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The State of New Hampshire

Department of Environmental Services

Robert R. Scott, Commissioner



May 1, 2020

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

Re: 1st Quarter Emissions Verification Summary for Certified Renewable Energy Sources (DE 08-024, DE 08-044, DE 08-051, DE 09-104, DE 12-091, DE 13-265, DE 14-007, DE 14-182, DE 14-209, DE 14-296, REC 15-081, REC 16-546, RREC 16-1214, RREC 17-90015, RREC 17-90017, RREC 18-0351, RREC 18-0485, and RREC 19-0181)

Dear Ms. Howland:

Based on the attached 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 meet average emission rates of 0.02 lb/MMBtu (or an alternative plan) and 0.075 lb/MMBtu, for particulate (TSP) and nitrogen oxides (NOx), respectively:

Pinetree Power, Inc.

1241 Whitefield Rd Bethlehem, NH 03574 GIS Unit ID #: MSS337

Pinetree Power-Tamworth, Inc.

469 Plains Rd Tamworth, NH 03886 GIS Unit ID #: MSS592

Pinetree Power-Fitchburg, Inc.

2 Rowtier Drive Westminster, MA 01473 GIS Unit ID #: MSS538

Granite Shore Power (GSP)

Schiller Station #5 400 Gosling Rd Portsmouth, NH 03801 GIS Unit ID #: MSS557

Bridgewater Power Company

Route 3 Bridgewater, NH 03222 GIS Unit ID #: MSS357

Berlin Station, LLC

One Community Street Berlin, NH 03570 GIS Unit ID #: MSS16653

Ryegate Power Station

247 Weesner Drive East Ryegate, VT 05042 GIS Unit ID #: MSS2433

DG Whitefield LLC not operating

260 Airport Rd. Whitefield, NH 03598 GIS Unit ID #: MSS618

Springfield Power LLC not operating

54 Fisher Corner Rd. Springfield, NH 03284 GIS Unit ID #: MSS436 Based on the attached summary, DES recommends certification of the following wood-fired boilers as thermal renewable energy sources, because the facilities meet average emission rates of 0.10 lb/MMBtu for TSP and best management practices (BMP) for NOx, respectively:

Littleton Regional Healthcare (LRH)

600 Saint Johnsbury Road Littleton, NH 03561

Warwick Mills 301 Turnpike Rd.

New Ipswich, NH

Memorial Hospital

3073 White Mountain Highway North Conway, NH 03860

Froling Energy

590 Hancock Road Peterborough, NH

Merrimack County DoC

Boscawen, NH

Sullivan County Complex

Unity, NH

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Androscoggin Valley Hospital (AVH)

59 Page Hill Road Berlin, NH 03570

EMD Millipore

11 PRESCOTT RD Jaffrey, NH

Holderness School

21 Mt. Prospect Road Holderness, NH 03245

Keene State College (three boilers)

229 Main St. Keene, NH 03435

Rockingham County Complex

Brentwood, NH

Maplewood

Westmoreland, NH

DES communicated directly with PUC staff regarding eligibility for newly eligible small (<3 mmBtu/hr) thermal renewable energy sources.

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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1st Quarter 2020	0.075 lb/mmbtu	maximum allowe	ed	0.02 lb/mmbtu
Source Name	NOx #/MMBTU Quarter Average	TSP Test Date		TSP Emission Average #/mmbtu
PT Tamworth 300019	0.070	14-Jun-19		0.002
T Bethlehem 900026	0.070	17-May-18 3-year test freque	ncy approve	0.004 ed by DES
PT Fitchburg	0.062	May-19		0.006
SSP SR5 1500012	0.066	May-17 3-year test freque	ency approve	0.002 ed by DES
Vhitefield 700010	not operating	May-18		0.010
Springfield Power 1900031	not operating	Jun-18		0.006
Berlin 790137	0.960	16-Oct-19 3-year test frequency approve		0.003 ed by DES
Bridgewater Power 900021	0.070			n/a under Alternative Plan
Ryegate	0.073	Jun-19		0.0014
Thermal Sources	99% CE	maximum allow	ed	0.1 lb/mmbtu
Sullivan County Complex 1900026	99.97% annual tune-up & CE test	5-Dec-18 1-time test		0.049
Conway Memorial 300006	99.999% 99.993% annual tune-up & CE test	1-time test	9-Sep-15 10-Sep-15	
	annual tune-up & CE test	1-time test		quarterly reporting of <90% capacity required
Grafton County Complex	annual tune-up & CE test	1-time test		pending
Froling Energy 500069	99.99% CE annual tune-up & CE test	1-time test	18-Apr-17	0.089
Keene State College 500003	99.999% CE annual tune-up & CE test	1-time test 1-time test 1-time test	13-Dec-17 13-Dec-17 26-Apr-17	boiler #3 0.024
Maplewood 500010	99.99% CE annual tune-up & CE test	1-time test	11-Dec-19	0.038 eligible for Q1 2020
Merrimack County 1300164	99.95% CE annual tune-up & CE test	1-time test	6-Dec-17	0.022
Rockingham County 3301500014	99.99% annual tune-up & CE test	1-time test	11-Apr-18	0.0187
Weeks Medical Center	annual tune-up & CE test	1-time test		pending
Holderness School 900137	99.998% annual tune-up & CE test	1-time test	15-Dec-15	0.0075 quarterly reporting of <90% capacity required
EMD Millipore 500056	99.95% CE annual tune-up & CE test	1-time test	13-Mar-15 8/21/2018	
Littleton Regional Healthca 990284	re 99.99% CE annual tune-up & CE test	1-time test	17-Mar-14 18-Mar-14	4 boiler #1 0.056 4 boiler #2 0.032
Warwick Mills 110129	99.89% CE annual tune-up & CE test	1-time test	30-Sep-14 1-Oct-14	
AVH 7007	99.99% CE annual tune-up & CE test	4-Jun-14		0.067