Memorandum

To:

Scott Farkas, Administrative Law Judge

Legal Department

From: Klaus Lambeck, Chief

Facilities, Siting & Environmental Analysis Division

Department of Energy and Environment

Date: October 7, 2013

Re:

Motion for Waivers, Case No. 13-1767-EL-BSB and 13-1768-EL-BTX

On September 30, 2013, Hardin Wind LLC (Applicant) filed a motion for waivers of the following Board rules and statutes: O.A.C. 4906-5-04(A) and 4906-15-04(B)(2)(a)(i).

Staff does not object to the waiver requests, but reserves the right to require information from the Applicant in areas covered by the waiver requests if Staff determines it to be necessary during the course of the investigation.

With the provisions stated below, Staff does not object to the following waiver requests in this proceeding:

- 1. Rule 4906-17-05(A)(4), OAC, waiver of certain requirements to provide fully developed information on an alternate route and location for the proposed transmission line and substation.
- 2. Rule 4906-15-04 (B)(2)(a)(i), OAC, waiver of certain requirements for mapping of all grade elevations modified during construction. Rather than provide a detailed map, the Applicant may provide a description of the standard grade elevations that will occur across the project when constructing all project components.

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