STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE SITE EVALUATION COMMITTEE

Docket No. 2015-01

Request of SEA-3, Inc. for Exemption from the Approval and Certificate Provisions of RSA Chapter 162-H October 8, 2015

AGENDA FOR TECHNICAL SESSION ON OCTOBER 14, 2015

Consistent with the Presiding Officer's Order dated September 4, 2015, a Technical Session will be held in this docket on October 14, 2015. The Technical Session shall begin at 9:00 A.M. The Technical Session shall be held at the office of the Public Utilities Commission located at 21 South Fruit Street, Concord N.H., Suite 10, Hearing Room A.

This Technical Session will be an informal opportunity for all parties to ask questions of all witnesses who have filed testimony in this matter. The scope of questioning at this Technical Session shall be limited to issues raised by the Request for Exemption filed by SEA-3, Inc., and questions likely to lead to the discovery of evidence or information related to the issues raised in the Request. The session is not recorded. The following rules and procedures shall apply:

- 1. **Schedule of Witnesses**. The witnesses will be examined in the following order:
 - a. Counsel for the Public Sebago Technics Panel
 - Steven Sawyer, Fredrick Fraini, Robert Davids, Sebago Technics (Counsel for the Public)
 - b. Traffic Safety Witnesses Supporting the Request for Exemption Panel Kim Eric Hazarvartian, TEPP LLC (SEA-3); Paul Bogan, SEA-3
 - c. Traffic Safety Witnesses Opposing the Request for Exemption Panel
 Peter Kinner; Peter Wellenberger; Terrence Collins (by phone);
 Fred C. Mason (Great Bay Stewards)
 - d. Fire Safety Witnesses Supporting the Request for Exemption Panel

Phillip Sherman (SEA-3); Fire Chief Andrew Head (Newington); Nicholas Cricenti, SFC Engineering Partnership (SEA-3); Paul Bogan, SEA-3.

- e. Fire Safety Witnesses Opposing the Request for Exemption Panel
 Interim Fire Chief Eric Hagman (Dover); Fire Chief Steven
 Achilles (Portsmouth)
- f. Planning Witnesses Supporting the Request for Exemption Panel

Stephen Haight, Haight Engineering (SEA-3); Paul Bogan, SEA-3; Justin Richardson (Newington); Denis Hebert (Newington)

- g. Market Witnesses Supporting the request for Exemption Panel
 Joseph Rose, PGANE; Paul Bogan, SEA-3
- h. Portsmouth Intervenors Panel

Richard DiPentima; Robert Gibbons; Patricia Ford; Erica Nania; Jane Sutherland

- **2. Order of Inquiry**. The order of inquiry for each witness will be as follows:
 - a. Counsel for the Public (Peter Roth)
 - b. SEA-3 (excepting supporting witness.) (Alec McEachern)
 - c. Town of Newington (John Ratigan)
 - d. City of Dover (Anthony Blenkinsop)
 - e. City of Portsmouth (Jane Ferrini)
 - f. Great Bay Stewards (Fred Mason)
 - **g.** Portsmouth Intervenors (Christopher Cole)
- **3. Procedures.** Inquiries shall be in a question form and shall not be argumentative. Repetitive questions or inquiries will not be allowed. Questions and inquires to witnesses should be limited to issues pertaining to the witness's field of expertise, prefiled testimony, and the scope of the adjudicative proceeding. Questions regarding qualifications of witnesses will also be allowed. If a proper question or inquiry cannot be answered at the time of the Technical Session, the parties will attempt to agree to a date by which the answer must be provided in writing. Said answers are to be distributed to the parties only and shall not be copied to the committee.

- **4. Counsel for the Committee.** Counsel for the Committee will mediate any disputes regarding inquiries and requests for information and will maintain a list of documents or additional answers requested by the parties. To the extent that any party is aggrieved by the handling of any inquiry, question or document request, that party shall file an appropriate motion for discovery, objection to discovery or motion for a protective order. Said motions and/or objections shall be directed to the presiding officer and shall comply with the Committee's Procedural Rules and the pre-trial order issued in this docket.
- **5. Instructions for Teleconference**. If any party requires teleconference services they should contact Counsel for the Committee immediately so that arrangements can be made.

(Please note that the teleconference service is not guaranteed to operate perfectly and is subject to various problems including but not limited to inclement weather, power failures, line failures and equipment malfunctions. **Therefore, personal appearance is the preferred method of participation.** The Technical Session will not be rescheduled in the event that a party's participation by teleconference is affected by such problems.)

Any questions should be directed to Counsel for the Committee:

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