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Via Electronic Mail Only

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RE: Docket No. 2021-02, Investigations of Complaints Regarding Antrim Wind Energy Facility

Dear Chairman Goldner,

In Chairwoman Martin's April 2, 2021 Order, she directed the Subcommittee to provide quarterly reports. This is the Subcommittee's final quarterly report for 2021.

The Subcommittee's first charge was to forward a written recommendation regarding the appropriate methodologies for measurement and analysis of sound, and procedure for validating noise complaints. The Subcommittee completed that task with the August 23, 2021 Recommendation I forwarded to Chairwoman Martin.

The Subcommittee has now progressed to Charge 2 in the April 2, 2021 Order, reviewing and investigating Complaints filed through December 31, 2021 regarding Facility operations. The Subcommittee completed a site visit on November 9, 2021. The Subcommittee visited the facility as well as the homes of three Complainants. The Subcommittee has also issued requests for information from the facility. The Subcommittee is nearing finalization of a contract with a sound expert, and expects to have independent sound measurements taken at appropriate locations and times.

Following the completion of Charge 2, the Subcommittee will proceed to Charge 3 – recommending disposition of the Complaints filed through December 31, 2021. It will wait to do so until after the full Site Committee has issued an order with respect to the Subcommittee's August 23, 2021 Recommendation.

Sincerely,

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