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Grand Renewable Wind LP Samsung Subject:BE-2011-0063 from Mr. Norman Negus 485 Haldimand Rd.#20 Hagersville. Ont. N0A1H0 905 768 3997

Re File No. EB-2011-0063

Re.Intevenor Status Request Norman Negus for EB-2011-0063: Application for Leave to construct Transmission Facilities for Grand Renewable Wind LP.

Below is a letter with information that is contained in the applicants documents I have highlighted some of the important facts thankyou

I realize that Ontario is installing solar and wind farms to give Ontario Green Energy but at this time, I have a concern about the overhead transmission lines proposed to be constructed on the North side of Haldimand Rd.#20. The proposal has these steel poles at 38 meters (92 feet) in height and 200 M (656 feet) between them, and below this the relocated existing power poles to allow room for the new 230,000 volt transmission line.

I have concerns regarding safety and health.

These lines are known to have effects from electric fields, magnetic fields, radio interference, audible noise and more so when there is fog, mist or rain, ground currents and corrosion effects.

On this road, there are residential properties with some older homes located very close to the road allowance. Please think of one's health living on top of these lines.

What about the property values?

Who would buy a house enveloped with 230.000 volt power lines on top of our homes and these tall steel poles on each side, along with the power lines that were originally there? Haldimand Road #20 is a well traveled road. I feel that is the most heavily travelled road by cars and heavy transport trucks that find this route a quicker way to avoid the bridge at Cayuga and the longer roads to South Eastern Ontario area. An accident on this road my have drastic results with 230,000 volts.

I see no reason why this line could not run on farm land the way Hydro One had done in the past.. These towers at 230,000 volts criss cross Ontario but you don't notice them for Hydro One lines run across farms which is much safer than parallel to a busy traffic corridor.

Sincerely,
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