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Reuben Burge
President, Affinity Wind LP
1383 Mount Thom Road
Salt Springs, Nova Scotia B0K 1P0

Dear Mr. Burge:

**Re: Environmental Assessment Affinity Wind LP
Limerock Wind Project, Pictou County, Nova Scotia**

The environmental assessment of the proposed Limerock Wind Project located in Limerock, Pictou County, Nova Scotia has been completed.

This is to advise that I have approved the above project in accordance with Section 40 of the *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 Affinity Wind LP 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 Nova Scotia *Environment Act* (Approvals and Certificates section).

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

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Randy Delorey", written over a horizontal line.

Randy Delorey, MLA
Minister of Environment

c: Peter Geddes

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