BEFORE THE OHIO POWER SITING BOARD

In the Matter of the Application of)	
Hardin Wind LLC, for a Certificate)	
to Construct a Wind-Powered Electric)	Case No. 13-1177-EL-BGN
Generating Facility in Hardin County)	
and Logan County, Ohio)	

RESPONSE TO STAFF'S MOTION FOR WAIVER AND REQUEST FOR EXPEDITED RULING

Hardin Wind LLC ("Hardin Wind") files this Response to the Motion for Waiver of O.A.C. § 4906-5-05(A), filed by the Staff of Ohio Power Siting Board ("Staff") on August 15, 2013. Staff requested a waiver of O.A.C. § 4906-5-05(A), which requires the Chairman of the Board to issue a completeness determination within sixty days following receipt of the application. Staff requests a waiver that would extend the deadline for issuing the determination to September 25, 2013.

Hardin Wind is not opposed to the request for waiver provided the deadline for determination does not extend beyond September 25, 2013.

Respectfully submitted,

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