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David K. Wiesner, Staff Attorney New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission 12 South Fruit Street, Suite 10 Concord, NH 03301

RE: Draft Site Evaluation Committee Rules

Dear Mr. Wiesner:

In reference to the Site Evaluation Committee's request for public comments regarding the administrative rulemaking called for by N.H. RSA 162-H:10, VII.

The Board of Selectmen for the Town of Antrim would like to show its support for the adoption of the "Draft Site Evaluation Committee Rules" submitted by various energy groups on September 22, 2014.

The Board of Selectmen for the Town of Antrim has long supported renewable energy and would like to see renewable energy infrastructure projects implemented throughout New Hampshire. We see these submitted proposed draft rules as a way for the SEC to have clear and balanced requirements for future application submissions.

After careful review of the Site Evaluation Committee Rules, the Board respectfully requests that the SEC adopt the draft rules so that fair siting criteria are established to better balance the process for future projects that come before the SEC.

Thank you for the opportunity to be heard on this matter. If you have any questions please feel free to contact us.

Sincerely,

Michael Genest, Chairman

Gordon Webber, Selectman

John Robertson, Selectman