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William P. Short, III Consultant P.O. Box 237173 New York, NY 10023-7173

Re: DE 09-240, William P. Short on behalf of Williams Stone Company, Inc.

Certification Application for Class I Eligibility of the Williams Stone Wind Power

Facility Pursuant to RSA 362-F

Dear Mr. Short:

On November 25, 2009, you submitted an application on behalf of Williams Stone Company, Inc. (Williams Stone) requesting certification of the Williams Stone wind power facility (Williams Stone facility) as eligible to produce Class I renewable energy certificates (RECs) pursuant to RSA 362-F, New Hampshire's Electric Renewable Portfolio Standard law. Staff has reviewed the application and recommended approval noting that the application was complete on November 25, 2009.

Class I eligibility requires a facility to have begun the production of electricity after January 1, 2006 and to use certain sources to produce electricity, one of which is wind energy. The application indicates that the Williams Stone wind power facility has a gross nameplate capacity of 0.630 megawatts and began commercial operation on June 1, 2009. The facility is located at 1158 Lee Westfield Road, East Otis, Massachusetts. Your application indicates that you, as the facility's independent monitor, will verify and report to the NEPOOL generation information system (GIS) both the facility's output sold to Western Massachusetts Electric Company and the facility's behind-the-meter electrical output using facility code NON 32828 pursuant to the GIS Operating Rules.

Based on Staff's recommendation, the Commission has determined that the applicant has provided all the necessary information to demonstrate that the Williams Stone facility is eligible for certification as a Class I facility. Therefore, the Commission hereby certifies that the Williams Stone facility is a Class I renewable energy source effective November 25, 2009, and the facility is eligible to be issued New Hampshire Class I renewable energy certificates.

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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 facility is NH-I-09-068.

Sincerely,

Debra A. Howland Executive Director

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cc: Edwin Williams, CEO
Williams Stone Company, Inc.

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Re:

DE 09-240, William P. Short on behalf of Williams Stone Company, Inc..

Certification of the Williams Stone Wind Power Facility as a New Hampshire RPS Class

I Facility Pursuant to RSA 362-F

New Hampshire Certification Code NH-I-09-068

Dear Mr. Webb:

Please be advised that, pursuant to RSA 362-F, the New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission has certified the Williams Stone wind power facility (Williams Stone facility) as a Class I renewable energy source effective November 25, 2009. Accordingly, the Williams Stone facility is eligible to be issued New Hampshire Class I renewable energy certificates.

The Williams Stone facility is a 0.630 megawatt (MW) Vestas RRB PS wind power facility that began operation on June 1, 2009. The facility is located at 1158 Lee Westfield Road, East Otis, Massachusetts. William P. Short III, the facility's independent monitor, will verify and report to the NEPOOL generation information system (GIS) both the facility's output sold to Western Massachusetts Electric Company and the facility's behind-the-meter electrical output using facility code NON 32828 pursuant to the GIS Operating Rules. The facility's New Hampshire certification code is NH-I-09-068.

Sincerely,

Debra A. Howland

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**Executive Director** 

cc:

William P. Short, III