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Stan Mason President Watts Wind 4 Limited Partnership 4 MacDonald Avenue, Dartmouth Nova Scotia, B3B 1C5

Dear Mr. Mason:

Re: Environmental Assessment –Harrietsfield Williamswood Wind Farm Project, Halifax County

The environmental assessment of the proposed Harrietsfield Williamswood Wind Farm Project in Halifax County, Nova Scotia has been completed.

This is to advise that I have approved the above project in accordance with Section 40 of the Nova Scotia Environment Act, S.N.S., 1994-95 and subsection 13(1)(b) of the Environmental Assessment Regulations, N.S. Reg. 348/2008, made under the Act. Following a review of the information provided by Watts Wind 4 Limited Partnership, and the information provided during the government and public consultation of the environmental assessment, I am satisfied that any adverse effects or significant environmental effects of the undertaking can be adequately mitigated through compliance with the attached terms and conditions.

This approval is subject to any other approvals required by statute or regulation, including but not limited to, approval under Part V of the Environment Act (Approvals and Certificates section).

If you have any questions regarding the approval of this project, please contact Peter Geddes, Director, Policy and Planning, at (902) 424-6250 or via email at Peter.Geddes@novascotia.ca.

Sincerely,

Randy Delorey, MLA

Minister of Environment

Encl.

c: Peter Geddes