

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

CHAIRMAN  
Amy L. Ignatius

COMMISSIONERS  
Michael D. Harrington  
Robert R. Scott

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR  
Debra A. Howland



PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

21 S. Fruit Street, Suite 10  
Concord, N.H. 03301-2429

TDD Access: Relay NH  
1-800-735-2964

Tel. (603) 271-2431

FAX (603) 271-3878

Website:  
[www.puc.nh.gov](http://www.puc.nh.gov)

August 29, 2012

Peter F. Govoni  
Treasurer  
White Mountain Hydroelectric Corporation  
PO Box 715  
Lincoln, NH 03251

Re: **DE 12-224**, White Mountain Hydroelectric Corporation's Eligibility Request for the White Mountain Hydroelectric – Lisbon Facility to Produce Class IV New Hampshire Renewable Energy Certificates (RECs) Pursuant to RSA 362-F and Laws of 2012, Chapter 272

Dear Mr. Govoni:

On July 25, 2012, White Mountain Hydroelectric Corporation (White Mountain Hydroelectric Corp.) submitted an application requesting Class IV certification for the Lisbon Hydroelectric (Lisbon Hydro) facility pursuant to RSA 362-F, New Hampshire's Renewable Portfolio Standard law and Laws of 2012, Chapter 272. Staff has reviewed the application and recommends approval, noting that the Lisbon Hydro application was completed on July 25, 2012 in accordance with New Hampshire Code of Administrative Rules Puc 2500.

Pursuant to Laws of 2012, Chapter 272, existing small hydroelectric facilities with a total nameplate capacity of one megawatt (MW) or less are eligible for Class IV RECs if they are in compliance with applicable Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) fish passage restoration requirements, and are interconnected with an electric distribution system located in New Hampshire. Lisbon Hydro is located on the Ammonoosuc River in Lisbon, NH.

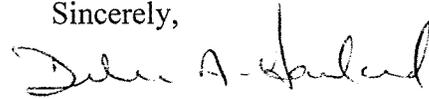
White Mountain Hydroelectric Corp. provided FERC approvals for Lisbon Hydro (under project number 3464-NH) as well as a copy of the operating agreement with Public Service Company of New Hampshire. The start date for commercial operation was December 29, 1986; the nameplate capacity is .800 MW of electricity.

The Commission has reviewed the Lisbon Hydro application and determined that all the necessary documentation has been provided to demonstrate that it is eligible for Class IV certification. Therefore, the Commission hereby certifies Lisbon Hydro as a

Class IV renewable energy source eligible to be issued New Hampshire Class IV RECs effective on July 25, 2012.

The facility's NEPOOL generation information system (GIS) facility code is MSS 894. 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 Lisbon Hydro is NH-IV-12-051.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Debra A. Howland". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "D".

Debra A. Howland  
Executive Director

Encl.

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

CHAIRMAN  
Amy L. Ignatius

COMMISSIONERS  
Michael D. Harrington  
Robert R. Scott

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR  
Debra A. Howland



**PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION**  
21 S. Fruit Street, Suite 10  
Concord, N.H. 03301-2429

TDD Access: Relay NH  
1-800-735-2964

Tel. (603) 271-2431

FAX (603) 271-3878

Website:  
[www.puc.nh.gov](http://www.puc.nh.gov)

August 29, 2012

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

Re: **DE 12-224**, White Mountain Hydroelectric Corporation's Eligibility Request for the White Mountain Hydroelectric – Lisbon Facility to Produce Class IV New Hampshire Renewable Energy Certificates (RECs) Pursuant to RSA 362-F and Laws of 2012, Chapter 272  
**New Hampshire Certification Code NH-IV-12-051.**

Dear Mr. Webb:

Please be advised that the New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission has certified the White Mountain Hydroelectric Corporation (White Mountain Hydroelectric Corp.) – Lisbon Hydroelectric (Lisbon Hydro) facility as a Class IV renewable energy source effective July 25, 2012 pursuant to NH RSA 362-F. Accordingly, Lisbon Hydro is eligible to be issued New Hampshire Class IV RECs.

Lisbon Hydro is located on the Ammonoosuc River in Lisbon, NH and has a nameplate capacity of .800 MW of electrical production. The project began commercial operation on December 17, 1996. White Mountain Hydroelectric Corp. has provided evidence that Lisbon Hydro operates in compliance with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission fish passage restoration requirements (Project Number 3464-NH) and has provided a copy of the operating agreement with Public Service Company of New Hampshire. The facility's NEPOOL generation information system (GIS) facility code is MSS 894. The New Hampshire Renewable Portfolio Standard certification code is NH-IV-12-051.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Debra A. Howland".

Debra A. Howland  
Executive Director

cc: Peter Govoni, White Mountain Hydroelectric Corp.

**SERVICE LIST - EMAIL ADDRESSES - DOCKET RELATED**

---

---

Pursuant to N.H. Admin Rule Puc 203.11 (a) (1): Serve an electronic copy on each person identified on the service list.

Executive.Director@puc.nh.gov  
amanda.noonan@puc.nh.gov  
barbara.bernstein@puc.nh.gov  
Christina.Martin@oca.nh.gov  
Jack.ruderman@puc.nh.gov  
jwebb@nyseblue.com  
pfg51@myfairpoint.net  
Rorie.E.P.Hollenberg@oca.nh.gov  
steve.mullen@puc.nh.gov  
suzanne.amidon@puc.nh.gov  
tom.frantz@puc.nh.gov

Docket #: 12-224-1      Printed: August 31, 2012

**FILING INSTRUCTIONS:**

- a) Pursuant to N.H. Admin Rule Puc 203.02 (a), with the exception of Discovery, file 7 copies, as well as an electronic copy, of all documents including cover letter with: DEBRA A HOWLAND  
EXEC DIRECTOR  
NHPUC  
21 S. FRUIT ST, SUITE 10  
CONCORD NH 03301-2429
- b) Serve an electronic copy with each person identified on the Commission's service list and with the Office of Consumer Advocate.
- c) Serve a written copy on each person on the service list not able to receive electronic mail.