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Via Electronic Filing

Ms. Barcy McNeal Public Utilities Commission of Ohio Administration/Docketing 180 East Broad Street, 11th Floor Columbus, OH 43215-3793

Re: Hog Creek Wind Farm LLC Applications for Amendments, Case Nos. 16-1422-EL-BGA and 16-1423-EL-BGA

Dear Ms. McNeal:

On June 22, 2016, Hog Creek Wind Farm LLC ("Hog Creek") filed applications to amend its Certificates of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need issued in Case Nos. 09-277-EL-BGN and 10-654-EL-BGN. The Hog Creek amendments seek authority to: focus on only one turbine model that reflects updated technology; adjust turbine sites as necessary to address applicable setbacks due to Ohio state law changes; and adjust access road and underground electric connection locations.

Tetra Tech conducted archeology shovel tests in low surface visibility areas in September, and has recommended avoidance of three sites, primarily historic farmsteads with structural ruins. As a result of the avoidance recommendations, the Applicant made slight adjustments to two crane paths, two access roads, and one collection line. The archeology report will be available and will be filed in approximately four weeks.

As a result of Tetra Tech's archeology shovel tests, Hog Creek supplements its Amendment Applications to reflect the following specific changes to the project layout to include:

- Access road to T-18 shifted 500' south to avoid archeological area,
- Access road to T-30 shifted 500' south to avoid archeological area,
- Crane walk from T-21 to T25 rerouted to avoid archeological area,
- Crane walk from T-23 to T-26 removed to avoid non participating land owner,
- MV cable routing revised to match road changes, and
- Several temporary turn radii revised to avoid ditches, waterways, and non-participating land owners.

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The kmz, shape files, and drawings for the revisions were provided to OPSB Staff on September 30, 2016.

If you have any questions please call at the number listed above.

Sincerely,

Sally W. Bloomfield

cc: Jonathan Pawley

Andrew Conway

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cc: Public officials served a copy of the Amendments

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