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Cc: [Edwin Holmes](mailto:Edwin.Holmes@tds.net)  
Subject: RE: Antrim Wind Noise complaint  
Date: Monday, March 22, 2021 5:24:00 PM  
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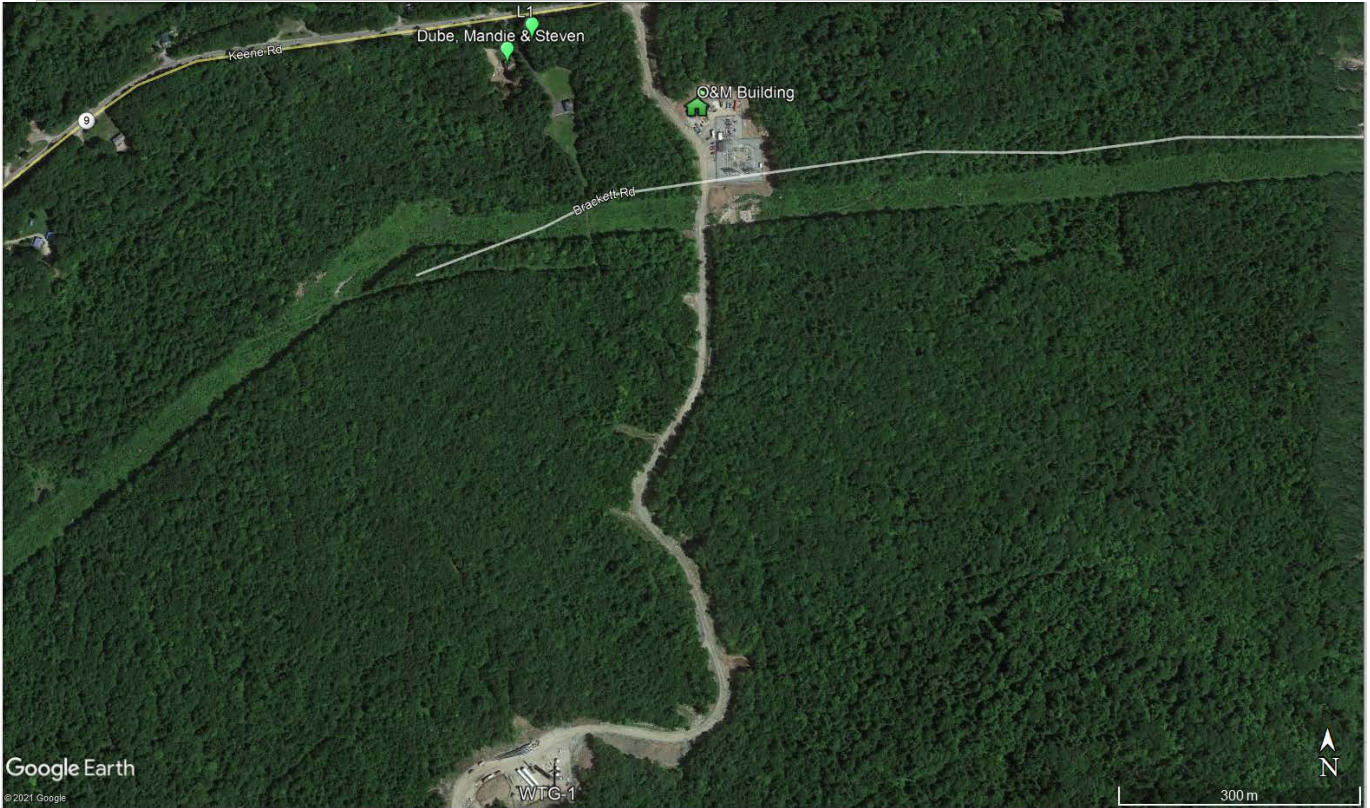
Dear Ms. Donna Hanson and interim administrator,

This email is to acknowledge reception of the complaint form.

Based on the provided address and the Town's tax records and GIS website, the map below show the stakeholder's residence in relation with the closest turbine (WTG-1, often referred as T1). The map also show the L1 location that was used during the post-construction sound monitoring campaigns. The L1 location is approximately 0.56 mile away from the closest turbine, compare to 0.54 mile for the stakeholder's residence. Of note, based on the Winter, Summer and Fall 2020 sound monitoring campaigns and following reports which were submitted to your attention, the sound level produced by the facility and measured at location L1 shown compliance with the sound limit of 40 dBA during nighttime under the worst case scenario (maximum sound from the turbine, downwind).

Considering that the sound level from the facility has been well established to be compliant in the close vicinity of the stakeholder's residence (even under worst case conditions), it is up to the NHSEC administrator to determine if additional complaint validation measurements are warranted, or not, as per NHSEC Site 301.18 (i). If required, further discussions with the stakeholder will be needed to establish under which metrological condition the complaint validation measurements need to be performed by the third-party expert. As previously the NHSEC administrator was the one interacting with the complainers, we seek guidance on how the NHSEC wish to proceed for the resolution of this complaint should complaint validation measurements are deemed warranted.

Thanks and best regards,



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Good Morning,

Please find attached a complaint about the noise of the wind turbines that I received today.

Thank you,  
Donna