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18 April 2013

Mr. Allen C. Hoberg
Office of Administrative Hearings
2911 North 14th Street – Suite 303
Bismarck, ND 58503

Re: Courtenay Wind Farm, LLC
200.5 MW Wind Energy Conversion Facility, Stutsman County
PU-13-64
Siting Application

Dear Mr. Hoberg:

Enclosed is a request for an Administrative Law Judge in the captioned case. A hearing has not been scheduled yet but when a Notice of Hearing is issued I will forward it to your office.

The Administrative Law Judge will serve as a procedural law judge and the hearing will be electronically recorded.

If you have any questions, please contact me. Thank you.

Best regards,

Illona A. Jeffcoat-Sacco
General Counsel

enclosure
c: w/encl. Mollie Smith



REQUEST FOR ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE--APPEAL, APPLICATION, OR PETITION
 NORTH DAKOTA OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS
 SFN 17819 (Rev. 06-2007)

Name of Agency, Board, or Commission
 North Dakota Public Service Commission

The above named agency, board, or commission requests designation of an administrative law judge from the Office of Administrative Hearings for the Courtenay Wind Farm, LLC, 200.5 MW Wind Energy Conversion Facility, Stutsman County
 PSC Case No. PU-13-64

(e.g., application of [name], appeal of [name], petition of [name]). Authority for the administrative action is found in North Dakota Century Code Chapter 49-22 (North Dakota Century Code and/or North Dakota Administrative Code).

Please attach related documents and correspondence.

The administrative action is more fully described as follows:
 On April 12, 2013, Courtenay Wind Farm filed an application for a Certificate of Site Compatibility for the Courtenay Wind Farm Project, to be located in Stutsman County, North Dakota

It requests designation of an administrative law judge (please check one):

- To conduct the hearing and issue recommended findings of fact, conclusions of law, and order.
- To serve as a procedural administrative law judge only (no recommended decision). The agency head will be present at the hearing as required by NDCC 28-32-31(5). See NDCC 54-57-04.
- To conduct the hearing, issue findings of fact, conclusions of law, and a final order.

PLEASE MAKE A REQUEST FOR AN ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE AT LEAST ONE MONTH BEFORE THE HEARING.

Please list parties, including the agency if it is a Party, and Representation [attorney (or other)] if known, or Agency Contact: (Attach separate list if necessary.)

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| AGENCY See attached | Address | Telephone Number |
| Representation | Address | Telephone Number |
| PARTY | Address | Telephone Number |
| Representation | Address | Telephone Number |
| PARTY | Address | Telephone Number |
| Representation | Address | Telephone Number |

Additional Comments
 This case is in its early stages and a Notice of Hearing has not been issued yet. When a Notice is issued we will forward it to your office.

(For agencies required to use OAH, notice of hearing will be issued by the administrative law judge, unless a procedural administrative law judge is requested. Other requesting agencies and agencies requesting a procedural administrative law judge should first contact OAH about scheduling a hearing. If notice has already been issued, attach a copy of the notice.)

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| Typed or Printed Name and Title of Requesting Person Illona A. Jeffcoat-Sacco, General Counsel | Date 18 Apr 13 |
| Signature of Requesting Person X | Telephone Number (701) 328-2407 |

Attachment
 Request for ALJ
 18 April 2013

Courtenay Wind Farm, LLC
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| PARTY Courtenay Wind Farm, LLC | Address 7650 Edinborough Way Suite 725 Edina, MN 55435 | Telephone Number 218-723-3963 |
| Representation Mollie Smith Fredrikson & Byron, P.A. | Address 200 S. 6th St. Ste 4000 Minneapolis, MN 55402-1425 | Telephone Number 612-492-7270 |
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