



**State of Vermont
Public Utility Commission**

MEMORANDUM

To: Annette Smith, Vermonters for a Clean Environment, Inc.
Cc: Parties in Case Nos. 20-1400-LCOMP and 20-1951-PET
From: Holly Anderson, Clerk of the Commission *HRA*
Re: Case Nos. 20-1400-LCOMP and 20-1951-PET
Date: May 5, 2021

On April 23, 2021, Vermonters for a Clean Environment, Inc. ("VCE") filed a public comment in Vermont Public Utility Commission ("Commission") Case No. 20-1400-LCOMP. In that comment, VCE stated that Green Mountain Power Corporation ("GMP") had not filed its required six-month compliance report on the status of its progress pursuing radar-activated lighting for installation on its wind turbines on Lowell Mountain. The comment indicated that you were unable to locate any reports filed after May 13, 2020, in either Case No. 20-1400-LCOMP or the associated legacy case files on ePUC.

However, on July 22, 2020, GMP filed a petition with the Commission seeking either a non-substantial change determination or an amendment to its certificate of public good authorizing GMP to make changes to four of the level spreaders previously approved for installation at its Lowell Mountain wind project. In response to that petition, the Commission opened Case No. 20-1951-PET.

On August 3, 2020, the Commission issued an order in Case No. 20-1951-PET amending GMP's certificate of public good for the Lowell Mountain wind project. In that order the Commission stated that all future compliance filings related to the Lowell Mountain wind project were to be made in the compliance subcase of Case No. 20-1951-PET and that Case No. 20-1400-LCOMP would be closed. The Commission also issued its order closing Case No. 20-1400-LCOMP on August 3, 2020.

Consistent with the requirements of the Commission's August 3, 2020, order in Case No. 20-1951-PET, our records indicate that GMP filed its six-month progress report in the compliance subcase of that case on November 13, 2020. The report describes GMP's continued actions in pursuit of a radar-activated lighting system for the Lowell mountain wind project.

In response to VCE's comment, we reviewed the summary page for Case No. 20-1400-LCOMP, specifically the panel for compliance filings from legacy cases. As a result, we found that a related case reference for Case No. 20-1951-PET was missing and we have since corrected that omission. The Commission appreciates your bringing that to its attention. To ensure that you

receive notice of any future compliance filings related to GMP's Lowell Mountain wind project, please make sure that you are subscribed to Case No. 20-1951-PET.

We will take VCE's public comment filed in case No. 20-1400-LCOMP and load it as a public comment in Case No. 20-1951-PET so that other parties to that case can access it and, if they deem it appropriate, file a response.

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