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April 29, 2016

#### VIA FEDERAL EXPRESS

New Hampshire Site Evaluation Committee Pamela G. Monroe, Administrator 21 South Fruit Street, Suite 10 Concord, NH 03301

Re: NH Site Evaluation Committee Docket No. 2016-02: Joint Petition of IFM Global Infrastructure Fund and Nautilus Generation, LLC for Approval of the Transfer of Membership Interests in Essential Power Newington, LLC

Dear Ms. Monroe:

Enclosed for filing in the above referenced docket, please find an original and one copy of an Affidavit of George Dana Bisbee.

Very truly yours,
Beijam O. Hann

Benjamin O. Hanna

BOH/lml

Enclosure

cc:

(by email only)
Barry Needleman
K. Allen Brooks
Michael J. Iacopino

# STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE SITE EVALUATION COMMITTEE

JOINT PETITION OF IFM GLOBAL INFRASTRUCTURE FUND AND NAUTILUS GENERATION, LLC FOR APPROVAL OF THE TRANSFER OF MEMBERSHIP INTERESTS IN ESSENTIAL POWER NEWINGTON, LLC

#### SEC DOCKET NO. 2016-02

#### AFFIDAVIT OF GEORGE DANA BISBEE

- I, George Dana Bisbee, being duly sworn, do under oath depose and state as follows:
- 1. I am a Shareholder at Devine, Millimet & Branch, P.A., which represents Nautilus Generation, LLC ("Nautilus") in the above-captioned matter.
- 2. On February 29, 2016, IFM Global Infrastructure Fund ("IFM") and Nautilus filed a Joint Petition with the Site Evaluation Committee ("Committee") seeking approval to indirectly transfer membership interests in Essential Power Newington, LLC to Nautilus.
- 3. On April 20, 2016, the Committee ordered that IFM or Nautilus cause a copy of the Order and Notice of Pre-Hearing Conference and Public Hearing ("Order") to be published no later than April 26, 2016, in the New Hampshire Union Leader, a newspaper of regular statewide circulation, and in one or more additional newspapers having regular circulation in Rockingham County.
- 4. The Order was published in the New Hampshire Union Leader on April 25, 2016, and in the Portsmouth Herald, a newspaper of regular circulation in Rockingham County, on April 23, 2016.
- 5. The Order further requires IFM and Nautilus to provide affidavits documenting the required publication of the Order and Notice as well as a copy of the published public notice to the Site Evaluation Committee Administrator no later than May 2, 2016.

| 6.   | Copies of the published Order for | r both newspapers are attached hereto as Exhibit A. |
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|      | 4/28/16                           | MXm   |
| Date |                                   | George Dana Bisbee                                  |

## STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE COUNTY OF HILLSBOROUGH

Personally appeared before me this <u>April</u>, 2016, the above-described George Dana Bisbee, and made oath that the statements contained in the within Affidavit are true and accurate to the best of his knowledge and belief.

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SARAH L. KERR, Notary Public

My Commission Expire October 26, 2016

## EXHIBIT A

## Legal Notice

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
SITE EVALUATION COMMITTEE
Docket No. 2016-02
Joint Petition of IFM Global
Infrastructure Fund and Nautilus
Generation, LLC for
Approval of the Transfer of
Membership Interests in
Essential Power Newington, LLC
ORDER AND NOTICE OF
PRE-HEARING CONFERENCE AND
PUBLIC HEARING
Background

On February 29, 2016, IFM Global Infrastructure Fund (IFM) and Nautilus Generation, LLC (Nautilus), filed a joint Petition with the Site Evaluation Committee (Committee) seeking approval to transfer membership interests in Essential Power Newington, LLC (EP Newington), to Nautilus. The joint Petition requested the appointment of a three-member subcommittee under RSA 162-H and an expedited review and approval of the proposed transfer of ownership interests in IFM to Nautilus. On March 28, 2016, an order was issued appointing a subcommittee.

According to the joint Petition, EP Newington owns and operates a 525 megawatt combined-cycle, dual fuel merchant electric generation facility in Newington, New Hampshire (Facility), pursuant to a Certificate of Site and Facility issued in Docket No. 98-01, effective May 25, 1999 (the Certificate). The Certificate was issued to and is currently held by, EP Newington (which was known as Newington Energy, LLC, at the time that the Certificate was issued). IFM itself owns 100% of the membership interests in Essential Power Investments, LLC (Essential Power Investments) Power Investments). Essential Power owns, through several wholly-owned subsidiaries, a 100% equity interest in EP Newington. Essential Power, LLC (EPLLC), a subsidiary of Essential Power Investments acquired 100% of the membership interests in EP Newington, and thus acquired the Facility, in 2008 after the Committee authorized the transfer of all member-ship interests in EP Newington to EPLLC in Docket No. 2008-01. A "Pre-Transfer Organization Chart" is included as an Appendix to the Joint Petition.

The Joint Petition and any related filings may be examined on the Committee's website: www.nhsec.nh.gov or during business hours at:

New Hampshire Site
Evaluation Committee
21 South Fruit Street, Suite 10
Concord N.H. 03301
Authority for Hearing

The Committee's authority to approve or deny the proposed transfer of membership interests is set forth at RSA 162-H:5, I.

