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**Re: Application for Amendment to Certificate of Site Compatibility
(Case No. PU-08-932)**

Dear Mr. Nitschke:

Pursuant to North Dakota Century Code § 49-22-08(4), please find enclosed an original and ten copies of the application of EDF Renewable Development, Inc. ("EDF"), formerly known as enXco Development Corporation, for an amendment to its Certificate of Site Compatibility for Energy Conversation Facility Number 23 (the "Certificate"), originally issued June 8, 2011 in the above-referenced case for the Merricourt Wind Power Project (the "Project"). Note that the enclosed application is a corrected version that replaces the version submitted October 3, 2014.

At the time the Certificate was issued, EDF anticipated using GE 1.5 MW turbines. However, due to turbine availability, EDF has revised its plans to instead use Vestas V100 2.0 MW turbines. The overall size of the project will remain 150 MW, but using a larger turbine model will allow for use of a lower total number of turbines. The resulting decreased turbine count and reduced Project footprint have changed the anticipated Project layout. The enclosed application provides the updated layout as well as other updated Project information. The application also addresses the impacts of the updated layout on exclusion and avoidance areas and provides a revised noise analysis.

In the Certification Relating to Order Provisions — Energy Conversion Facility Siting ("Certification") in this case filed by EDF, dated December 20, 2010, paragraph No. 35 provides that "[a]ny additions or modifications to the site plan for the energy conversation facility must be approved in writing by the Commission or the Commission staff" and that such approval may be granted after notice and opportunity for hearing.

Pursuant to North Dakota Century Code § 49-22-08(4) and paragraph No. 35 of the Certification, EDF hereby requests an amendment to the Certificate approving the turbine changes and other



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updates set forth in the attached materials. Pursuant to paragraph No. 35 of the Certification, EDF understands that approval may be granted after notice and opportunity for hearing.

Finally, in addition to the application, we are enclosing corporate documents for EDF Renewable Development, Inc., a Delaware corporation registered in North Dakota, including Delaware Certificate of Incorporation, a Delaware Good Standing Certificate, and documentation of the company's name change.

Very truly yours,

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