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December 5, 2011

Elizabeth Weir Assistant Secretary Evergreen Wind Power V, LLC c/o First Wind 179 Lincoln Street, Suite 500 Boston, MA 02111

Re:

DE 11-181, Evergreen Wind Power V, LLC

Application for Class I Eligibility of its Stetson I Wind Project

Pursuant to RSA 362-F.

Dear Ms. Weir:

On September 7, 2011, Evergreen Wind Power V, LLC submitted an application requesting certification for its Stetson I Wind Project (Stetson I) as a Class I facility pursuant to RSA 362-F, New Hampshire's Renewable Portfolio Standard law. Staff has reviewed the application and recommends approval (noting that all information required to complete the Stetson I project application in accordance with New Hampshire Code of Administrative Rules Puc 2500) was received on November 14, 2011.

The Stetson I facility is comprised of 38 Elecon Turbowinds T600-48DS wind turbines that began operation on January 22, 2009. The nameplate capacity is 57 megawatt (MW) of wind-generated electricity; Stetson I's output is transmitted to the Bangor Hydro Electric's substation in Chester, ME to bring the power from the wind farm to the electric grid. The application provides documentation that the project has met all the requirements of the State of Maine, Department of Environmental Protection. The facility's NEPOOL generation information system (GIS) facility code is MSS 15464; the ISO-New England asset identification number is 15464.

The Commission has reviewed the Stetson I application and determined that Evergreen Wind Power has provided documentation to demonstrate that the Stetson I project meets all the requirements of Puc 2502.02 and is eligible for certification as a New Hampshire Class I facility. Therefore, the Commission hereby certifies that the

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Stetson I wind facility is a Class I renewable energy source effective November 14, 2011 and is eligible to be issued New Hampshire Class I Renewable Energy Certificates.

Attached please find a copy of the notice of this certification provided to the GIS administrator. The New Hampshire Renewable Portfolio Standard certification code for the Stetson I facility is NH-I-11-029.

Sincerely,

Debra A. Howland Executive Director

Enclosure

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James Webb Registry Administrator NYSE Blue 224 Airport Parkway, Suite 600 San Jose, CA 95110

Re: DE 11-181, Evergreen Wind Power V, LLC

Application for Class I Eligibility of its Stetson I Wind Project

Pursuant to RSA 362-F.

Dear Mr. Webb:

cc:

Pursuant to RSA 362-F, New Hampshire's Renewable Portfolio Standard law, the New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission has certified the Evergreen Wind Power V, LLC Stetson I Wind Project (Stetson I), as a Class I facility, effective November 14, 2011. The Stetson I facility is comprised of 38 Elecon Turbowinds T600-48DS wind turbines that began operation on January 22, 2009. The facility is located at the Stetson Wind Farm on Stetson Mountain, 1650 Power Alley in an unorganized township in Maine and falls under the jurisdiction of the Land Use Regulation Commission. The area is identified as T8R3 NBPP.

The nameplate capacity is 57 megawatt (MW) of wind-generated electricity; Stetson I's output is transmitted to the Bangor Hydro Electric's substation in Chester. The facility's NEPOOL generation information system (GIS) facility code is MSS 15464. The applicant's ISO-New England asset identification number is 15464. The facility's New Hampshire certification code is NH-II-11-029.

Sincerely,

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Elizabeth Weir, Evergreen Wind Power V, LLC

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- c) Serve a written copy on each person on the service list not able to receive electronic mail.