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ND SHPO Ref.: 08-1046 Border Winds Wind Energy Project; Proposed Turbine Visual Effect on the Coghlan Castle Site (32RO51) Rolette County, North Dakota

Dear Mr. Sather,

We reviewed ND SHPO Ref.: 08-1046 Border Winds Wind Energy Project; Proposed Turbine Visual Effect on the Coghlan Castle Site (32RO51) Rolette County, North Dakota. There is insufficient evidence to make a determination of effect (No Adverse Effect or Adverse Effect) regarding visual effect on this historic property listed on the National Register of Historic Places. We have no additional requests or comments.

If you have any questions, please contact Susan Quinnell, Review & Compliance Coordinator 701-328-3576, e-mail: squinnell@nd.gov

Sincerely,

Merlan E. Paaverud, Jr.
State Historic Preservation Officer (North Dakota) and
Director, State Historical Society of North Dakota

C: Patrick Fahn, PSC