

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS
PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

IN RE: APPLICATION FOR STANDARD CERTIFICATION : DOCKET NO. 4674
AS ELIGIBLE RENEWABLE ENERGY RESOURCE FILED :
BY PISGAH MOUNTAIN LLC – NEW GENERATION :

ORDER

WHEREAS, On November 14, 2016, Pisgah Mountain, LLC¹ (Company) filed with the Rhode Island Public Utilities Commission (PUC) an application seeking standard certification for its Pisgah Mountain, LLC Generation Unit, a 9.075 MW wind facility located in Clifton, Maine, as an eligible New Renewable Energy Resource in accordance with the PUC’s Rules and Regulations Governing the Implementation of a Renewable Energy Standard (RES Regulations) and R.I. Gen. Laws § 39-26-1; and

WHEREAS, Pursuant to Section 6.0 and other relevant Sections of the RES Regulations, a thirty-day period for public comment was provided, during which time no such comments were received; and

WHEREAS, On December 19, 2016, supplemental and clarifying information was provided to PUC Staff and their application review consultant in response to the application review consultant’s December 19, 2016 request for said information; and

WHEREAS, Said supplemental and clarifying information included: documentation verifying the facility’s ISO-NE Asset ID and evidence of the facility’s achievement of Commercial Operation; and

WHEREAS, After examination, the PUC is of the opinion that the application, including said supplemental information, is proper, reasonable, and in compliance with

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the RES Regulations and hereby grants the Company certification as an eligible renewable energy resource pursuant to the R. I. Gen. Laws § 39-26-1; and

WHEREAS, The PUC's determination in this docket is based on the information submitted by the Company and the PUC may reverse its ruling or revoke the Company's certification if any material information provided by the Company proves to be false or misleading.

Accordingly, it is

(22655) ORDERED:

1) The Pisgah Mountain, LLC Generation Unit meets the requirements for eligibility as a New, Wind Renewable Energy Resource with its 9.075 MW, Grid Connected Generation Unit having a Commercial Operation Date of December 16, 2016 and located within the NEPOOL control area in Clifton, Maine.

2) The Generation Unit's NEPOOL-GIS Identification Number is MSS48645.

3) The Company's Generation Unit as identified above is hereby assigned unique certification number RI-4674-N17.

4) The facility's Renewable Energy Certificates ("RECs") become Rhode Island-eligible effective on the first day which the Rhode Island certification number is issued. All RECs associated with the production of eligible energy that are minted on or after the Effective Date are eligible for the RES.

5) Although the PUC will rely upon the NEPOOL GIS for verification of production of energy from the Company's Generation Unit certified as eligible in this Order, the Company will provide information and access as necessary to the PUC, or persons acting at its behest, to conduct audits or site visits to assist in verification of

continued eligibility for and compliance with RI RES Certification at any time at the PUC's discretion.

6) The Company shall notify the PUC in the event of a change in the facility's eligibility status.

EFFECTIVE AT WARWICK, RHODE ISLAND ON JANUARY 30, 2017
PURSUANT TO AN OPEN MEETING DECISION. WRITTEN ORDER ISSUED
JANUARY 30, 2017.

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION



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Margaret E. Curran, Chairperson

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Marion S. Gold, Commissioner

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NOTICE OF RIGHT OF APPEAL: Pursuant to R.I. Gen. Laws § 39-5-1, any person aggrieved by a decision or order of the PUC may, within seven days (7) from the date of the order, petition the Supreme Court for a Writ of Certiorari to review the legality and reasonableness of the decision or order.