APPENDIX 9-1

EMAIL REQUESTS TO DEVIN COLEMAN, DIVISION OF HISTORIC PERSERVATION

DATED APRIL 1, 2014 AND MAY 5, 2014

Steve Hickey

From:

Steve Hickey

Sent:

Monday, May 05, 2014 1:19 PM

To:

'Devin.Colman@state.vt.us'

Subject:

FW: Downers Mill Hydro, Ottauquechee River - Hartford, VT- Request for LIHI review

Attachments:

Simon Pearce FERC Exemption dtd May 4 1982.pdf; Appendix 1.pdf

Dear Mr. Coleman,

On 10 January 2014, Hydro Management Group, LLC ("HMG") as agent for Simon Pearce (US) Inc., owner and operated of the Downers Mill Hydroelectric project located on the Ottauquechee River in Quechee Vermont, received a letter from Mr. Eric Davis of the Vermont Department of Environmental Conservation (see Attached *Appendix 1*) stating that the Downer's Mill project is in compliance with their water quality certification. HMG is in the process of completing an application to the Low Impact Hydropower Institute (http://www.lowimpacthydro.orgt/) for the low impact certification of the Downers Mill project and would appreciate a response to the below email sent to you on April 1, 2013. Your response is necessary to complete the project's application.

Thank you and please contact me with any questions.

Stephen Hickey
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From: Stephen Hickey [mailto:sjh@essexhydro.com]

Sent: Monday, April 01, 2013 5:09 PM

To: Colman, Devin

Subject: Downers Mill Hydro, Ottauquechee River - Hartford, VT- Request for LIHI review

Dear Mr. Coleman,

I am working on an application to the Low Impact Hydropower Institute for the low impact certification of Simon Pearce (US) Inc.'s **Downers Mill hydroelectric project** located on the Ottauquechee River in the Town of Hartford, Village of Quechee, Vermont. Can you comment on whether or not any properties or historic, architectural or archaeological significance are located within the project boundary and are affected by the project's operations? Attached for your reference is a copy of the FERC Exemption No. 5195.

Thank you and please contact me if you need any additional information.

Steve

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