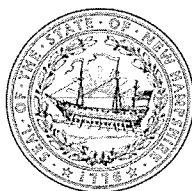


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October 26, 2015 **AUGUST 26 10:15 AM**

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East Brunswick, NJ 08816

**Re: REC 15-455 Jericho Wind Application for Certification as a Class I REC  
Eligible Facility/Notice of Incomplete Application and Request for  
Additional Information**

Dear Mr. Hanson:

On October 19, 2015, the Commission received an application prepared by LS Power Development, LLC, requesting Class I renewable energy certificate (REC) eligibility certification for the Jericho Wind project, pursuant to RSA 362-F:4 and New Hampshire Code of Administrative Rules Puc 2500. Staff has reviewed the application and has found that the following additional information and clarifications are required in order to complete the application for the Commission's eligibility review:

1. A description of the facility, as required by Puc 2505.02(c)(5) and question number 4 of the application, including:
  - a. The manufacturer of the turbines, towers and generators;
  - b. The model and type of turbines and generators;
  - c. The number of turbines, towers and generators;
  - d. Electrical transformation equipment, and other material project components; and,
  - e. The nameplate capacity of each turbine and the total nameplate capacity of the system. Applicants often include a brochure describing the turbines that provides further detail regarding the equipment used.
  
2. A statement must be provided that the facility has or has not been certified in another non-federal jurisdiction's RPS as required by Puc 2505.02(c)(11) and checklist item 14 of the application. The checklist has listed #14 as not applicable. A check of the Generation Information System (GIS) database shows that the facility is registered as a State of Maine Class II facility. The statement provided must include notice of this registration and any other applicable registrations.

3. Please add more detail from the interconnection agreement. The first 5 pages of content would supplement the interconnection agreement's signature pages provided.
4. The GIS Facility Code number and the Asset ID number do not match each other or the GIS database. Please clarify this apparent discrepancy. Contact the GIS Administrator, James Webb to determine the facility's assigned identification number. His contact information is found on the application.
5. Typically, regulatory approvals also include approvals from the town where the facility is located. Please provide copies of any local approvals that were not provided with the application.
6. Please provide a general description of where the power generated is connected to the substation and where it joins the grid.
7. The company name listed in the GIS database is different than Jericho Power, LLC, or LS Power Development, LLC. Please clarify this apparent discrepancy.

The following table provides excerpts from the GIS database that demonstrate the clarifications that must be made in order for the Jericho Wind facility to receive approval for NH Class I RECs:

	Unit ID	Plant - Unit	Account Holder	Name Plate Capacity	Certification w/ Other State RPS
GIS	NON32585	Jericho Mountain 1	Loranger Power Generation Corp	1	ME Class II
					Yes
Application	15833/43580	Jericho Power	LS Power Development, LLC	12.05	N/A

8. In addition, there has been a change in the 2500 rules that isn't reflected in the application. Please provide a statement that the facility meets the metering requirements of PUC 2506. See page 26 as numbered in the rule found at <http://www.puc.nh.gov/Regulatory/Rules/Puc2500.pdf>.

The Commission seeks to clarify these issues to ensure that the record supports a determination regarding the Jericho Wind project's eligibility as a Class I source of RECs. This information is required to complete your application. Once the Commission receives this information, the review of your application will be completed within 45 days. Please refer to certification number **REC 15-455** in your correspondence with the Commission.

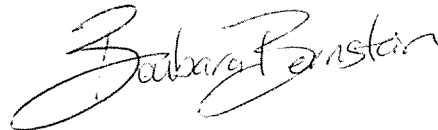
REC 15-455 Jericho Wind  
Class I REC Eligibility Application  
Request for Additional Information

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

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New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission  
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Please also send an electronic copy via e-mail to [executive.director@puc.nh.gov](mailto:executive.director@puc.nh.gov), and copy me at [barbara.bernstein@puc.nh.gov](mailto: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 continuing to work with you to complete the application review process.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Barbara Bernstein". The signature is written in black ink and is positioned to the right of the word "Sincerely,".

Barbara Bernstein  
Sustainable Energy Division

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