THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE



PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION 21 S. Fruit Street, Suite 10 Concord, N.H. 03301-2429

October 2, 2009

Maria E. Haggerty Ridgewood Rhode Island Generation, LLC 947 Linwood Avenue Ridgewood, NJ 07450

> Re: DE 09-149, Ridgewood Rhode Island Generation, LLC Certification Application for Class III Eligibility of the Johnston Landfill Expansion Phase I Facility Pursuant to RSA 362-F

Dear Ms. Haggerty:

CHAIRMAN Thomas B. Getz

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On August 20, 2009, Ridgewood Rhode Island Generation, LLC (Ridgewood) submitted an application requesting certification of its Johnston landfill expansion phase I facility (Johnston I facility) as eligible to produce Class III renewable energy certificates (RECs) pursuant to RSA 362-F, New Hampshire's Electric Renewable Portfolio Standard law. Staff has reviewed the application and recommended approval noting that the Ridgewood application was complete on August 20, 2009.

Class III eligibility requires a facility to have begun the production of electricity prior to January 1, 2006 using either eligible biomass technologies having a gross nameplate capacity of 25 megawatts or less or methane gas. The application indicates that the Johnston I facility has a gross nameplate capacity of 2.5 megawatts and entered commercial operation on February 28, 2004. The facility is located at 65 Shun Pike, Johnston, Rhode Island. The facility's NEPOOL generation information system facility code is MSS 10366

The Commission has reviewed the Ridgewood application and determined that it has provided all the necessary information to demonstrate that the Johnston I facility is eligible for certification as a Class III facility. Therefore, the Commission hereby certifies that the Johnston I facility is a Class III renewable energy source effective August 20, 2009 and is eligible to be issued New Hampshire Class III renewable energy certificates.

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Attached please find a copy of the notice of this certification provided to the GIS administrator. The New Hampshire Renewable Portfolio Standard certification code for the Johnston I landfill methane gas facility is NH-III-09-041.

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ChristiAne G. Mason Director Administration & Assistant Executive Director

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James Webb Registry Administrator APX Environmental Markets 224 Airport Parkway, Suite 600 San Jose, CA 95110

Re: DE 09-149, Ridgewood Rhode Island Generation, LLC Certification of the Johnston Landfill Expansion Phase I Facility as a New Hampshire RPS Class III Facility Pursuant to RSA 362-F New Hampshire Certification Code NH-III-09-041

Dear Mr. Webb:

Please be advised that, pursuant to RSA 362-F, the New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission has certified the Johnston Landfill Expansion Phase I facility (Johnston I facility) as a Class III renewable energy source effective August 20, 2009. Accordingly, the Johnston I facility is eligible to be issued New Hampshire Class III renewable energy certificates.

The Johnston I facility has a gross nameplate capacity of 2.5 megawatts, is fueled with methane gas and began operation on February 28, 2004. The facility is located at 65 Shun Pike, Johnston, Rhode Island. Its NEPOOL generation information system facility code is MSS 10366. The New Hampshire certification code is NH-III-09-041.

Sincerely,

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