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Mrs. Susan Hudson, Clerk  
Vermont Public Service Board  
112 State Street, Drawer 20  
Montpelier, VT 05620-2701

Re: Petition of EMDC, LLC d/b/a East Haven Windfarm  
Docket No. \_\_\_\_\_

Dear Mrs. Hudson:

Enclosed for filing are the original and 6 copies of the Petition of EMDC, LLC d/b/a East Haven Windfarm for a Certificate of Public Good ("CPG"), prefiled direct testimony and exhibits in support of the Petition, notices of appearance, and a certificate of service.

The Petition seeks a CPG for a proposed 6 MW windfarm in East Haven, Vermont, including associated transmission and interconnection facilities extending to a point on the existing Lyndonville Electric Department (LED) system in East Haven (the "Project"). As the enclosed materials explain, LED will be proposing upgrades to its system to transmit the Project's energy from that point to its substation at Burke Mountain (the "LED Upgrade"). Petitioner has been working very closely with LED on designing and reviewing the LED upgrade. LED will apply for a CPG for the LED Upgrade in the near future. We expect to propose that the Board consolidate some of the proceedings on the Project and the LED Upgrade where there are common issues and witnesses, for the sake of efficiency.

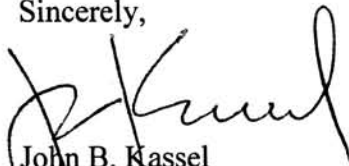
The Petitioner requests the Board to establish a process for hearing this matter that is as expeditious as possible, consistent with the rights of other parties. It may be possible to construct the Project and the LED Upgrade in one construction season, in 2004. If CPGs are issued by late March of 2004, the Project could be delivering low-cost, renewable energy to Vermonters by this time next year. If the Board is inclined to hear this matter directly, we would be pleased to present the case to the Board. If the Board would prefer to assign this matter to a Hearing Officer we would also be happy to work with the Hearing Officer, and the parties, to ensure that this matter can be considered as efficiently as possible.

We will be converting the enclosed filing to an easily accessible electronic format in the near future. When that is prepared I will convey it to you, so that the filing can be made more readily available to the Board and others.

Finally, please be advised that notice was provided to the Board of Selectmen of the Town of East Haven (which has no planning commission), and to the Northeast Vermont Development Association, pursuant to 30 V.S.A. section 248(f), on October 16, 2003.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. Do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "J. Kassel", written over a circular stamp or mark.

John B. Kassel

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cc: Attached Service List