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Michael J. Sale, Executive Director Low Impact Hydropower Institute 34 Providence Street Portland, ME 04103

Subject: Worumbo Project (FERC No. 3428)

LIHI Certificate No. 000010

Re-certification

Dear Mr. Sale:

Please find Miller Hydro Group's (Miller) re-certification application for the Worumbo Project. As stated in your letter dated January 23, 2013, Miller Hydro Group can apply for re-certification within four months of the receipt of your letter. Therefore, Miller Hydro Group, hereby, applies for re-certification of the Worumbo Project for a 5-year term.

The spillway of the Worumbo Project has had substantive changes since the 2008 recertification. Given the immediate public safety concerns of a failure to the Timber Crib Dam at the Worumbo Project, the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) initiated Emergency Consultation procedures under the Endangered Species Act (ESA) to replace the deteriorated Timber Crib Dam. During the emergency consultation, Miller consulted with National Marine Fisheries Services (NMFS) on various design aspects of the spillway. As shown in Exhibit E, NMFS issued a Biological Opinion addressing FERC's authorization of emergency actions taken at the Worumbo Project to replace the Timber Crib Dam. NMFS concluded that the emergency project likely adversely affected the species and habitat of the endangered Atlantic salmon, but did not jeopardize the continued existence of the Atlantic salmon, or lead to destructive or adverse modifications of critical habitat. Please see Exhibit E for NMFS' Biological Opinion on emergency rehabilitation and the general project operations at the Worumbo Project.

Miller Hydro Group meets annually with resource agency representatives to discuss status of anadromous fish runs in the Androscoggin River, to review fish passage operations at the Worumbo Project, to assess the need for further fish passage studies, and to set operational parameters for the upcoming season. A status report is subsequently drafted, circulated, and filed

with the FERC. Copies of these status reports filed since the original LIHI certification are enclosed.

Miller Hydro Group have also included a copy of the 2008 LIHI questionnaire, a sworn statement that the material presented is true and complete, a waiver of liability as described in your letter dated January 23, 2013, and a check for the application fee in the amount of \$1,000.

Please do not hesitate to contact Miller Hydro Group if you or the board have any questions or require additional information.

Sincerely.

Mark Isaacson

President, Miller Hydro Group