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March 30, 2012

A. Quincy ValeVale Law for Energy and the Environment12 Royal Crest Drive, Suite 10North Andover, MA 01845

Re: DE 12-078 Vale Law for Energy and the Environment's Request for A. Quincy Vale's Certification as an Independent Monitor Pursuant to Puc 2505.09

Dear Mr. Vale:

On March 27, 2012, Vale Law for Energy and the Environment (Vale Law) submitted an application on your behalf seeking certification for you to serve as an independent monitor for owners of customer-sited sources in New Hampshire that qualify for New Hampshire renewable energy certificates (RECs), pursuant to N. H. Code of Administrative Rules Puc 2505.09.

Staff has reviewed the application and believes it meets the requirements for certification inasmuch as you are currently a certified independent monitor under the Commonwealth of Massachusetts' renewable portfolio standard program. Based on Staff's recommendation, the Commission has determined that your application meets the requirements for certification pursuant to N.H. Code Admin. Rules Puc 2505.09.

Additionally, please bear in mind that all independent monitors in the State of New Hampshire are subject to specific requirements spelled out in Puc 2505.09(h), (i), and (j). These rules can be found on our website at <u>http://www.puc.state.nh.us/Regulatory/Rules/Puc2500.pdf</u>. If you have any questions regarding these provisions, please contact the Commission. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Sincerely,

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Debra A. Howland Executive Director

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