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

Re: Laidlaw Berlin BioPower, LLC – SEC Docket No. 2009-02

Dear Chairman Burack:

Pursuant to Committee rules, I have enclosed an original and eighteen (18) copies of Laidlaw Berlin BioPower's Response to Petition for Intervention of Coos County Commissioners for filing in the above matter.

If you have any questions, please contact me.

Sincerely,

Barry Needleman

BN:cb Enclosure

cc: Service List

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE SITE EVALUATION COMMITTEE

SEC DOCKET NO. 2009-02

Application of Laidlaw Berlin BioPower, LLC, for a Certificate of Site and Facility for a 70MW Biomass Fueled Energy Facility in Berlin, Coos County, New Hampshire

RESPONSE TO PETITION FOR INTERVENTION OF COOS COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

NOW COMES the Applicant, Laidlaw Berlin BioPower, LLC ("Laidlaw"), and submits this Response to Petition for Intervention of the Coos County Commissioners, filed February 25, 2010. Laidlaw has no objection to the Coos County Commissioners intervening in this matter and welcomes their participation.

Respectfully submitted,

Laidlaw Berlin BioPower, LLC

By Its Attorneys,

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Certificate of Service

A copy of this Response has been served by electronic mail this 26th day of February, 2010 to each of the parties on the attached service list and by first class mail to the New Hampshire Attorney General's Office.

Barry Needleman