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

Re: DE 11-220, Evergreen Wind Power's Certification Application

Pursuant to RSA 362-F Request for Additional Information

Dear Ms. Weir:

On September 27, 2011, the New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission (Commission) received an application from Evergreen Wind Power III, LLC for Rollins Wind Farm (Rollins) requesting certification as a Class I renewable energy source pursuant to RSA 362-F, New Hampshire's Renewable Portfolio Standard law. Staff has reviewed your application and has noted the following items that must be addressed before your application is considered complete:

- 1.) The application requires (#13) a description of the facility, including fuel type, gross nameplate generation capacity, the initial commercial operation date and the date it began operation if different. The Puc requires that documentation be provided that verifies this information.
- 2.) Please clarify the ownership of the various facilities and the relationship(s) between Evergreen Wind Power (I&V), Rollins, and First Wind.

3.)	The statement as to whether the facility's output has been verified by ISO-New
	England should be more formal than a hand written note. Please provide a
	separate attachment. An example from another applicant states: "
	is a generator (identification number MSS37175) and its output is verified
	by the ISO New England."

These items must be received by the Commission to complete your application. Until such time, it will not be processed. Please also note that review of future applications would be greatly expedited if the references to attachments in the application provide more specific direction including specific page numbers.

If the requested information and documentation are not provided within ten business days, your file will be closed without prejudice. Please refer to docket number DE 11-182 in all future correspondence with the Commission. Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me. My phone number is 603-271-6011 and my e-mail address is <u>barbara.bernstein@puc.nh.gov</u>.

Sincerely,

Barbara Bernstein

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