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July 1, 2014

Scott C. McNeil Field Administrator New Hampshire Electric Cooperative, Inc. 579 Tenney Mountain Highway Plymouth, NH 03264

Re: New Hampshire Electric Cooperative Inc., Applications for Certification as

**REC Eligible Facilities:** 

DE 14-157 Shepherds View Ranch, LLC DE 14-167 **Eloise Coudert** DE 14-158 Rick Hines DE 14-168 Brad McKenzie DE 14-159 Donald J. MacFarlane DE 14-169 Bryan Turnbull

Dear Mr. McNeil:

On June 9, 2014, the Commission received applications filed by the New Hampshire Electric Cooperative (NHEC) requesting Class II eligibility for NHEC member photovoltaic (PV) arrays<sup>1</sup> and inclusion in the NHEC aggregation<sup>2</sup>. The applicants include: Shepherds View Ranch, LLC (Shepherds View Ranch); Rick Hines (Hines); and Donald J. MacFarlane (MacFarlane).

On June 17, 2014, the Commission received additional applications filed by NHEC requesting Class II eligibility for NHEC member PV arrays and inclusion in the NHEC aggregation. These applicants include Eloise Coudert (Coudert), Brad McKenzie (McKenzie) and Bryan Turnbull (Turnbull).

Staff has reviewed these applications and has recommended approval of these PV arrays as eligible for Class II RECs and inclusion in the NHEC aggregation as listed in the following table:

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Pursuant to RSA 362-F, New Hampshire's Electric Renewable Portfolio Standard law Class II eligibility requires a facility to produce electricity from solar technologies that began operation after January 1, 2006

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The Commission granted NHEC Independent Monitor status on May 12, 2009 (DE 09-006). On April 9, 2010, the Commission granted NHEC the authority to aggregate customer-sited sources pursuant to Puc 2506 (DE 10-060).

Docket #	Facility Owner	Facility Location	Total MW listed in application (DC Arrays)	Effective Date to Produce RECs	NH Certification Code
DE 14-157	Shepherds View Ranch	Holderness	0.00935	06-09-14	NH-II-14-067
DE 14-158	Hines	Plainfield	0.0052	06-09-14	NH-II-14-068
DE 14-159	MacFarlane	Chester	0.014	06-09-14	NH-II-14-069
DE 14-167	Coudert	Center Harbor	0.0055	06-17-14	NH-II-14-070
DE 14-168	McKenzie	Madison	0.00572	06-17-14	NH-II-14-071
DE 14-169	Tumbull	Monroe	0.00648	06-17-14	NH-II-14-072

Because these facilities are customer-sited sources, the output is not recorded in the New England Power Pool Market Settlement System and, as a result, the output must be monitored and verified by an independent monitor. The applications state that NHEC will monitor the facilities' output as required by N.H. Code of Administrative Rules Puc 2505.08 and 2505.09. The total output from these facilities will be included as part of the NHEC Class II Aggregation's total output reported to the NEPOOL Generation Information System as approved by the Commission on April 9, 2010.

The Commission has determined that NHEC has provided all the information necessary to demonstrate these facilities' eligibility for certification and hereby certifies the above named PV arrays as eligible for Class II RECs and inclusion in the NHEC aggregation effective as of the dates listed in the table above.

Sincerely,

Debra A. Howland Executive Director

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James Webb Registry Administrator **APX Environmental Markets** 224 Airport Parkway, Suite 600 San Jose, CA 95110

Applications for Certification as REC Eligible Facilities: Re:

> DE 14-157 Shepherds View Ranch, LLC DE 14-167 **Eloise Coudert** DE 14-158 Rick Hines DE 14-168 Brad McKenzie DE 14-159 Donald J. MacFarlane DE 14-169 Bryan Turnbull

Dear Mr. Webb:

Please be advised that, pursuant to RSA 362-F, the New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission has certified the Shepherds View Ranch, LLC (Shepherds View Ranch); Rick Hines (Hines); and Donald J. MacFarlane (MacFarlane) residential solar photovoltaic (PV) facilities as part of the New Hampshire Electric Cooperative (NHEC) Class II aggregation effective as of June 9, 2014.

In addition, the Commission has certified the Eloise Coudert (Coudert), Brad McKenzie (McKenzie) and Bryan Turnbull (Turnbull) facilities as part of the NHEC Class II aggregation effective as of June 17, 2014.

Accordingly, NHEC is eligible to be issued Class II RECs for these arrays as of the dates listed in the summary on the following page.

Docket #	Facility Name	Facility Location	Total MW	Effective Date to Produce Class II RECs	GIS Facility Code	NH Certification Code
DE 14-157	Shepherds View Ranch	Holderness	0.00935	06-09-14	NON 32900	NH-II-14-067
DE 14-158	Hines	Plainfield	0.0052	06-09-14	NON.32900	NH-II-14-068
DE 14-159	MacFarlane	Chester	0.014	06-09-14	NON 32900	NH-II-14-069
DE 14-167	Coudert	Center Harbor	0.0055	06-17-14	NON 32900	NH-II-14-070
DE 14-168	McKenzie	Madison	0.00572	06-17-14	NON 32900	NH-II-14-071
DE 14-169	Turnbull	Monroe	0.00648	06-17-14	NON 32900	NH-II-14-072

Sincerely,

Debra A. Howland **Executive Director** 

Scott C. McNeil, NHEC

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