



The Senate of the State of New Hampshire

107 North Main Street, Concord, N.H. 03301-4951

SENATOR JEANIE FORRESTER

December 12, 2013

Commissioner Tom Burack
NH Department of Environmental Services
29 Hazen Drive
PO Box 95
Concord, NH 03301

Dear Commissioner Burack:

We had the opportunity to attend the Site Evaluation Committee hearing held October 3 relative to the Groton Wind Project. We continue to have concerns with Iberdrola's noncompliance with the State Fire Code and their apparent disinterest in responding to other concerns discussed during the hearing.

As you are aware, wind projects continue to be a sensitive issue in our communities and Iberdrola's performance to date calls into question their technical and managerial capability for construction and operation of any proposed project.

We strongly urge you to follow and enforce the recommendation of the State Fire Marshal in overseeing that Iberdrola cease operations until safety concerns, plan reviews, and required inspections have been completed and approved.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Jeanie Forrester".

Jeanie Forrester

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A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Suzanne Smith".

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