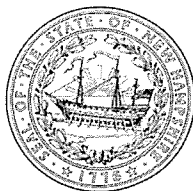


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**AUTHORIZATION FOR INDEPENDENT MONITOR
ELIGIBILITY**

The Commission received and staff reviewed the PowerDash, Inc. request to serve as an independent monitor of renewable electrical production in the State of New Hampshire. Staff has recommended approval of the applicant as an independent monitor based on its qualification as an independent monitor in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and the conditions of the rule waiver granted in this docket, such approval to be effective as of February 26, 2016.

Independent Monitor REC # 16-215

Company	Contact	Business Address	City	State	ZIP	Approval Date
PowerDash, Inc.	Stephen Lapointe, President	50 Church Street	Cambridge	MA	02138	2-26-2016

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Debra A. Howland".

Debra A. Howland
Executive Director

Date:
March 7, 2016

Notification to:
James Webb, GIS Administrator

Independent Monitor Checklist
Intra-Department Communication

PUC 2505.09(a) requires independent monitors to verify the electricity production of a customer-sited source or the production of useful thermal energy from an eligible source and report such production and REC calculation to the GIS. A customer-sited source shall retain the services of an independent monitor directly.

Contact Information [Puc 2505.09 (e)]						
	Name	Address		City	State	ZIP
Applicant	PowerDash, Inc.					
Business Address	PowerDash, Inc. Stephen Lapointe, President	50 Church Street, 5 th Floor		Cambridge	MA	02138
Phone	888-797-3274	Cell	617-642-3521	Email	Stephen@powerdash.com for support services: support@powerdash.com	
<input type="checkbox"/>	An independent monitor shall verify the <u>electricity</u> production of a customer-sited source or the production of <u>useful thermal energy</u> from an eligible source and report such production and REC calculation to the GIS.					2505.09(a)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Certified as an independent monitor under a renewable portfolio standard program in another state.					2505.09(c)(6)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No customer-sited source or source producing electricity or useful thermal energy shall use an independent monitor who is a member of the immediate family or the owner of the source, holds a direct or indirect ownership interest in the source, or who sold or installed the renewable energy system and associated equipment.					2505.09(g)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	The applicant has initialed the application indicating acknowledgment of all the rules pertaining to independent monitors and agrees to uphold the duties of the independent monitor including:					2505.09(i)
<input type="checkbox"/>	To perform an initial inspection of the source's meters for accuracy and capability to measure the electricity or useful thermal energy produced, unless the meter is owned by a distribution utility that has already inspected it pursuant to Puc 305. [Rule waiver granted by PUC secretarial letter dated February 25, 2016]					2505.09(i)(1)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	To measure and verify quarterly the source's electricity or useful thermal energy production used to qualify for certificates pursuant to the GIS operating rules.					2505.09(i)(2)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	To report the production of electricity or useful thermal energy from the source and the REC calculation to the customer, to the GIS quarterly in accordance with the GIS operating rules, and to the commission annually no later than January 31 for the preceding year.					2505.09(i)(3)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	A description of how the applicant will be compensated for services has been provided.					2505.09(e)(4)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	An independent monitor shall not receive compensation for monitoring services that is a function of the number of certificates issued to any source using the independent monitor.					2505.09(j)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	An independent monitor shall provide the commission with notice prior to discontinuing services as an independent monitor.					2505.09(k)

I have reviewed this information as provided. The Commission has provided a waiver from one applicable rule provision. The remainder of the provisions of PUC 2505.09 have been met and staff recommends that PowerDash, Inc. be approved as an independent monitor of electricity production in the State of New Hampshire.

/Barbara Bernstein/

Barbara Bernstein

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