

**STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE  
SITE EVALUATION COMMITTEE**

**Order and Notice of Public Meeting**

**It is hereby ordered** that a public meeting of the State of New Hampshire Site Evaluation Committee shall be held on Monday, February 11, 2008, at 9 A.M. at the offices of the New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission, 21 South Fruit Street, Suite 10, Room 103, Concord, New Hampshire.

The agenda for this public meeting shall include the following:

**I. Docket No. 2008-01. Joint Application of Newington Energy, LLC (“NEL”) and North American Energy Alliance, LLC (“NAEA”) (“Co-Applicants”) for approval of transfer of membership interests in NEL**

In this Joint Application, NEL and NAEA, the Co-Applicants, seek approval from the Site Evaluation Committee to transfer the membership interests in NEL from CED/SCS, Newington, LLC, a Delaware Limited Liability Company (“CED/SCS”) to NAEA. NEL operates a nominal 525 megawatt (MW) combined-cycle, dual fuel merchant electric generation facility situated near the Piscataqua River in Newington, New Hampshire, pursuant to a Certificate of Site and Facility issued in Docket No. 98-01 effective May 25, 1999. The facility consists of two GE 7FA combustion turbines, two heat recovery steam generators with supplemental firing, and one steam turbine in combined-cycle configuration. The facility has low NOx burners and selective catalytic reduction for emissions control. The primary fuel is natural gas and the secondary fuel is ultra-low sulfur diesel.

In addition to the site proper, the facility includes a water supply pipeline and intake structure in the Piscataqua River, and an electric transmission line interconnecting the facility to the substation at the Public Service of New Hampshire (“PSNH”) Newington Power Station. A natural gas pipeline runs from the Portland Natural Gas Transmission System and Maritimes Northeast (joint facilities) interconnection point to the site to transport the primary fuel. An oil transfer pipeline, which is owned by Sprague Energy, transmits the alternate diesel oil fuel to the site. One above ground diesel fuel storage tank (“AST”), with one million gallons of storage capacity, is also located on site.

The proposed transferee, NAEA, is owned by Industry Funds Management (37.55%) and Allco Finance Group Limited (62.45%). Subsequent to the transfer of NEL to NAEA, the Co-Applicants submit that day-to-day responsibility for facility operations will continue to be handled by General Electric. General Electric has operated the facility since the commercial operation date of the facility in November, 2002.

At this meeting the Site Evaluation Committee will hear a brief informational presentation from the Co-Applicants and determine whether the Application contains sufficient information regarding the proposed transfer. The Committee may also

consider and address the implementation of a procedural schedule in this docket. The participation of the Co-Applicants, potential intervenors, and the public is welcome.

The aforementioned Application and the attachments thereto are available for public inspection at the office of the Chairman of the Committee located at the Department of Environmental Services, 29 Hazen Drive, Concord, NH.

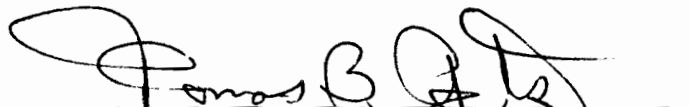
## II. Promulgation of Organizational and Procedural Rules

Pursuant to RSA 541-A:11, the Committee shall conduct a public hearing on proposed organizational and procedural rules. Copies of the proposed rules are available from the Committee's web site: <http://nhsec.state.nh.us/site100.htm>, or from the office of the Vice Chairman of the Committee at the New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission, 21 South Fruit Street, Suite 10, Concord, New Hampshire, 03301. The public is welcome to attend and participate. (Formal notice of the proposed rules was published on January 18, 2008, in the New Hampshire Rulemaking Register, Vol. XXVIII, No. 3, pp. 1 and 3, consistent with RSA 541-A:9.)

## III. New Business

**It is further ordered**, that the Co-Applicants shall cause a copy of this Order and Notice of Public Meeting to be published, no later than February 4, 2008, in the *Manchester Union Leader*, a newspaper of regular statewide circulation, and in one other newspaper having a regular circulation in Rockingham County. The Co-Applicants shall file an affidavit documenting such publication on or before February 11, 2008.

By **ORDER** of the Site Evaluation Committee, this 28th day of January, 2008.

  
Thomas B. Getz, Vice Chairman  
New Hampshire Site Evaluation Committee