

**STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
SITE EVALUATION COMMITTEE**

Docket No. 2010-01

**Application of Groton Wind, LLC, for a Certificate of Site and Facility
for a 48 MW Wind Turbine Facility in Groton, New Hampshire**

Order and Notice of Public Meeting

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the duly designated Sub-Committee of the Site Evaluation Committee for the State of New Hampshire shall hold a public meeting and deliberative session in this docket on April 7, 2011, at 9:00 AM, at the office of Public Utilities Commission, Hearing Room A, 21 South Fruit Street, Concord NH, 03301, which shall continue each day thereafter as designated by the Chair or which may be recessed to the call of the Chair.

Background

On March 26, 2010, Groton Wind, LLC (Applicant) filed an Application for a Certificate of Site and Facility to site, construct and operate a renewable energy facility (Facility) in the Town of Groton, Grafton County. The Applicant proposes a wind energy facility consisting of 24 wind turbines, each having a nameplate capacity of two (2) MW for a total nameplate capacity of 48 MW.

On April 26, 2010, the Vice-Chairman of the Committee accepted the Application as provided in RSA 162-H: 6-a, III. On May 7, 2010, the Chairman of the Committee designated a Subcommittee to review the Application as provided in RSA 162-H: 4, V. A public information hearing was held pursuant to RSA 162-H: 6-a, IV, on June 28, 2010. Adjudicatory hearings were held in this docket on November 1, 2010 through November 5, 2010 and on March 22, 2011 and March 25, 2011. On December 3, 2010, the Subcommittee extended the time frame for conclusion of the deliberations in this proceeding until April 26, 2011.

Notice of Deliberative Session

The Sub-Committee will re-convene and deliberate on a final order to be issued in this matter on April 7, 2011 and each day thereafter at the call of the Chair. The meeting is open to all parties to the proceeding and to the public; however, the Committee will not take testimony or public comment at this meeting. The deliberative session may be recessed and continued at the call of the Chair.

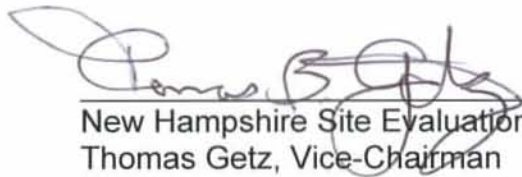
Inspection of the Application

The aforementioned Application and all other correspondence and records regarding this matter are available for public inspection at the Office of the Chairman:

Thomas S. Burack, Chairman
New Hampshire Site Evaluation Committee
c/o New Hampshire Department of Environmental Services
29 Hazen Drive, PO Box 95
Concord, New Hampshire 03302-0095

Portions of the docket are also available for inspection at the Committee's website: www.nhsec.state.nh.us

By **ORDER** of the Site Evaluation Committee, this 4th day of April, 2011.



New Hampshire Site Evaluation Committee
Thomas Getz, Vice-Chairman
Sub-Committee Chairman