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STATE OF VERMONT
PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

Case No. 20-1951-PET

Green Mountain Power Corporation request)
for a non-substantial change determination,)
or in the alternative amend the CPG issued)
to the Lowell Mountain Kingdom Community)
Wind Project in Docket 7628)

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SERVICE COMMENTS

On July 22, 2020, Green Mountain Power Corporation (“GMP”) filed a request for a non-substantial change determination or, in the alternative, a certificate of public good (“CPG”) amendment in the above-referenced proceeding for proposed changes to certain stormwater management features at the Kingdom Community Wind Project. Specifically, GMP proposes to relocate four level spreaders on the site to enable continued monitoring and maintenance of these features going forward (“Project”). The Department of Public Service (“Department”) has reviewed GMP’s petition and accompanying testimony and maintains that the proposed Project constitutes a non-substantial change to the original CPG. However, as the proposed work falls significantly within the purview of the Agency of Natural Resources (“ANR”), the Department defers to ANR on whether the Project constitutes a non-substantial change or whether a CPG amendment should be issued, if at all.

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on this matter. Please contact me with any questions.

Dated at Montpelier, Vermont this 31st day of July, 2020.

VERMONT DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SERVICE

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