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Via Document and Matter Management (DMM) System

Hon. Kathleen H. Burgess
Secretary to the Commission
New York State Public Service Commission
Agency Building 3
Albany, NY 12223-1350

Re: 19-T-____ – Application of Canisteo Wind Energy LLC for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need Pursuant to Article VII of the Public Service Law

Dear Secretary Burgess:

On behalf of Canisteo Wind Energy LLC (CWE) enclosed for filing pursuant to Section 122 of the Public Service Law please find the following:

– The Application for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need and a Clean Water Act Section 401 Water Quality Certification authorizing the construction, ownership and operation of a transmission facility interconnecting the planned Canisteo Wind Energy Project to an existing 115 kV transmission facility at Bennett Substation owned and operated by New York State Electric & Gas Corporation (Application). In addition to the electronic copy being filed via Document and Matter Management System one paper copy of the Application is being provided.

– An affidavit of service attesting to service of the Application on the persons identified in Section 122(2)(a).

– A copy of the Notice of Application, which was published in *The Spectator* and the *Hornell Pennesaver Plus*, as required by Section 122(2)(b) and the associated affidavits of publication.

– A check made out to the Department of Public Service in the amount of \$100,000.00, as required by Section 122(5).

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– A motion on behalf of the Applicant seeking an order waiving compliance with certain of the regulations governing the contents of an application made pursuant to Article VII of the Public Service Law.

Certain documents included with the Application have been partially redacted or completely omitted from the publicly available copies and are being submitted to the Records Access Officer because they contain trade secrets, confidential commercial information, critical infrastructure information or sensitive resource information. These include: Appendix E-4.a.4, System Reliability Impact Study, Appendix 4b SHPO Phase 1B Archaeology Report and Exhibit 9 Cost of Proposed Facility.

Please contact me if you have any questions.

Respectfully submitted,

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Enclosures