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Via Hand-Delivery and Electronic Mail

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In re: Emmons-Logan Wind, LLC
Emmons-Logan Wind Energy Center
Case No. PU-18-280
Our File No. 035218-000046

Dear Mr. Kahl:

On behalf of Emmons-Logan Wind, LLC (“Emmons-Logan Wind”), enclosed for filing in the above-referenced matter, are eight copies of the following:

- 1. Expedited Request for Commission Approval for Tree and Shrub Clearance; and,**
- 2. Certification for Modification Pursuant to Certification Relating to Order Provision No. 38(A) with accompanying Memorandum, Attachments 1-3, and a USB drive containing updated GIS shapefiles.**

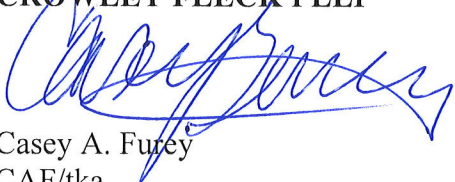
The Commission’s February 6, 2019 Order issued for the Emmons-Logan Wind Energy Center contains Tree and Shrub Mitigation Specification No. 7 which provides “[t]he maximum width of clear cuts through windbreaks, shelterbelts and all other wooded areas is 50 feet, unless otherwise approved by the Commission.” (Docket No. 101). Pursuant to Specification No. 7, Emmons-Logan Wind respectfully requests the Commission expedite approval of its request to clear tree and shrubs greater than 50 feet in width as detailed in the enclosed filing. The clearance request is associated with an access road modification that was made to accommodate a landowner request. Emmons-Logan Wind has inventoried this location and provided a map depicting the location of its clearance request. Construction of the Emmons-Logan Wind Energy

Center is ongoing and construction crews are on standby for authorization to commence clearance in the area detailed in the attached filing. For the reasons discussed above, good cause exists to grant this request, and Emmons-Logan Wind respectfully requests approval of its request at the Commission's July 25th, 2019 regular meeting.

Please feel free to contact me with any questions.

Sincerely,

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