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Request for Comment to NH Division of Parks and Recreation Re: Recreational Access at the Clement Dam Dtd December 2, 2014

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Tuesday, December 02, 2014 3:53 PM

To:

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Subject:

Request for Comment re Recreational Access at the Clement Hydroelectric facility,

Winnipesaukee River, Tilton NH

Attachments:

FERC License (May 17.pdf; FERC Amended License (March 18.pdf

Dear New Hampshire Division of Parks and Recreation,

Essex Power Services, Inc. as the authorized agent of Eagle Creek Renewable Energy LLC, owner and operator of the Clement Dam hydroelectric project (the "Project") located on the Winnipesaukee River in the town of Lakeport, NH is pleased to inform you that it is in the process of submitting an application to the Low Impact Hydropower Institute (http://www.lowimpacthydro.org/) for the low impact certification of the Project. Condition G of the Project's application for low impact certification requires confirmation that the project is in compliance with the terms and conditions of its Exemption from Licensing issued by the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission on May 17, 1982 and attached for your reference. The project's FERC License does not contain any specific provision for recreational access however the project currently permits recreational access free or charge within a safe distance of the dam and the associated project works. A minor amount of recreational activity, primarily boating and fishing occurs at the project. That being said, Eagle Creek Renewable Energy LLC would appreciate confirmation from you that your agency has no concerns about recreational access at the site and that the project permits recreational access free of charge within a safe distance of the project works.

Thank you in advance for responding to this inquiry and please contact me with any questions or concerns.

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