PLEASE SUBSTITUTE THIS PETATION TO INTERVENE FOR THE PETITION FICED OCT. 26, WHICH IS FORMALLY WITHORAUN THIS DATE. THANK YOU.

ROBERT J. PERKY 11/12/09 @ 1:27 PM.

PETITION TO INTERVENE

In Re: Order of Notice DE-09-067

The State of New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission Complaint of Clean Power Development, LLC, filed 4/7/09

I, Robert J. Perry, citizen of Strafford, New Hampshire, County of Strafford, wish to intervene in the above-entitled matter. As a rate payer and lifelong environmentalist, I am aware of the plans set forth by Clean Power Development, LLC (CPD) to develop a highly efficient bio-mass project for Berlin, New Hampshire, 29 Mw capacity, which is consistent in size with a wood study done as part of the project, which will not exhaust the local wood fuel supply, nor is it likely to drive up the cost of the local fuel supply to others. The Berlin site provides an array of synergies which combine to produce high overall production efficiencies (up to 80 percent), including use of the city's wastewater, which will reduce or eliminate the need for well or river water for circulation and evaporation makeup, while reducing the municipal wastewater treatment plant discharge into the Androscoggin River. The availability of CPD to provide lower-cost steam to the nearby Fraser paper mill will allow the mill to be more competitive in the marketplace, saving jobs and creating others, while reducing the carbon footprint by way of reducing the consumption of imported fossil fuel. Other available synergies involve the growing of algae for bio-oil production, local greenhouse production of food crops, and an opportunity for implementation of district heating. The business model of CPD should serve as a model for other alternative-energy upstarts, and is in stark contrast to that of a competing plan in Berlin that is likely to be merely 20 percent efficient. The kinds of efficiencies of operation anticipated by CPD will contribute to the mitigation of climate change.

I am concerned that adoption of the least-cost principle is not being implemented, and that PSNH's obligation, given its current business protections, to operate in the "public good" is also not being honored.

Sincerely /

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