**Intervention and Public Comment** 

A person demonstrating that his or her rights, duties, privileges, immunities or other substantial interests may be affected by this proceeding may file a motion to intervene. Any person wishing to intervene in this matter shall file a motion to intervene on or before **May 9, 2016**. Motions to intervene shall comply with the requirements of RSA 541-A:32 and N.H. CODE OF ADMINISTRATIVE RULES, Site 202.11. Objections to motions to intervene shall be filed by **May 16, 2016**.

Written public comments on the joint petition will be accepted through the conclusion of the proceedings. Motions, objections and written comments may be sent via first-class mail or email to:

Pamela Monroe, Administrator NH Site Evaluation Committee 21 South Fruit Street, Suite 10 Concord N.H. 03301 Pamela.Monroe@sec.nh.gov **Prehearing Conference** 

A prehearing conference will be held on May 18, 2016 at 10:00 a.m. at the office of the Public Utilities Commission, 21 South Fruit Street, Suite 10, Concord, N.H. 03301. A prehearing conference is an informal proceeding at which the parties to the docket may discuss the issues including, but not limited to: the conduct of discovery and technical sessions; offers of settlement or agreement on any issue; methods to simplify the issues in dispute; stipulations or admissions as to issues of fact or proof by consent of the parties; changes to standard procedures by consent of the parties; limitations on the number of witnesses or scope of discovery; consolidation of witnesses; the filing of the testimony of witnesses; and any other matter that may aid in the disposition of the proceeding. The Petitioners, Counsel for the Public, parties seeking intervention and all other parties shall attend the prehearing con-

Public Hearing

A public hearing will be conducted on June 2, 2016 at 9:00 a.m. and on June 3, 2016 at 9:00 a.m., if needed, at the office of the Public Utilities Commission, 21 South Fruit Street, Suite 10, Concord, N.H. 03301. The public hearing shall be conducted as an adjudicative proceeding and may include deliberation on the merits of the Joint Petition.

Publication

IFM or Nautilus shall cause a copy of this Order and Notice of Pre-Hearing Conference and Public Hearing to be published no later than April 26, 2016, in the New Hampshire Union Leader, a newspaper of regular statewide circulation, and, as soon as publication schedules permit, in one or more additional newspapers having a regular circulation in Rockingham County. IFM and/or Nautilus shall file an affidavit documenting such publication with the Subcommittee on or before May 2, 2016. IFM and/or Nautilus shall bear the cost of said publication.

SO ORDERED this twentieth day of

April, 2016.

Patricia Weathersby, Presiding Officer Site Evaluation Committee

(UL - April 25)

### **OBITUARIES/NEWS**

### William A. Wood, Jr.

PORTSMOUTH - Wil-PORTSMOUTH — William A. Wood, Jr., age 76, passed away peacefully on Tuesday, April 5, 2016, at Portsmouth Hospital, He left this world surrounded with family and fine decided. by his family and friends after a courageous battle with congestive heart failure. He was born in failure. He was born in Beverly, Mass., on Septem-ber 13, 1939, to Pauline Ida (Aldrich) Wood, and Wil-liam A. Wood Sr. He spent many years as a Beverly resident, then resided in North Hampton, N.H., and Ft Lauderdale, Fla.

Ft Lauderdale, Fla.

He was a proud graduate of Essex Agricultural
and Technical Institute,
where he was president of
their chapter of The Future
Farmers of America, and Farmers of America, and captain of the football team.
His incredible work ethic

His incredible work ethic and independent spirit led him to be the owner of a variety of businesses. His first endeavor, Wood Tree and Landscape, was established when he was 17. From there, he went on to own and operate excavation, trucking, and heavy equipment companies, as well as two restaurants. two restaurants.

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He is now reunited with
his one, true, love-his wife
JoAnn (Tiese) Wood whom
he has missed dearly.
He leaves behind three
daughters. Debbie Wood
of North Hampton, Linnie
Natasha Wood of Sudbury,

Mass., Johanna Robertson and her husband David of Beverly, Mass., and three sons-William T. Wood Sr., and his wife Cheryl of East Kingston, N.H., John Wood and his wife Laura of Stratham, N.H., and Dale Wood and his wife Kristine Wood and his wife Kristine of Pt. Lauderdale, Pia. Also, his cherished grandchildren Richard "Muggsy" Gardner and his wife Hilary of Marl-borough, Mass., Donnie and Wayne "Sluggo" Larrabee of Beverly, Mass., James Hurlbert of North Hampton N.H., Jessica, Katle, and Melissa Wood of Stratham, N.H., JoAnn, Elisabeth, and Victoria Wood of Pt. Lauderdale, Pia., and William T. Wood Jr. of E. Kingston, N.H. He is also survived by his

He is also survived by his brother Danny Wood and hi wife Diane of Laconia, N.H., their son Joshua Wood, his brother D. Bruce Wood and his wife Marilyn of Derry, N.H., their daughter Stephanie and his special aunt Edna (Wood) Goodwin He was a dedicated bus.

aunt Edna (Wood) Goodwin
He was a dedicated husband and father, and a loyal
friend to many. His generous and kind spirit will be
missed by all who knew and
loved him.
Memorial donations may
be made in his name to the
American Heart Association (www.heart.org)
Service plans will be
announced at a later date.

in the Committee's website. www.nhee.c.h.gov or during business to the Committee's website. www.nhee.c.h.gov or during business hours at:

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