirement that distributed H₂ demonstrations should have only on-site renewable generation is too limiting, especially for distributed H₂ generation. Even 1 ton (2000 pound approximately 1000 kg) H₂ from electrolyzer per day will need a very large PV system at site. (At 40 kwh per kg rate.,) Why add cost of building demonstration of an unproven technology. Please reduce daily H₂ production quantity to prove technology or allow using REC credits purchased on open market. EPIC money should be used for H₂ technology demonstration, not diverted to build on-site PV. Sites with existing PV are already committed to meet on-site loads, may not be able to spare it for electrolyzer,