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December 23, 2009

Thomas S. Burack, Chairman
Site Evaluation Committee
N.H. Department of Environmental Services
29 Hazen Drive
Concord, NH 03302-0095

Re: Laidlaw Berlin Biopower – SEC Docket No. 2009-02

Dear Chairman Burack:

I enclose for filing with the Committee Laidlaw Berlin Biopower's Motion for Protective Order and Confidential Treatment for Appendix Q (ISO-NE Interconnection Feasibility Study) to the Application for a Certificate of Site and Facility. Pursuant to Committee rules, I have enclosed an original and eighteen (18) copies. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Barry Needleman", written over a white background.

Barry Needleman

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Enclosure

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
BEFORE THE
ENERGY FACILITY SITE EVALUATION COMMITTEE

APPLICATION OF LAIDLAW BERLIN BIOPOWER, LLC FOR A CERTIFICATE
OF SITE AND FACILITY

DOCKET NO. SEC 2009-02

**MOTION FOR PROTECTIVE ORDER AND CONFIDENTIAL
TREATMENT FOR APPENDIX Q (ISO-NE INTERCONNECTION
FEASIBILITY STUDY) TO THE APPLICATION FOR A CERTIFICATE OF
SITE AND FACILITY**

Applicant Laidlaw Berlin Biopower, LLC (“LBB”), respectfully requests that the Site Evaluation Committee (the “Committee”) issue a protective order to maintain the confidentiality of the ISO-NE Interconnection Feasibility Study submitted as Appendix Q to LBB’s Application for a Certificate of Site and Facility. In support of its motion, LBB states as follows:

1. LBB seeks confidential treatment pursuant to RSA 91-A for the ISO-NE Interconnection Feasibility Study (the “Study”) attached as Appendix Q to the Application. LBB did not originally request confidential treatment for this document. Subsequent to filing the Application, ISO-NE contacted LBB and requested that the Study be treated as confidential pursuant to ISO-NE procedural rules and because the document contains confidential, commercial information and critical energy infrastructure information.

2. Because the Study contains confidential, commercial and financial information, it is exempt from public disclosure under the New Hampshire Right to Know Act. RSA 91-A:5, IV. The Committee has the authority pursuant to RSA 91-A:5, IV to protect this information.

WHEREFORE, LBB respectfully requests that the Committee:

- A. Issue an order protecting the Study;
- B. Seal Appendix Q to LBB's Application; and
- C. Grant such other and further relief as may be just and equitable.

Respectfully submitted,

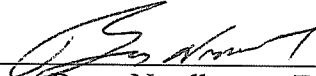
LAIDLAW BERLIN BIOPOWER, LLC

By Its Attorneys

MCLANE, GRAF, RAULERSON &
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Date: December 23, 2009

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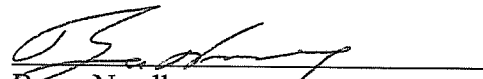


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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a copy of this Motion for Protective Order and Confidential Treatment has been provided to Jane Murray, Secretary for the Committee, because as of this date, there is no service list for this matter.

Dated: December 23, 2009


Barry Needleman