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To Whom It May Concern:

My name is Michelle Sanborn and I reside in Alexandria, NH with my husband and three children at the base of Forbes Mountain (where 10 of the 37 industrial wind turbines will be located). I have already contacted a number of recipients on this email list and I do appreciate the two responses I received.

As far as I am aware Iberdrola has not submitted to the SEC as of yet, but I am sure they are planning to very shortly with the extension and expansion of the Production Tax Credit. Separate from whatever your personal beliefs may be, I would hope each of you would be objective in considering the wishes of the community in which these turbines will be erected. I would also hope you would personally do some homework and be willing to look at the community's side of the coin concerning industrial wind turbines and their actual (not fabricated by the wind industry) impacts on such matters as the environment, economics of our region, and well documented negative health impacts.

Wind is the most expensive form of electricity to produce, it does not reduce our dependency on fossil fuels, it does destroy property values and quality of life for those within many miles from them. Unfortunately our home will be approximately one-half mile from the ten turbines to be erected on Forbes Mountain. I am EXTREMELY concerned for the well being of my children, our pets, and myself. We have some health issues that make our proximity to these turbines very disturbing. We can't just move (neither should we be forced to do so by having this project shoved down our throats without having a say). Our property will not be saleable if this project goes through as we have been told directly by Ed Cherian that they will be VERY audible at our location - and who wants to live with that? We moved out here to enjoy the peace and quiet of nature. Never in a thousand years did we think that tranquility would be threatened by our very own government using our tax dollars to benefit foreign companies.

Ed Cherian of Iberdrola has stated at two of the informational meetings held in Alexandria, NH that Iberdrola will not force itself on a community that does not want them. I don't believe him. The residents of the Newfound Regions have made it very clear that we do not support industrial wind turbines. He is paid to tell everybody what they want to hear. He is paid to "make sure" these projects go forward. He is just doing his job. Please do your jobs and properly represent the truth of the impact of these industrial wind turbines and deny the project. I understand government is powerful and money even more so, but is that what this boils down to; Power and money with no regard for the truth or the reality that the communities and animals of our environment have to live with or be forced to move away from because our voices were not heard (or don't matter)?

I thank you for your time in reading my plea. Please do some personal, objective research beyond what is presented to you by those that stand to profit from these projects. "Windfall" on Netflix is a documentary of Meredith, NY - worth your time. Also look at [www.forestecologynetwork.org](http://www.forestecologynetwork.org), [www.windturbinepropertyloss.org](http://www.windturbinepropertyloss.org), and [www.boston.com/news/local/massachusetts/2013/01/06/scituate-residents-take-wind-turbine-court/keOwiFISnyfd0Mokr7JwIO/story.html](http://www.boston.com/news/local/massachusetts/2013/01/06/scituate-residents-take-wind-turbine-court/keOwiFISnyfd0Mokr7JwIO/story.html). This is just a little bit of information available from those that are living with the effects of industrial wind turbines - not fear of proposed projects, but actually dealing with the reality of the hell they induce in communities, and well as the lives of individuals that are forced to live with them.

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