From: Rich Simon
To: Thomas Kelly

Cc: <u>Barbara.bernstein@puc.nh.gov</u>; <u>hardwood@fairpoint.net</u>

Subject: FW: DE 11-219 Staff Letter

Date: Wednesday, November 02, 2011 11:43:50 AM

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Tom,

We had contacted your previous employer (Turning cycle) last week to act as a third party monitor for us. We had gotten this information from NHPUC's web site. We now understand you were never given that information and therefore you were unaware when NHPUC contacted you that we had requested your engagement.

Can you please now send us a letter stating that we had indeed attempted to contact you, and have now engaged you. Please also address any other items you think NHPUC needs satisfaction with in regards to the attached letter.

Thanks,

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Re: DE 11-219, America's Wood Company's Application Requesting Class II Eligibility for Renewable Energy Certificates (RECs) Generated by the Photovoltaic Array at 598 Augusta Road, Washington, ME Pursuant to RSA 362-F.

Dear Rich Simon,

As we discussed, I was not made aware of Americas' Wood Company's request for independent Monitoring through Turn Cycle Solutions – the business address under which I was previously registered with the NH PUC as an Independent Monitor. I have since updated my business address with the NH PUC to Natural Capital, LLC.

Per our discussion of Nov. 2, 2011, we have agreed that Americas Wood Company would engage me, Thomas Kelly of Natural Capital, LLC, as Independent Monitor of the photovoltaic facility sited at 598 Augusta Rd., pending certification of the facility with the NH PUC and subject to the Maine Public Utilities Commission acceptance of me, Thomas Kelly of Natural Capital, LLC, as an independent monitor in the State of Maine.

Please, let me know if I can be of further assistance.

Sincerely,

Thomas J. Kelly

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Owner/Member, Natural Capital, LLC

From: Rich Simon [mailto:americaswood@pivot.net]

Sent: Thursday, October 20, 2011 3:49 PM

To: 'gary.cole@cmpco.com' **Cc:** americaswood@pivot.net

Subject: REC's

Hi Gary,

My company, Americas' wood company has applied to New Hampshire PUC for class II Renewable energy credits.

The excess energy portion of our production seems to be eligible for RECs because we are in the Central Maine Power service area. NH PUC requires that there be a monitor to verify the production of that energy. I understand that Central Maine Power does not offer this service. In lieu of any entity that can provide us that service, we believe a solution might be to obtain that information from your meter that measures revenue grade out feed power production.

Is it possible for you to provide me with a report that shows our production that has been recorded on that meter over a twelve month period?

Thanks for your help,

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From: <u>Tannenbaum, Mitchell</u>

To: Rich Simon

Cc: Barbara.bernstein@puc.nh.gov
Subject: RE: DE 11-219 Staff Letter

Date: Wednesday, November 02, 2011 1:08:23 PM

Barbara

I have had conversations with Rich Simon. I did not recognize the reference to Amercias' Wood Company. I apologize for any confusion this has caused. Mitch Tannenbaum

From: Rich Simon [mailto:hardwood@fairpoint.net] **Sent:** Wednesday, November 02, 2011 12:15 PM

To: Tannenbaum, Mitchell

Cc: Barbara.bernstein@puc.nh.gov; hardwood@fairpoint.net

Subject: FW: DE 11-219 Staff Letter

Dear Mr. Tannenbaum.

We have requested to become eligible to receive New Hampshire RECs we produce from our 25Kw solar array in Washington Maine.

I had talked to you last week in regards to class II New Hampshire RECs. As you may recall I was requesting base line information about how to establish a method of production verification and monitoring, and whether it was your feeling that Central Maine Power could ask as a third party monitor. I considered this to be an informal request of information. I had mentioned our conversation in an E-mail I sent to Barbara Bernstein at NHPUC. The attached letter from NHPUC references my contact with you. They attempted to verify that communication.

Can you please verify I had indeed contacted you, and can you address any concerns you think NHPUC may have that would need to be addressed in their letter to us? Thanks,

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