

## The State of New Hampshire DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES



## Thomas S. Burack, Commissioner

November 16, 2010

Debra A. Howland, Executive Director and Secretary New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission 21 South Fruit Street, Suite 10 Concord, NH 03301-2429

Re: Amendeed Quarterly Emissions Verification Summary for Certified Renewable Energy Sources (Dockets DE 08-024, DE 08-044, DE 08-051, DE 09-008 and DE 09-104)

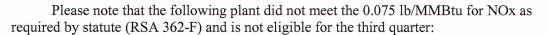
Dear Ms. Howland:

Based on the attached amended summary, the New Hampshire Department of Environmental Services (DES) recommends certification of the following wood-fired power plants as renewable energy sources, because the facilities continue to meet average emission rates of 0.02 lb/MMBtu and 0.075 lb/MMBtu, for particulate (TSP) and nitrogen oxides (NOx), respectively:

Pinetree Power, Inc. 1241 Whitefield Rd Bethlehem, NH 03574

Pinetree Power-Tamworth, Inc. 469 Plains Rd Tamworth, NH 03886

Public Service Company of New Hampshire (PSNH) Schiller Station # 5 400 Gosling Rd Portsmouth, NH 03801



## Indeck

151 Smith River Road Alexandria, NH 03222

Please note that the following plant did not test for TSP within the past year as required by statute (RSA 362-F) and is no longer eligible beginning with the fourth quarter of 2010:

**Springfield Power, LLC** 54 Fisher Corner Road Springfield, NH 03284

Furthermore, DES did not receive an affidavit from Springfield Power for the third quarter. Thus, while Springfield Power's emissions met the emission rates for the third quarter, the PUC may suspend certification under PUC 2505.04(f)(2) for failing to provide a quarterly filing.



In accordance with PUC 2505.04(g) through (i), the suspension of certification shall be for so long as the facility is out of compliance with the limit on emissions. A suspended facility shall have its suspension lifted upon demonstration to the commission of certification by the department that it meets the limits on emissions. Upon such demonstration, the facility shall be certified to be issued certificates as of the next calendar quarter.

If you have any questions regarding DES's recommendations, please contact me at joseph.fontaine@des.nh.gov or (603) 271-6794.

Sincerely,

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