



STATE OF MINNESOTA
Office of Energy Security



NOTICE OF COMMENT PERIOD ON PROPOSED PERMIT AMENDMENT

Issued: **April 8, 2011**

**In the Matter of the Site Permit of Glacial Ridge Wind, LLC for a 20 Megawatt
Large Wind Energy Conversion System in Pope County**

PUC Docket Number: IP-6650/WS-07-1073

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that on March 31, 2011, the Minnesota Public Utilities Commission received a petition from Glacial Ridge Wind, LLC to amend its site permit for the 20 megawatt Large Wind Energy Conversion System (LWECS), known as the Glacial Ridge Wind Project, in Pope County, Minnesota. The proposed amendments extend the time in which the permittee can obtain a commitment for sale of the power and commence construction by two years.

Under Minnesota Rule 7854.1300 the Commission may amend or revoke a site permit for an LWECS at any time if the Commission has good cause to do so after first providing notice and affording due process to the permit holder. Glacial Ridge Wind, LLC's current permit conditions require it to obtain a commitment for sale of the electricity and start construction by April 27, 2011.

PLEASE ALSO TAKE NOTICE that the Office of Energy Security Energy Facility Permitting staff is soliciting comments on the petition for the Commission's consideration. Interested persons wishing to file comments on this petition shall have until **4:30 p.m. on April 25, 2011**. Please include the docket number (IP-6650/WS-07-1073) on your comments. To submit comments, ask questions, or seek further information about this project please contact:

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To view the Petition and other project documents, see the PUC Facilities Permitting website at <http://energyfacilities.puc.state.mn.us/Docket.html?Id=19288> or eDockets (07-1073) at <https://www.edockets.state.mn.us/EFiling/search.jsp>.

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