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October 18, 2012

Dr. Burl W. Haar
Executive Secretary
Minnesota Public Utilities Commission
127 7th Place East, Suite 350
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RE: Comments and Recommendations of the Department of Commerce Energy Facility Permitting Staff
Docket No. IP-6866/WS-11-831

Dear Dr. Haar:

Attached please find the comments and recommendations of the Department of Commerce Energy Facility Permitting in the following matter:

Application for a Large Wind Energy Conversion System Site Permit for the 40 MW
Getty Wind Project in Stearns County, Minnesota

The site permit application was filed on October 13, 2011, by:

Keith L. Thorstad, Vice President
Getty Wind Company, LLC
P.O. Box 321
Chokio, MN 56221

Energy Facility Permitting staff has prepared: (1) proposed findings of fact, conclusions of law, and order, and (2) a proposed LWECS site permit. EFP staff is available to answer any questions the Commission may have.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Suzanne Steinhauer'. The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Suzanne Lamb Steinhauer
Energy Facility Permitting

Attachments