

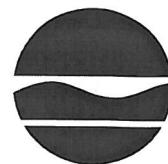
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December 2, 2010

**MODIFICATION TO PERMIT**

Mr. Michael J. Scarzello, P.E.  
Central Vermont Public Service Corp  
77 Grove Street  
Rutland, Vermont 05701-3403

**Re: Carver Falls Hydroelectric Project  
FERC Project 11475  
DEC# 5-5336-00003/00001  
Town of Hampton, Washington County, New York and  
Town of West Haven, Rutland County, Vermont**

Dear Mr. Scarzello:

The Central Vermont Public Service Corp has requested approval from the NYS Department of Environmental Conservation to amend the Water Quality Certification (WQC) Issued April 21, 1995, for the Carver Falls Hydroelectric Project (FERC Project 11475), located on the Poultney River on the Vermont/New York Border. The existing Carver Falls Unit 1 generating capacity is 1.1 MW with a total current plant capacity of 1.9 MW. The applicant has proposed to replace the existing Unit 1 turbine with a new unit, increasing the capacity of Unit 1 to 1.45 MW with a total installed plant capacity of 2.2 MW. The current hydraulic capacity of Unit 1 would be increased from 162 cfs to 177 cfs. There are no changes proposed to the mode of operation.

The Department hereby modifies the WQC to authorize the installation and operation of the replacement Generating Unit 1 having a capacity of 1.1 MW. There are no other changes of the existing WQC.

**Mr. Michael Scarzello**  
**Re: Carver Falls Hydroelectric Project**  
**December 2, 2010**

This letter constitutes a modification of the original certificate and as such is incorporated into the original certificate. All original conditions remain in effect. If you have any questions, please contact me at the above number.

Sincerely,



Michael J. McMurray  
Regional Permit Administrator

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