

STATE OF VERMONT
PUBLIC SERVICE BOARD

McLane complaint re: Georgia Mountain Community Wind, LLC wind electric generation facility in Georgia, Vermont, turbine operation in icing conditions on January 3, 2017	
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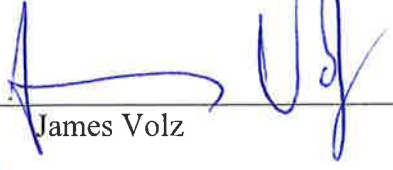
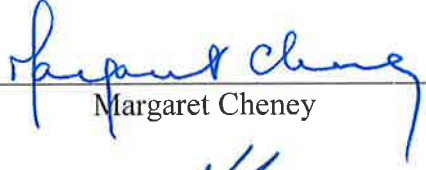
PROCEDURAL ORDER: RESPONSE TO COMPLAINT

On January 9, 2017, the Vermont Public Service Board ("Board") received a complaint from Scott and Melodie McLane alleging that the Georgia Mountain Community Wind, LLC ("GMCW") turbines were operating on January 3, 2017, with ice on the turbine blades in violation of GMCW's approved winter operating protocol (the "McLane complaint"). A certificate of service accompanying the McLane complaint indicates that a copy of the filing was served on counsel of record for GMCW, as well as the Vermont Department of Public Service ("Department") and the Vermont Agency of Natural Resources ("ANR").

The Board directs GMCW to file a response to the McLane complaint by the close of business on Friday, January 27, 2017. In its response, GMCW shall state whether the turbines were operating with ice on the blades at the times described in the McLane complaint and shall provide an explanation supporting its response. Copies shall be provided to those individuals and entities receiving this order. Additionally, the Board requests comments and recommendations from the Department and ANR on both the McLane complaint and GMCW's response thereto. Any such comments and recommendations should be filed no later than close of business on Monday, February 6, 2017.

SO ORDERED.

Dated at Montpelier, Vermont this 13th day of January, 2017.

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Margaret Cheney	)	BOARD
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Sarah Hofmann	)	OF VERMONT

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Attest: Judith C. Whitney
Clerk of the Board

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