STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE SITE EVALUATION COMMITTEE

Antrim Wind Energy Facility Investigative Plan April 20, 2021

- 1. Review NH Statutes, administrative rules and procedures for the NH Site Evaluation Committee as they relate to noise.
- 2. Review the facility's certificate and all other relevant filings related to the noise metrics, limits, and sound measurement methodology.
- 3. As necessary, obtain the services of a third party noise expert with experience in wind energy noise to provide recommendations and assistance to the Subcommittee on both the existing standards in NH as well as what standards have been implemented in other states. If necessary, hold public meetings to hear from interested parties.
- 4. Provide a written recommendation regarding the appropriate noise metrics, limits, and sound measurement methodology as they relate to the Antrim Wind Energy Facility. This recommendation will identify any inconsistencies or gaps in the law, rules, procedures, and the certificate.
- 5. Coordinate with the full Site Evaluation Committee to receive input and concurrence on the noise metrics, limits, and sound measurement methodology which will be used to address the existing and future noise concerns.
- 6. Review existing written noise complaints, Aircraft Detection Lighting System (ADLS) complaints, and other related information.
- 7. Conduct public meetings to hear and identify any additional concerns. The subcommittee will hear from all interested parties.
- 8. Perform a site visit.
- 9. Make recommendations to the full Committee regarding the disposition of each complaint filed through December 31, 2021.