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Stephen Hickey Hydro Management Group, LLC 55 Union Street, 4th Floor Boston, MA 02108

Re: DE 12-210, Spaulding Ave Industrial Complex, LLC's Application for Class I Eligibility for Renewable Energy Certificates (RECs) for the Spaulding Pond Hydroelectric Facility, Pursuant to RSA 362-F.

Dear Mr. Hickey:

On July 13, 2012, the New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission (Commission) received an application from Hydro Management Group as an agent for the Spaulding Ave Industrial Complex, LLC (Spaulding Ave Industrial) requesting certification of the Spaulding Pond Hydroelectric (Spaulding Pond Hydro) facility at 20 Spaulding Pond Avenue, Rochester, NH, as a Class IV renewable energy source pursuant to RSA 362-F, New Hampshire's Renewable Portfolio Standard law.

On July 30, 2012, the PUC sent Hydro Management a letter stating that pursuant to Puc 2502.10, Spaulding Pond Hydro is not eligible to receive Class IV RECs because the facility began operation after January 1, 2006. The facility is eligible for Class I RECs pursuant to PUC 2502.07. On August 1, 2012 Hydro Management responded that Spaulding Ave Industrial was going to pursue Class I eligibility. In an email on August 22, 2012, clarification was requested concerning whether Spaulding Ave Industrial wanted to pursue Class I RECs under Chapter 362-F:4(i) or 362-F:4(j). A response was received on September 14, 2012 that Spaulding Ave Industrial would pursue 362-F:4(j). Since then the Commission has not received any documentation to support Spaulding Ave Industrial's request for approval under 362-F:4(j). Until this information is received, the docket cannot be analyzed or recommended for approval.

Submission of the above information must be received by the Commission to complete your application. Please refer to docket number **DE 12-210** in all future correspondence with the Commission.

Your response should include an original and two copies sent to the attention of the Commission's Executive Director:

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Please also send an electronic copy via email to executive.director@puc.nh.gov, and copy me at barbara.bernstein@puc.nh.gov. Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me. My direct line is 603-271-6011. I look forward to working with you.

Sincerely,

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